## **INFORMATICA MEDICA**

Che cos'è?

## **Informatica Medica (Medical Informatics)**

Morris F. Collen, 1977 (*Preliminary announcement for the Third World Conference on Medical Informatics, Medinfo 80, 1977*) Medical informatics is the **application of computer technology to all fields of medicine** – medical care, medical teaching, and medical research.

Jan H. Van Bemmel, 1984 (*Van Bemmel, J.H. The structure of medical informatics. Medical Informatics, 9 (1984), p. 175*) Medical informatics comprises the theoretical and practical aspects of **information processing and communication**, based on knowledge and experience derived from processes in medical and health care.

M.S. Blois and Edward H. Shortliffe, 1990

Medical informatics is the rapidly developing scientific field that deals with the storage, retrieval, and optimal use of biomedical information, data, and knowledge for problem solving and decision making.

**British Medical Informatics Society** 

... the understanding, skills, and tools that enable the sharing and use of information to deliver healthcare and promote health.... the place where health, information and computer sciences, psychology, epidemiology, and engineering intersect

#### **eHealth**

World Health Organization (WHO)

eHealth is the use of information and communication technologies (ICT) for health.

Mitchell, 1999

A new term needed to describe the **combined use of electronic communication and information technology** in the health sector.

Medical Business News, 2000

E-Health is a convergence between the Internet and the health care industry **to provide consumers** with a wide variety of information relating to the health care field

Eysenbach, 2001

e-health is an emerging field in the **intersection of medical informatics**, **public health and business**, referring to health services and information delivered or enhanced through the Internet and related technologies. In a broader sense, the term characterizes not only a technical development, but also a state-of-mind, a way of thinking, an attitude, and a commitment for networked, global thinking, to improve health care locally, regionally, and worldwide by using information and communication technology.

### Informatica medica

## **INFORMATICA MEDICA =**

Insieme di conoscenze, metodi e teorie che si focalizzano sull'uso efficace delle INFORMAZIONI e della CONOSCENZA al fine di migliorare la qualità, la sicurezza e il rapporto costoefficacia della cura dei pazienti e più in generale della salute degli individui e della popolazione

## Scenario



## Molteplicità degli attori nel Sistema sanitario



## eHealth systems and tools

#### **PREVENTION**

# **Empowerment** PATIENT

#### Motivation

- Active monitoring (personalized sensors, environmental sensors)
- Caregiver support systems
- Personal health records
- Health literacy interventions

#### **DIAGNOSIS**

- Decision-support systems
- Health literacy interventions

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DETECTION

EARLY

DISEASE

- Simple self-diagnostic tools
- Electronic health records

- Lack of motivation
- Profiling and Virtual Individual
- helath literacy and education

Decision-support systems

Simple self-diagnostic tools

Personalized

#### TREATMENT/ REHABILITATION

- Supporting tools and devices
- Guidelines and reccomendations
- Patient's feedback on therapies
- Tailored interventions through communities
- Electronic health record
- Personal health record

- Education for caregivers
- Health literacy interventions for caregivers
- Supporting tools for caregiver



