

Life is like riding a bicycle.

To keep your balance you must keep moving.

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@ 31 January 2017

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At the upcoming 32nd Annual EAU Congress (EAU17) in London, the European School of Urology (ESU) will offer the Hands-on Training course "Non-Technical Skills in Urology" from 25 to 27 March at 10:00 to 12:00, and again at 14:00 to 16:00. The ESU aims to raise awareness of the many benefits of non-technical skills in operating-room practice. The course is the first of its kind. The ESU team will be led by Ahmed (Course Director), Prof. Prokar Dasgupta and Prof. Muhammad Shamim Khan of Guy's & St Thomas' Hospital.

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70-80% των χειρουργικών δεξιοτήτων δεν είναι τεχνικές δεξιότητες!

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What are non-technical skills?

Non-technical skills are defined as skills unrelated to the technical completion of surgical procedures. Similar to technical skills, non-technical skills are not inborn. These must be developed through diligent practice and training.

"The course will focus on communication, teamwork, decision-making, leadership and management skills," said Ahmed. "We aim to help cultivate these skills in the participants. We will train them to clearly and effectively communicate with their team. This is so they would know how to make quick, appropriate decisions when there's difficulty in procedures, or when a situation needs to be salvaged immediately, for example."



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@ 10 January 2017

YUO launches Leadership for Medical **Professionals Course**

Do you wish to hone your management and leadership skills or sharpen your decision-making abilities?

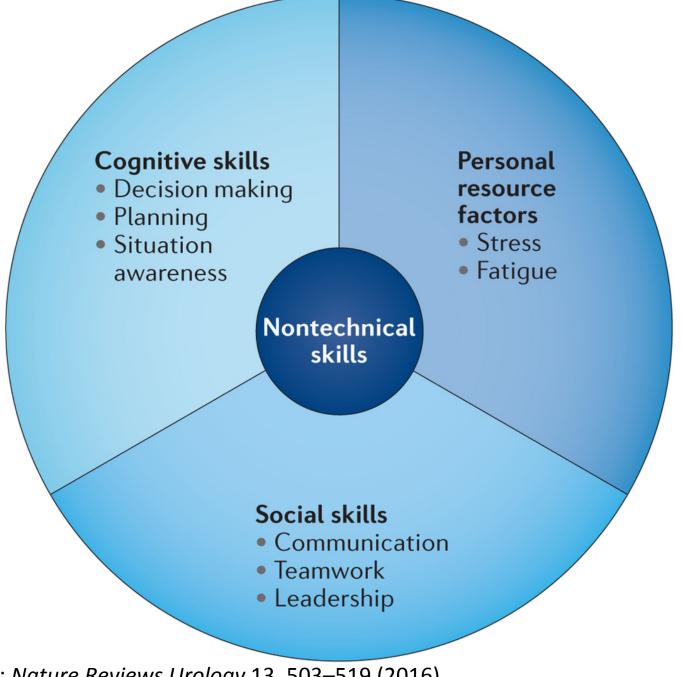
The EAU Young Urologists Office (YUO) may have the right programme for you in London during the Annual EAU Congress. The YUO will hold a new course on Monday 27 March 2017, from 08:30 to 11:30, to provide recommendations on how to develop leadership and management skills.

"Around 30 participants from across Europe will be selected for the three-hour course which will provide

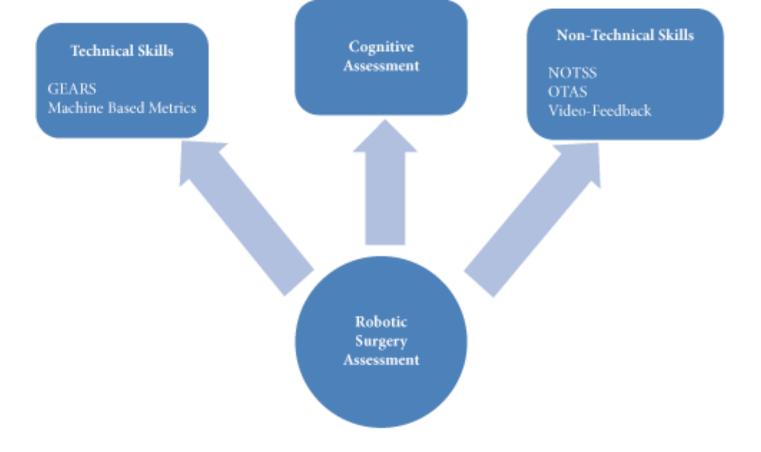


Ηγεσία: και αυτό μαθαίνετε!

"The emphasis is on the development and successful implementation of a personal and creative leadership style and business strategy. After the course, participants will learn to be more decisive in reacting on developments within their organization, more effective and efficient in management-skills," said Sedelaar.



Aydin A, et al: Nature Reviews Urology 13, 503–519 (2016)



Situation awareness Developing and maintaining a dynamic awareness of the situation in theatre based

on assembling data from the environment (patient, team, time, displays, equipment); understanding what they mean, and thinking ahead about what may happen next.

Decision-making Skills for diagnosing the situation and reaching a judgement in order to choose an

appropriate course of action.

Teamwork and communication Skills for working in a team context to ensure that the team has an acceptable shared

picture of the situation and can complete tasks effectively

Leadership Leading the team and providing direction, demonstrating high standards of clinical

practice and care, and being considerate about the needs of individual team

members. Guru KA, et al: BJU Int 2015; **115:** 166–174

Driver Training

Technical Skills



TECHNICAL TRAINING

How to drive a car -

- Effects of controls
- How to maintain the vehicle
- Rules and regulations

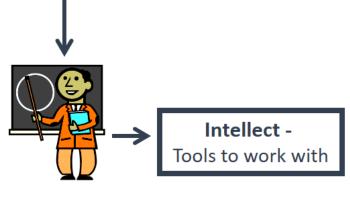
Non-Technical Skills



NON-TECHNICAL TRAINING

Driving Culture –

- Effect of driving when tired
- Managing the urge to speed
- Courtesy on the roads









