

Are you interested in assessing new products and technologies?

The main aim of the portal is to canvass and receive feedback on submissions from a wide cross section of NHSScotland Staff and stakeholders who have an understanding of the area in which they will be applied.

Your role as an assessor will be to provide feedback on submissions and assess all information using a Black-Red-Amber-Green scale. Our aim is to use the expertise and knowledge of staff and stakeholders who are using the products to identify “best fit” innovations and products.



For Further Information

To find out more about the portal, please visit the HIAP-Scotland website at

www.hiap-scotland.org

If you have any questions, please contact a member of the team at:

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HIAP-Scotland Portal

The Health Innovation Assessment Portal (HIAP-Scotland) is an online platform which has been designed as a single-point resource to develop stronger partnerships between NHSScotland and industry.

The Portal provides potential suppliers with information, guidance and support on how to develop ideas and innovations into products and technologies which may be of use to NHSS, or to further develop established innovative products.

This initiative forms part of the response to Scottish Government's 'Statement of Intent for Health and Wealth'

How it works

The Innovation Portal allows innovators to liaise with NHSScotland at an early opportunity while crucial decisions can still be influenced.

Innovators submit a solution which must be linked to at least one of 32 areas of improvement which have been identified by NHSS on to the portal providing information in six sections:

- General Information
- Strategic Fit
- Benefits
- Evidence and Readiness
- Commercials
- Other Information

The solutions are assessed and NHS provides feedback on these in a transparent and consistent way.

Assessors

The role of an assessor is to use professional expertise to evaluate submitted information and evidence by providing constructive criticism on innovators' solutions. By doing so, you can contribute to the future of Scottish healthcare by helping to identify innovative technologies which have the potential to become incorporated into NHSS service

Assessors follow a simple scoring methodology by grading each response using the following key and adding any additional comments.

Red – Not of interest (or insufficient evidence or information)

Amber – Has potential

Green - Worthwhile

Black - Not applicable