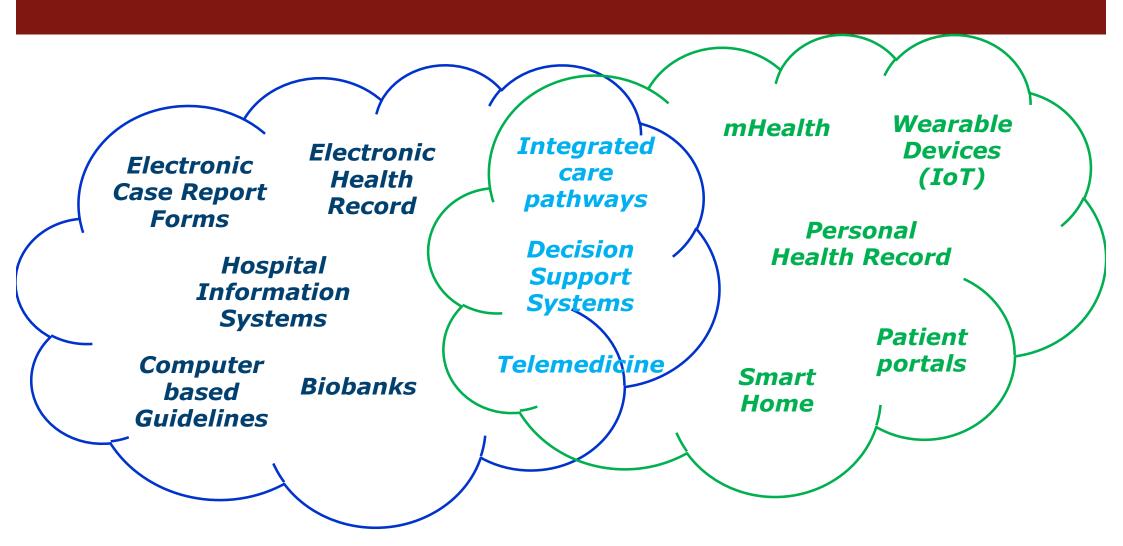




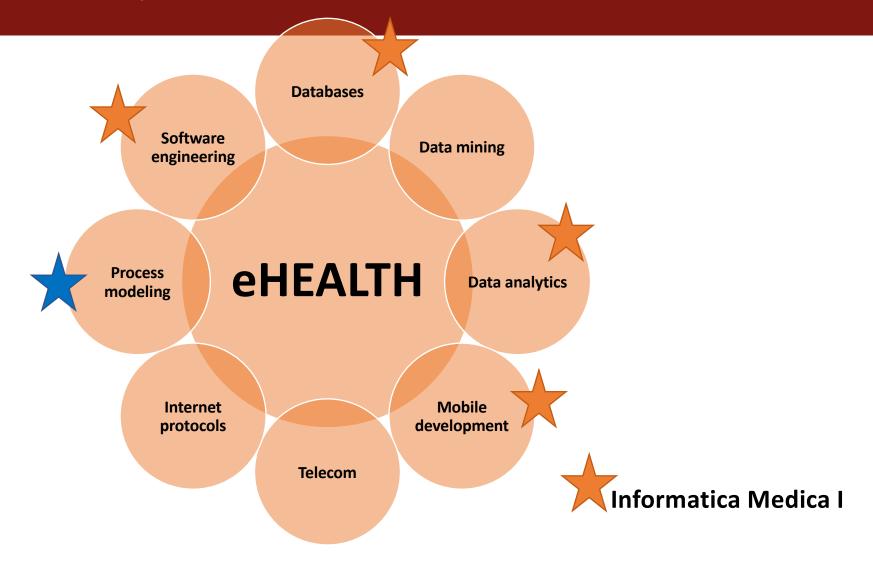
## eHealth systems and tools

	Prevention	Diagnosis	Treatment and Rehabilitation
Citizens	Diet monitoring Exercise monitoring Educational tools Personal Health Record (PHR)	Communication with healthcare professionals Unsupervised symptom checkers e-services for checking symptoms Health information websites/apps	
Patients	Telemonitoring & Sensors Environmental monitoring Educational tools Personal Health Record (PHR)	e-services for checking symptoms Telediagnosis tools Portals for ranking/finding physicians	Drug tracking systems Telerehabilitation systems Patient portals
Family/Caregivers	Activity trackers Educational tools	Communication with healthcare professionals	Drug tracking systems Telerehabilitation systems Community support tools Family Health Records
Healthcare Professionals and hospitals/care centres	Risk assessment tools Screening and Telescreening Decision Support Systems Electronic Health Record (EHR)	Electronic Health Record (EHR) Supervised Symptom checkers Decision Support Systems Domain Ontologies and Knowledge representation systems Hospital Information System Reference databanks Biosignal/Bioimage Databanks	Telecare systems Computer Interpretable Guidelines (CIGs) and Recommendations Electronic Health Record (EHR) Social care records and supporting systems Reference databanks
Private/Public/insurance Payers	Insurance-provided PHRs Risk assessment	Health Information Systems	Telecare systems
Medical Students	Visual knowledge tools Bioimage databanks Online reference systems Virtual environments		
Researchers	Clinical report Forms (CRF) Shared Databanks Multicentre research platforms Reference databanks Crowdsourcing tools		

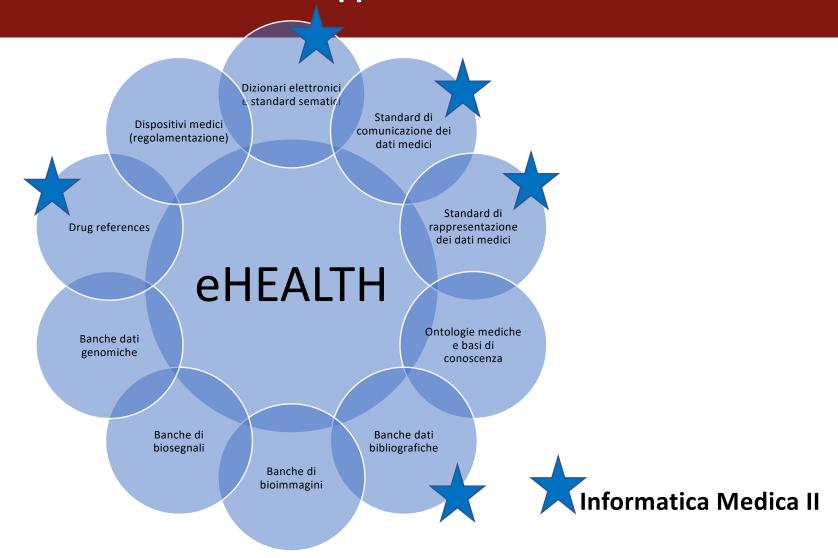
## eHealth systems tools



## Strumenti informatici per le soluzioni eHealth



## Strumenti dell'Informatica Medica a supporto del eHealth



## PARLIAMO DI VOI...



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