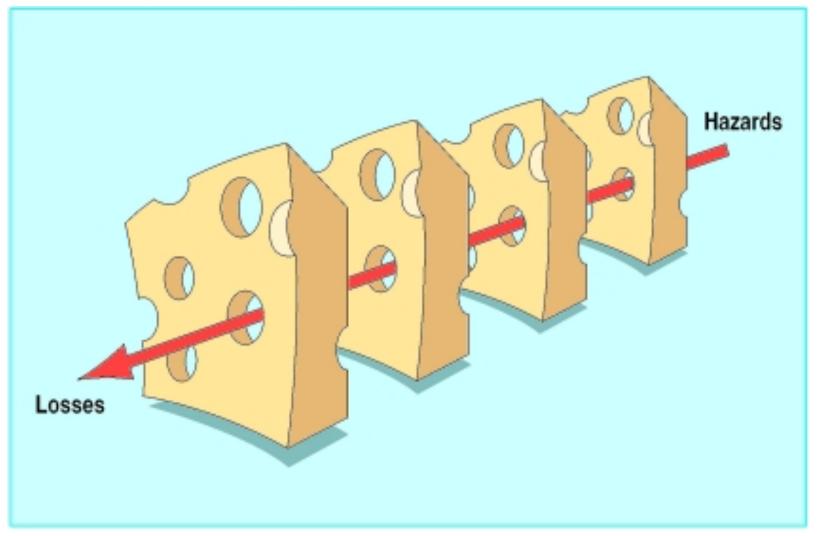
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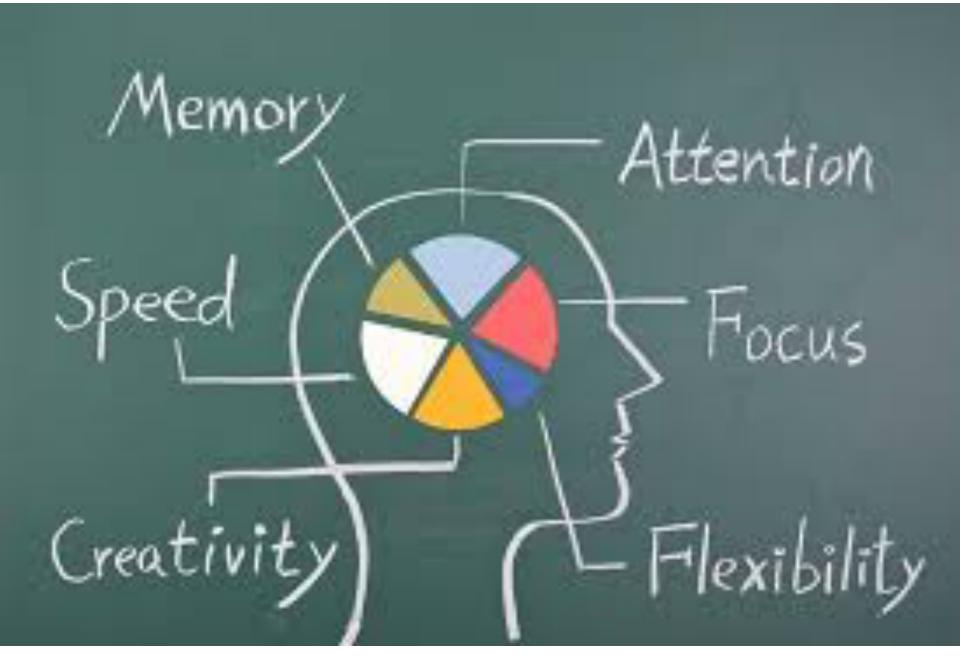
Ο ανθρώπινος παράγοντας!



Ελβετικό τυρί: το μοντέλο του λάθους



Reason, A: BMJ. 2000 Mar 18; 320(7237): 768-770.

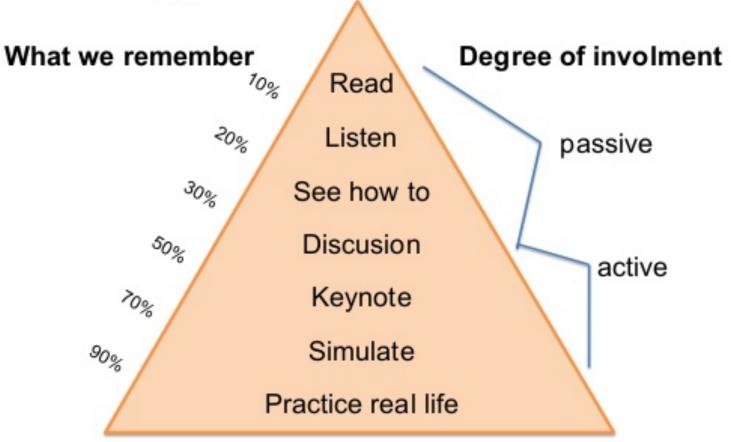


Η μάθηση θέλει πρακτική!





Learning process



Το τέλος του «βλέπω – κάνω» και στην χειρουργική!



How to develop a simulation programme in urology

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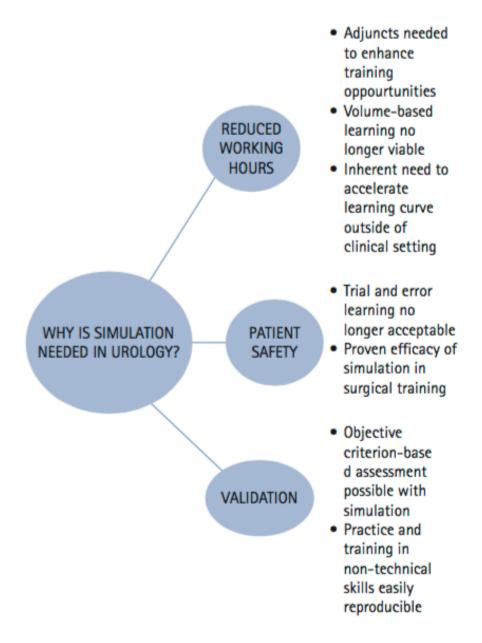
Fixed performance-based outcomes of inanimate trainers and simulators have been praised as useful adjuncts in urology for reducing the learning curve associated with the acquisition of new technical and non-technical skills without compromising patient safety. Simulators are becoming an integral part of the urology training curriculum and their effectiveness is totally

What's known on the subject? and What does the study add?

Inanimate trainers and simulators have been shown to facilitate the skill acquisition of urologists. However, there are significant challenges to integrating standalone simulation programmes into mainstream urology curricula.

This study provides a framework to overcome these challenges and discusses the advantages of centralised urology simulation centres and their potential to serve as key adjuncts in the certification and validation process of urologists.

Οι επιπτώσεις της προσομοίωσης είναι τεράστιες!



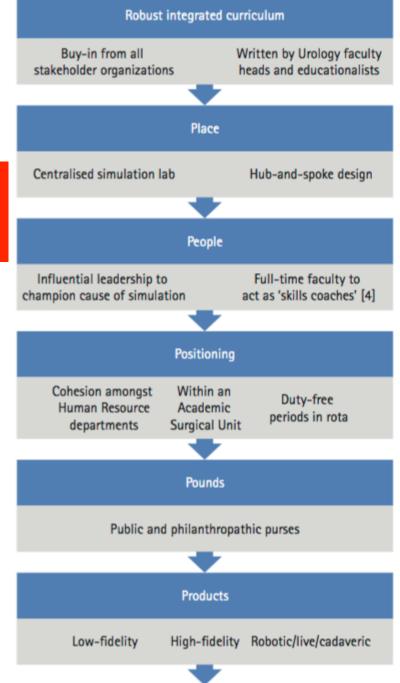
Προσομοιωτές στην Ουρολογία

TABLE 1 High-fidelity training models for incorporation in a proposed curriculum [10]	TABLE 1	High-fidelity	training	models for	incorporation in	a proposed	l curriculum [10
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Model	Manufacturer	Task	Model type
Uroscopic trainer	Limbs and Things, Bristol, UK	Ureteroscopy	Bench
Scope trainer	Mediskills, Northampton, UK	Ureteroscopy	Bench
UROMentorTM	Simbionix, Cleveland, OH, USA	Ureteroscopy	Virtual reality
Bristol TURP Trainer	Limbs and Things,	TURP	Bench
PERC MentorTM	Simbionix	Percutaneous nephrolithotomy	Virtual reality
Procedicus MISTTM nephrectomy simulator	Mentice, Gothenburg, Sweden	Retroperitoneal radical nephrectomy	Virtual reality
Porcine kidney model	-	Percutaneous open renal surgery	Animal

FIG. 3.
Flowchart outlining the development of an integrated urology simulation programme.

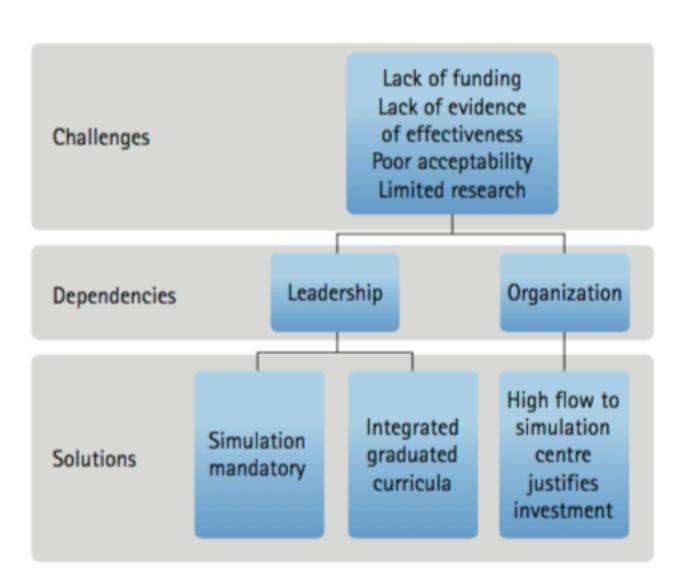
Το Curriculum των ειδικευομένων Ξαναγράφεται!



Τα προβλήματα πολλά...

FIG. 4.

Anticipated challenges in developing a sustainable urology simulation programme
[11].



Το μέλλον δεν θα συγχωρέσει τα λάθη που κάνουμε!



Urology training: past, present and future

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Since 2004 the estimated available training time, for all doctors, has dropped from 30 000 h to ≈8000 h. By decreasing the initial stages of the learning curve, medical simulation has the potential to compensate for the reduced time available to train urologists. The current urological training pathway consists of 2 years of foundation year training, 2 years of core surgical training, followed by 5 years of specialty training. Training time pressures and the expansion of treatment techniques have led to a trend towards increased subspecialization in urology. To optimize

What's known on the subject? and What does the study add?

Dedicated training hours for surgeons are falling as the complexity of techniques and patient expectations are increasing. Urologists therefore need to train in more sophisticated and effective ways.

This article looks at past and current urological training and suggests emerging and innovative ways to teach the next generation of urologists.

patient care, training programmes must evolve, taking into account several key issues and in accordance with advances in urological care.

KEYWORDS

urology, education, simulation, training, assessment

Τύποι προσομοιωτών: η επανάσταση εφαρμόζεται!

- Mechanical simulators (dry-lab training);
- ii. Hybrid simulators, which also involve a box containing objects and organs, but performance is assessed by a computer that can give feedback according to programmed metrics. Simple metrics in urology include time of procedure, economy of movement and collisions;
- iii. Virtual reality (VR) simulators, which allow trainees to interact with three-dimensional computer databases in real time.
- With CT/MRI, there is now even the technology to practise operations before the real procedure. This practice has the potential to enhance patient safety in future.
- ➤ Telementoring techniques allows an experienced surgeon to assist or direct a junior operating at a distance by indirectly observing procedures and offering advice or directing surgical steps.











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Review Article

Current Status of Simulation and Training Models in Urological Surgery: A Systematic Review

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- A total of 91 validation studies were identified pertaining to training models in
- endourology (63),
- laparoscopic surgery (17),
- robot-assisted surgery (8) and
- open urological surgery (6), with a total of 55 models.
- Of the included studies:
- 6 were classified Level 1b,
- 9 Level 2a,
- 39 Level 2b and
- > 19 Level 2c.
- ◆ Of all the training models the URO Mentor™ was the only one to receive a level of recommendation of 1.

Η αξιολόγηση!



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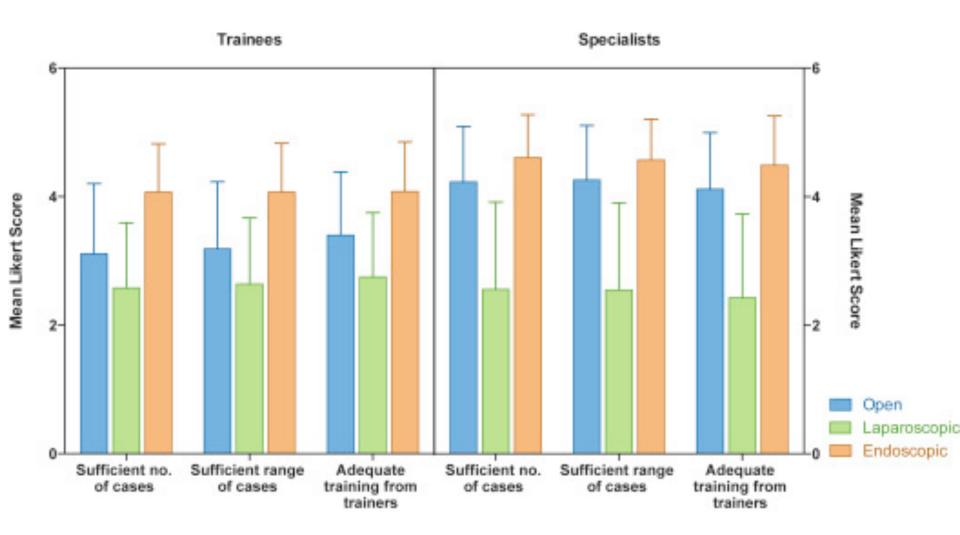


The role of simulation in urological training – A quantitative study of practice and opinions

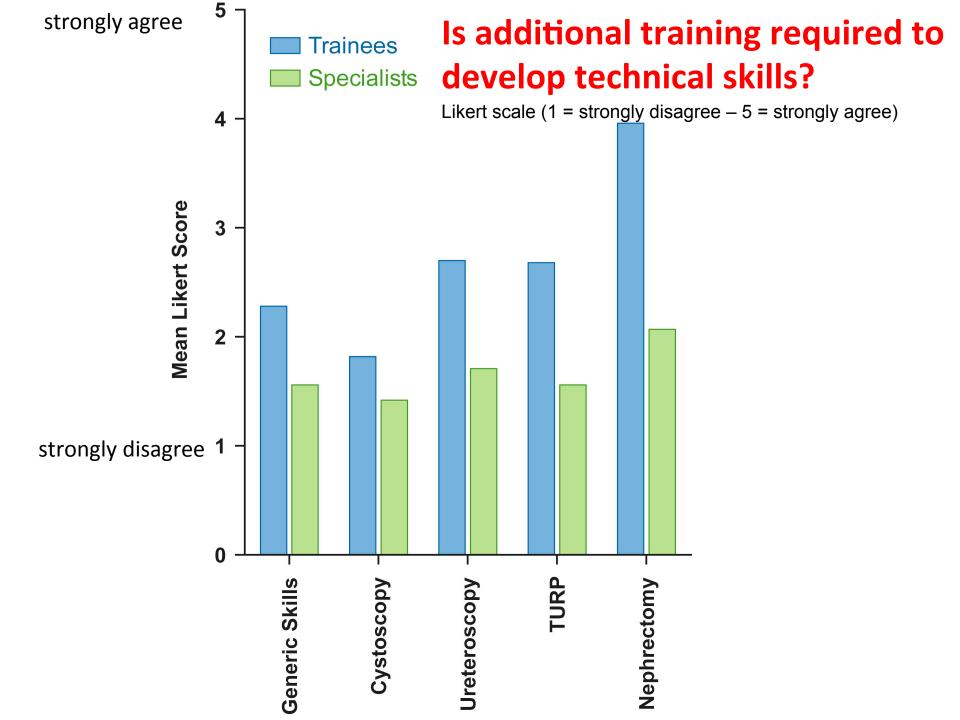
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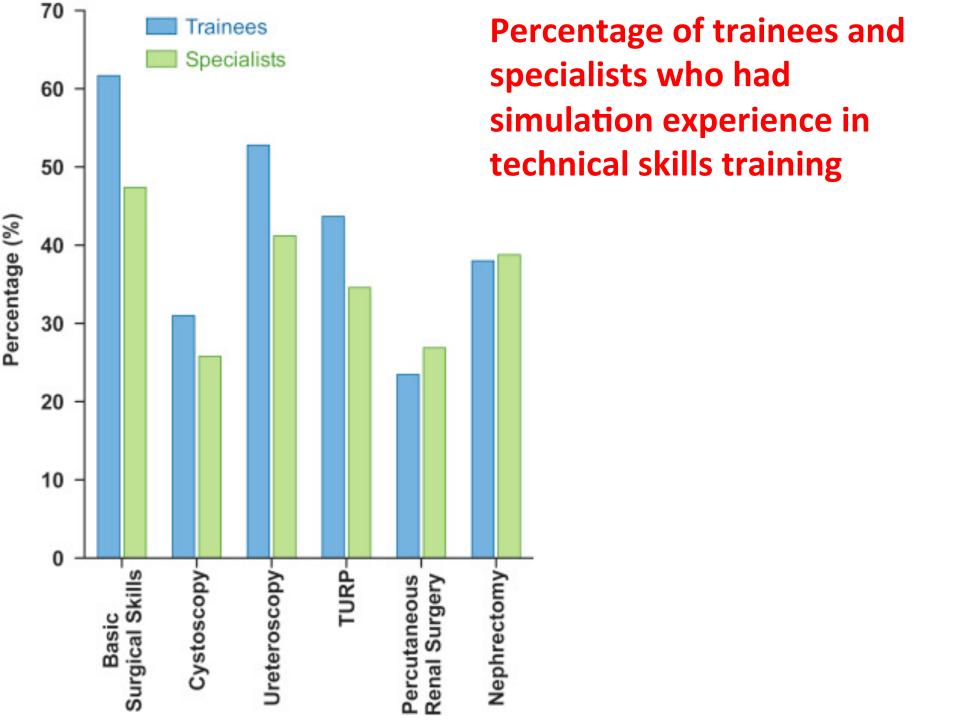
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Was training sufficient to develop the necessary technical skills in open, laparoscopic and endoscopic procedures?

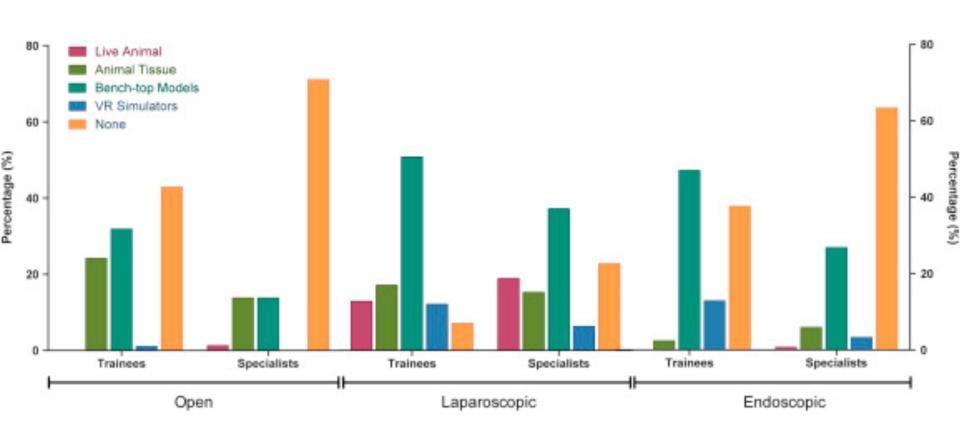


Likert scale (1 = strongly disagree -5 = strongly agree)

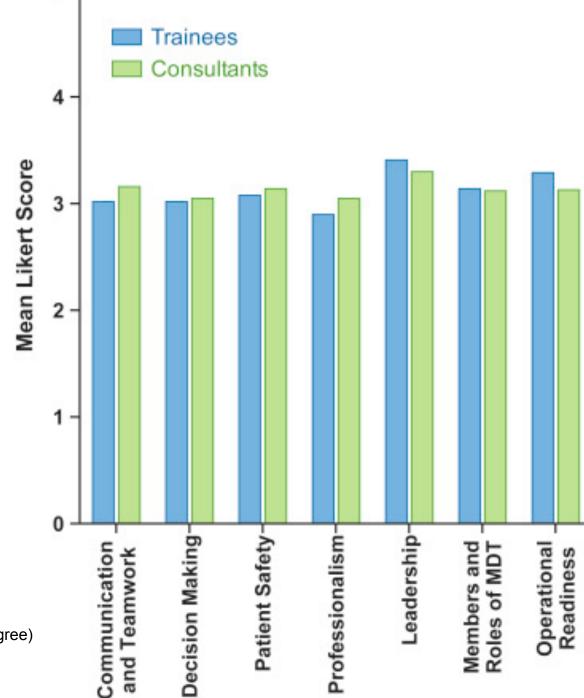




Which simulation model?



Further training is required to enhance the following Non-Technical Skills.



Likert scale (1 = strongly disagree – 5 = strongly agree)

6 μήνες έρευνα υποχρεωτική στην ειδικότητα και στην Ελλάδα!

"Whether or not a trainee produces revolutionary research, it can be argued that the process of:

- conceptualizing a research question,
- ✓ designing a study,
- ✓ analysing the results and
- ✓ presenting the work
 are all valuable skills that every clinician should have.

Exposure to research is useful for clinicians to be able to:

- critically appraise information
- use evidence-based medicine in their clinical practice

Σε λίγα χρόνια μόνο videos!









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Τα χρόνια της ειδίκευσης

FIG. 1.

The training pathway. FY, foundation year; CT, core surgical training; ST, specialty training; CCT, Certificate of Completion of Training.

Foundation Training	Core training	Specialist Training	
FY1-FY2	CT1-CT2	CT3-CT6	
Close supervision Range of competencies	 Common surgical knowledge and skills Generic professional behaviours 	Urology posts to allow development of skills for practice Introduction to some specialist areas of Urology	
	Brief exposure to a number of surgical specialities	ST7	
		Part 1- demonstration of competency in general urological conditions leading to CCT award Part 2- Sub-specialization	

TABLE 2 Recommendations for the future of urology training

Recommendations

- Greater use of validated simulation methods, particularly VR simulation, in core urology training and assessment.
- Development of curricula for training in newer technologies, e.g. robot-assisted surgery.
- 3. Protected research time for trainees.

Το μέλλον «λέγεται» ρομποτική χειρουργική!



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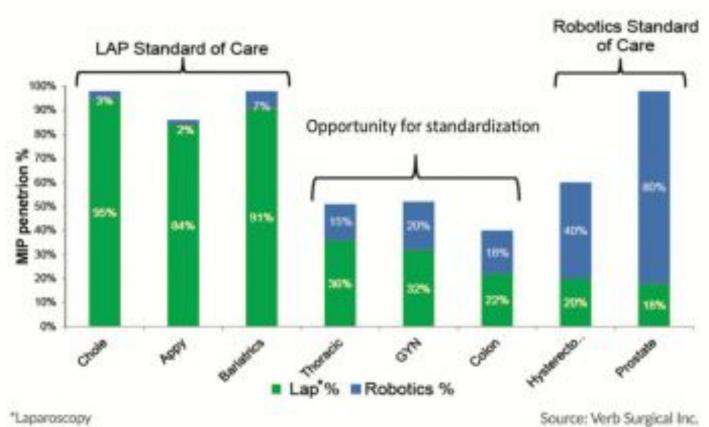
Training Modalities in Robot-assisted Urologic Surgery: A Systematic Review

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Το μέλλον «λέγεται» ρομποτική χειρουργική!

- More than 3,600 of its da Vinci machines in hospitals around the world.
- The number of surgical procedures, ~700,000 in 2015, has steadily risen and was 15% year-over-year 2014 to 2015.
- According to Fortune, within five years 1/3 of U.S. surgeries (from 15% today) will be performed with robotic systems.
- Nevertheless, an increasing number of new players are entering the marketplace.

Intuitive Surgical

Intuitive is quite profitable. In their most recent quarterly earnings report (Q2 2016) they showed 16% growth year-over-year and net income of \$185 million for the quarter, compared with \$135 million for the same quarter of 2015.

Intuitive also has problems: according to its 2015 Annual Report, the company is a defendant in 92 individual product liability lawsuits about patients who were either injured or died. The company is also a defendant in a Missouri lawsuit that represents 55 plaintiffs. To settle other lawsuits Intuitive recorded pretax charges of \$13.8 million and \$82.4 million in 2014 and 2015, respectively.

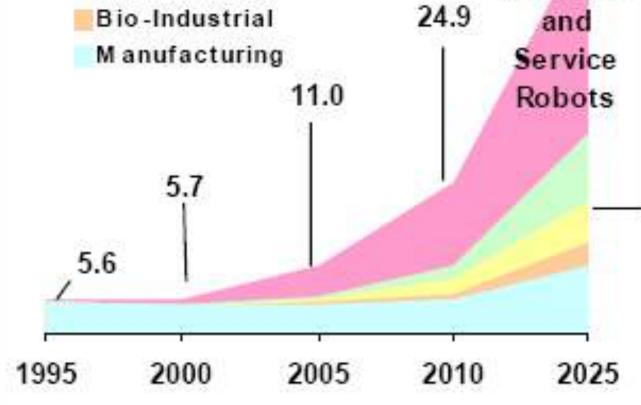


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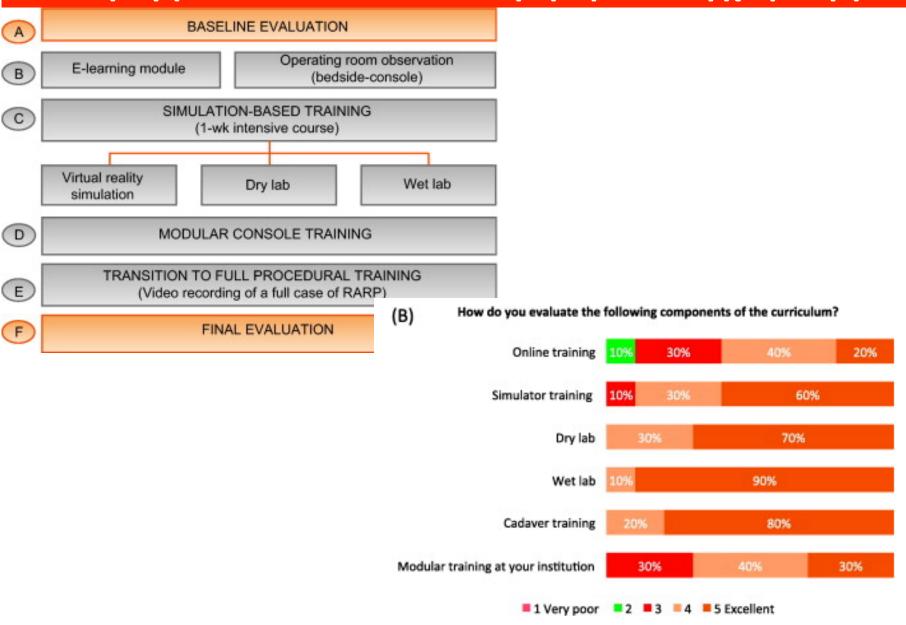
Το μονοπώλιο τελείωσε επιτέλους!

- 1. Verb Surgical, with deep pockets from partners Google/ Alphabet and Johnson & Johnson
- 2. Medtronic bought Covidien to launch its surgical robot before mid-2018
- 3. TransEnterix acquired the surgical robotics division of SOFAR Spa, an Italian healthcare and pharma company which has spearheaded the TELELAP ALF-X
- 4. **Titan Medical** is developing the Sport Surgical System which will debut in the United States mid 2017
- 5. Medrobotics' Flex Robotic System provides robot-assisted visualization and surgical site access
- **6. Medtech** designs, develops and markets ROSA, a new generation of robotic assistance for the express purpose of improved surgical techniques.
- 7. Cambridge Medical Robotics (CMR) is a UK startup developing a universal robotic system for minimal access surgeries.
- 8. Others, developing robotic surgical devices, particularly in Korea, Japan and China

Worldwide Robotics Market Growth (\$US billions) 66.4 Home* Medical/Welfare Public Sector Personal 24.9 Bio-Industrial and M anufacturing Service Robots



Η ανάγκη για ενα curriculum στην ρομποτική χειρουργική!

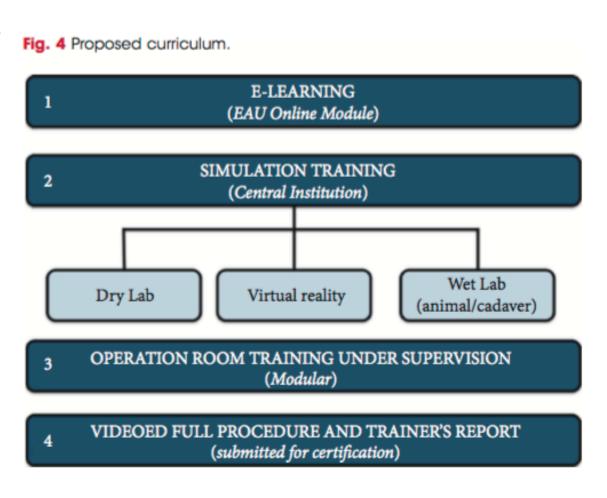


Volpe A, et al: Eur Urol, 68:292-299, 2015

Robotics and Laparoscopy

Development of a standardised training curriculum for robotic surgery: a consensus statement from an international multidisciplinary group of experts

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Early Intermediate Advanced

General Urology

- SPC, circumcision, scrotal surgery,
- Bench and animal models
- Human cadavers (masterclass)

Endourology

- UCS, BOTOX, TURP, PVP and URS
- Bench and VR models
- Appropriate cases

Laparoscopy

- Generic skills
- VR and dry-lab training

General nontechnical skills

- Consenting a patient
- Explanation of procedure etc.

Crisis resource management

 Common urological emergencies in the ward setting

Full immersion simulation

 Common procedure-specific OR scenarios — TURP and URS

General Urology

- SPC, circumcision, scrotal surgery
- Bench and animal models
- Human cadavers (masterclass)

Endourology

- TURP, PVP, HoLEP, URS, PCNL
- Bench and VR models
- Human cadavers (masterclass)

Laparoscopy

- Procedural skills
- VR and dry-lab training

Robotics

- Generic skills
- VR and dry-lab training

Crisis resource management

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Full immersion simulation

 Common procedure-specific OR scenarios — laparoscopic procedures

Open surgery

- Emergency procedures
- Female and reconstructive surgery
- Human cadavers

Endourology

- HoLEP, URS, PCNL
- Bench and VR models
- Human cadavers (masterclass)

Laparoscopy

- Procedural skills
- Wet-lab training

Robotics

- Procedural skills
- Dry-lab and wet-lab training

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- 1°ς χρόνος: εικονικοί ασθενείς και εκπαίδευση σε βασικές κλινικές (και απεικονιστικές) και χειρουργικές δεξιότητες σε προσομοιωτές (dry lab και μοντέλα εκπαίδευσης) εξετάσεις E-BLUS (EAU)
- 2ος χρόνος: έρευνα στην Ουρολογία και εκπαίδευση στα εργαλεία της ενδοουρολογίας και χρήση τους σε υβριδικούς προσομοιωτές και wet lab
- 3°ς χρόνος: γενική Ουρολογία / κλασσική Ουρολογική χειρουργική + ενδοουρολογία και εκπαίδευση σε προσομοιωτές εικονικής πραγματικότητας σε λαπαροσκοπική/ρομποτική χειρουργική
- 4°ς χρόνος: υποειδικότητες Ουρολογίας εικονικοί ασθενείς (δύσκολα περιστατικά) και εκπαίδευση σε προσομοιωτές εικονικής πραγματικότητας
- 5°ς χρόνος: χειρουργική εκπαίδευση σε όλο το φάσμα των κλασσικών επεμβάσεων (ανοικτών λαπαροσκοπικών ενδοουρολογικών)

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6^{ος} χρόνος: εξειδίκευση (προαιρετικά)





Η χαμένη ευκαιρία του κ. Σοφρά...

WHAT IS SIMULATE?

SIMULATE is the name of a Research Group, based in the Olympus Simulation Lab at Guy's Hospital and affiliated to the MRC Centre for Transplantation and Vatikutti Institute of Robotic Surgery, King's College London. The group are led by Professor Prokar Dasgupta, Chair for Robotic Surgery and Surgical Innovation, Vatikutti Institute of Robotics & MRC Centre for Transplantation, King's College London. The group have and aim to conduct research to provide high-level evidence for simulation-based training in Urology.



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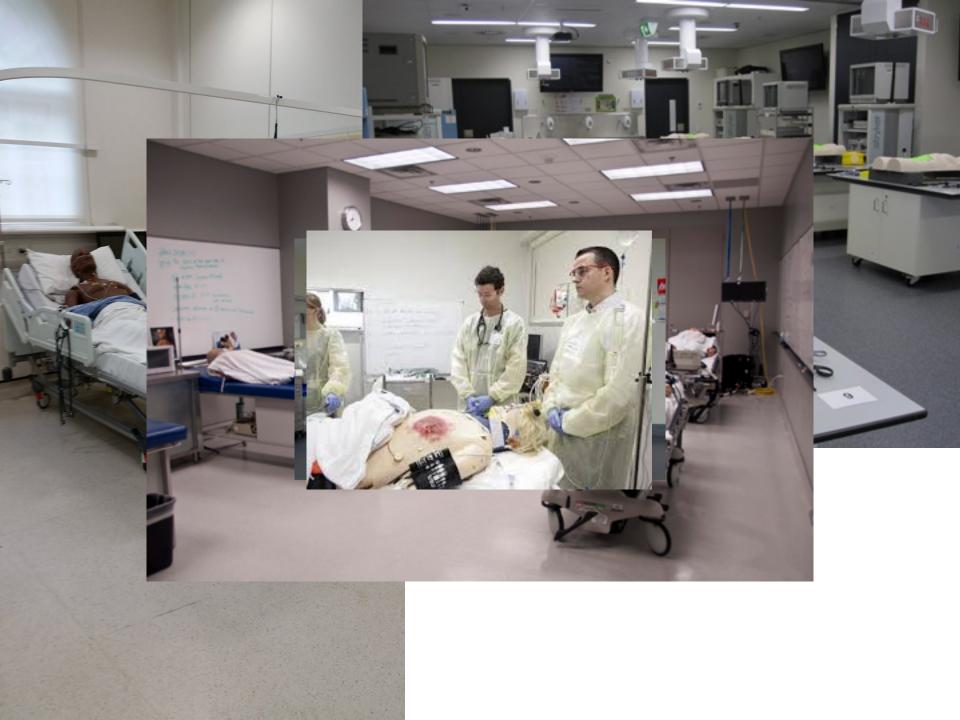


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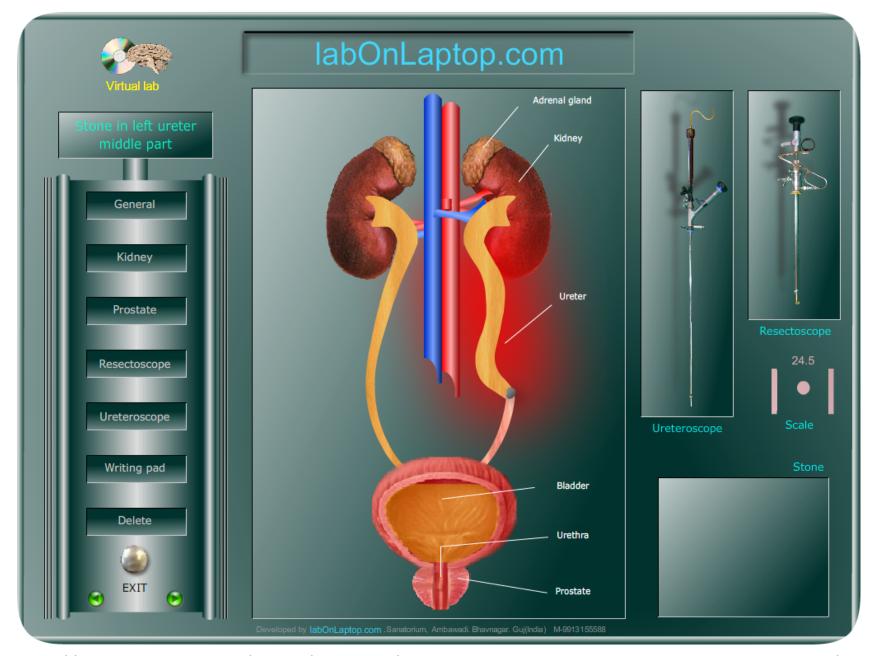












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Making Science Exciting!

Children's Urology teamed up with Austin's children's museum, The Thinkery, to give families a peek into what it's like to be a surgeon. Children (and adults!) had a chance to test drive the da Vinci medical robot, a technology used in complex pediatric urology procedures. The goal was to expose children to science and innovation using an interactive surgical simulation. Click here to learn more.

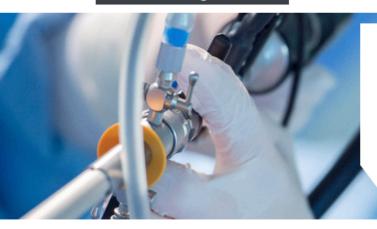






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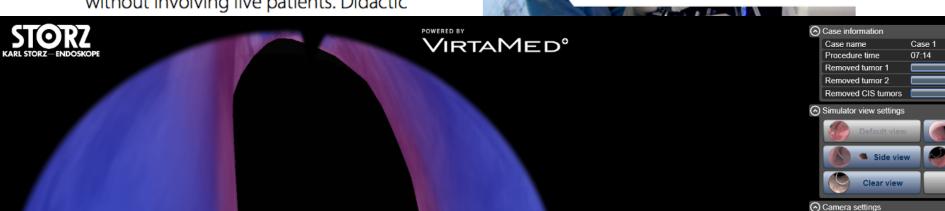


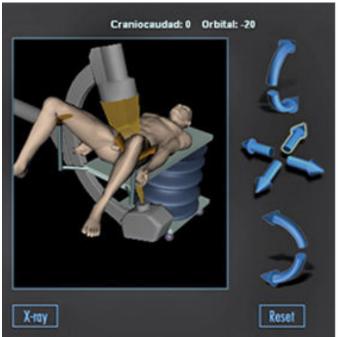
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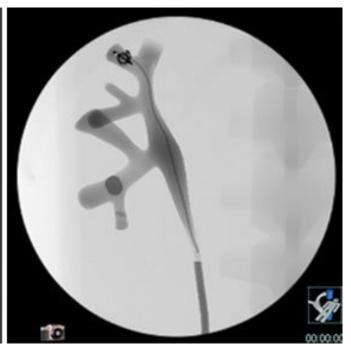
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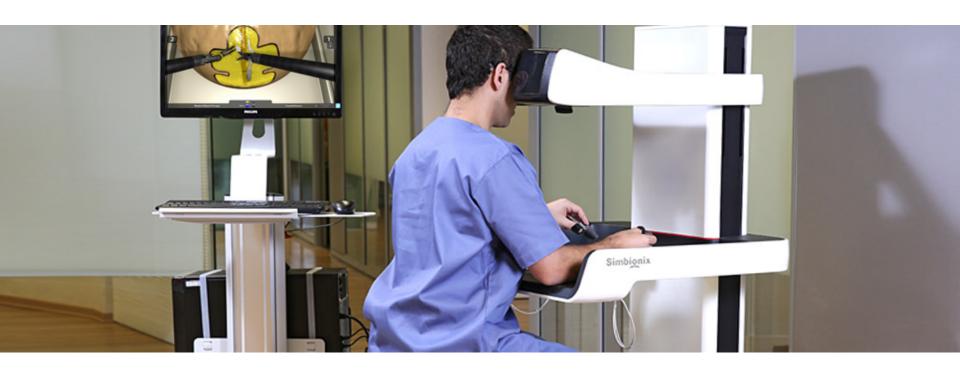




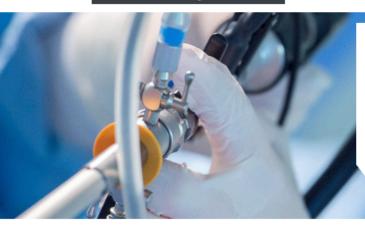












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'Huge leap' in prostate cancer testing

By James Gallagher Health and science reporter, BBC News website

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Η απεικόνιση οδηγεί τις εξελίξεις!





PREOPERATIVE PROCEDURE REHEARSAL

3D Visualization for Patient Specific Endovascular Procedures

Interventional procedures might pose challenges even to the most experienced physicians. The PROcedure Rehearsal Studio™ was developed to assist clinicians prepare for their upcoming intervention by using segmentation technology to create a patient specific 3D anatomical model based on scanned images.

The 3D model can be exported to a virtual simulation environment, used by CAD software or physically printed by 3D printers, for the purpose of simulating, analyzing and evaluating pre-operative surgical treatment options.

3D model Simulation Actual procedure

CT Scan

3D

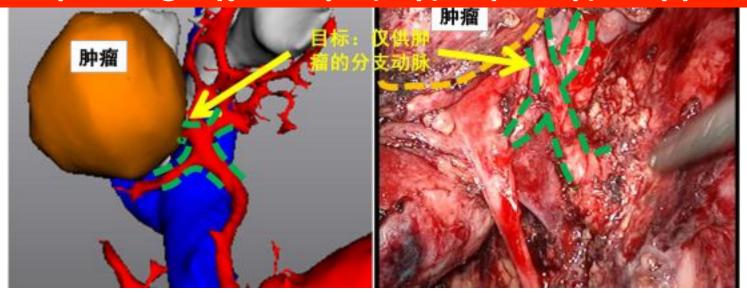
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Το μέλλον «λέγεται» 3D printing!



3D printing: σχεδιασμός της αυριανής επέμβασης

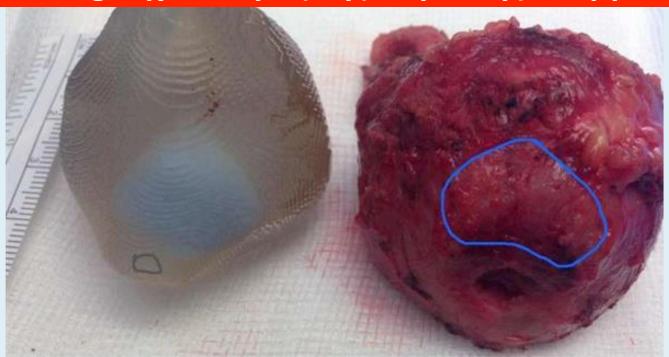


London doctor uses 3D printed model to successfully remove prostate tumor

Mar 4, 2016 | By Benedict

In November 2015, Prokar Dasgupta, Professor of Urology at the London Clinic, successfully removed a cancerous tumor from a patient's prostate using a 3D printed replica prostate as a pre-surgical aid. Dr Clare Allen, a consultant radiologist at the clinic, facilitated the 3D printing process.

3D printing: σχεδιασμός της αυριανής επέμβασης



The 3D printed model (left) and removed specimen with tumor area circled

65-year-old Alexander Spyrou, a resident of London, UK, must have been extremely worried when doctors discovered a malignant tumor in his prostate. After skin cancer, prostate cancer is the most common form of cancer found in men, and although it can often be treated successfully, it is still the fifth most deadly cancer amongst males—the cancer caused 307,000 deaths in 2012 alone.

3D printing: αντικατάσταση οργάνων

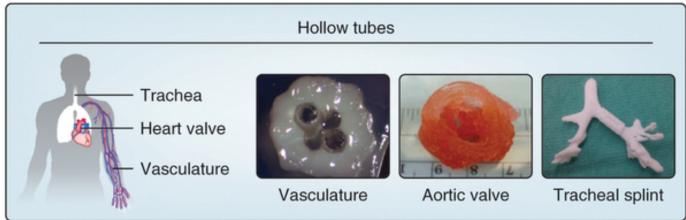


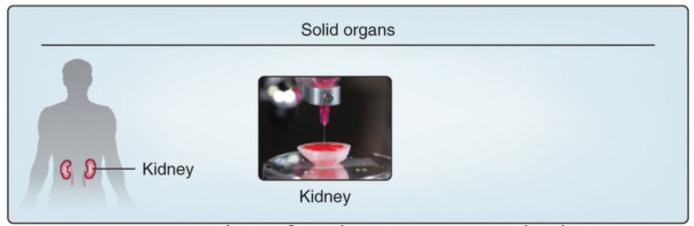


3D printing: απο μύτη σε νεφρό...





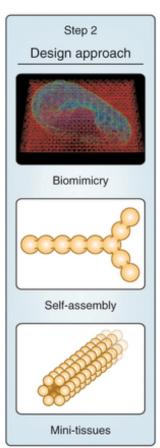




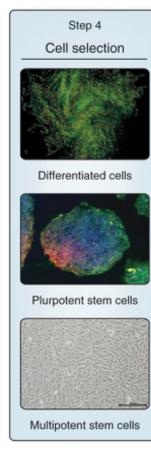
Murphy SV & Atala A: Nature Biotechnology 32, 773-785 (2014)

A typical process for bioprinting 3D tissues.





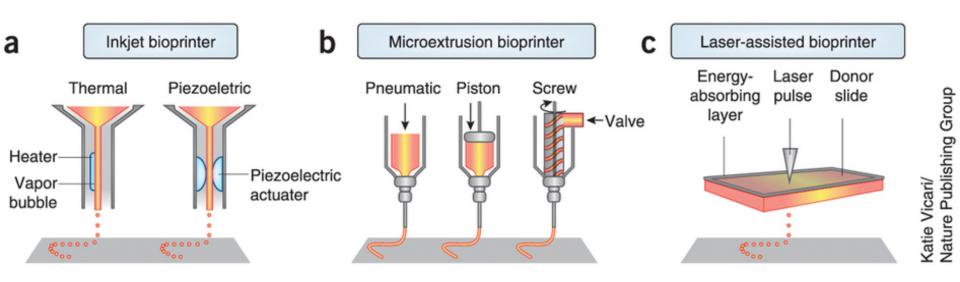






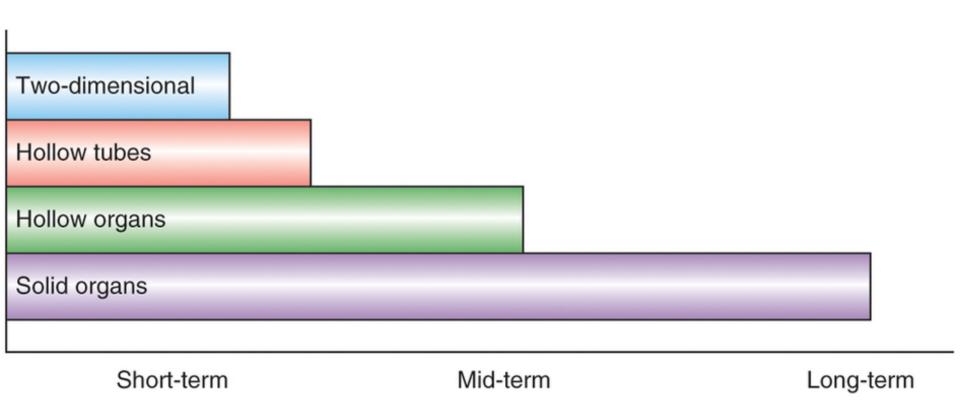


Components of inkjet, microextrusion and laser-assisted bioprinters.

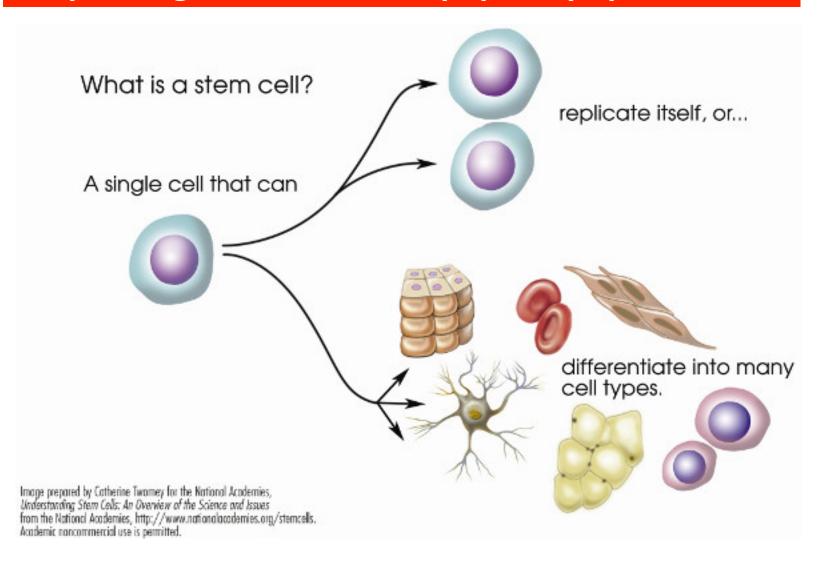


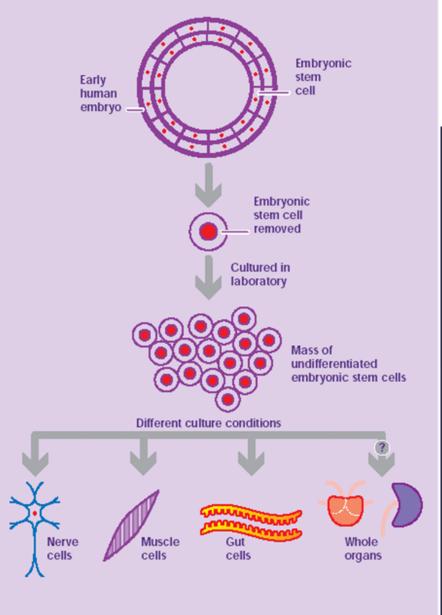
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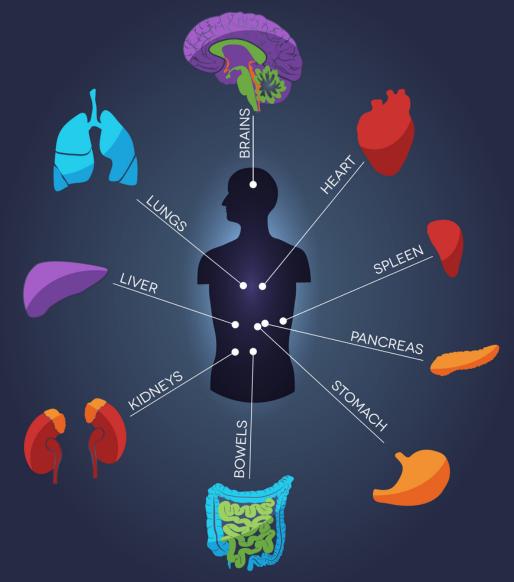
Timeframe for the development of various types of 3D bioprinted tissues.



3D printing και stem cells: η πρόκληση είναι εδώ!

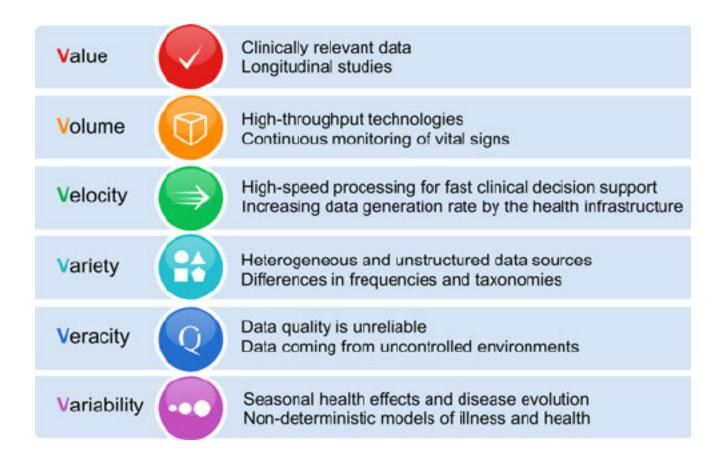


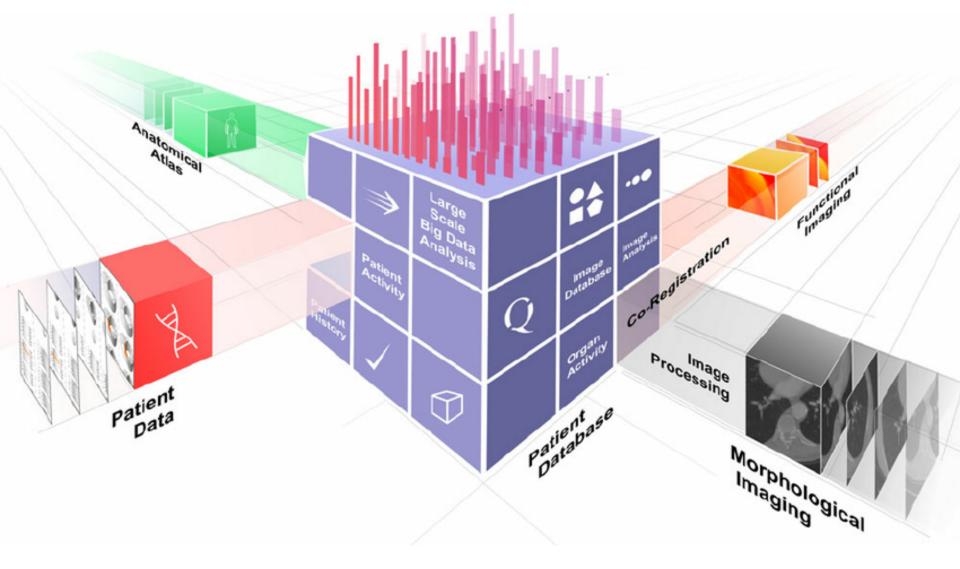






Six V's of big data

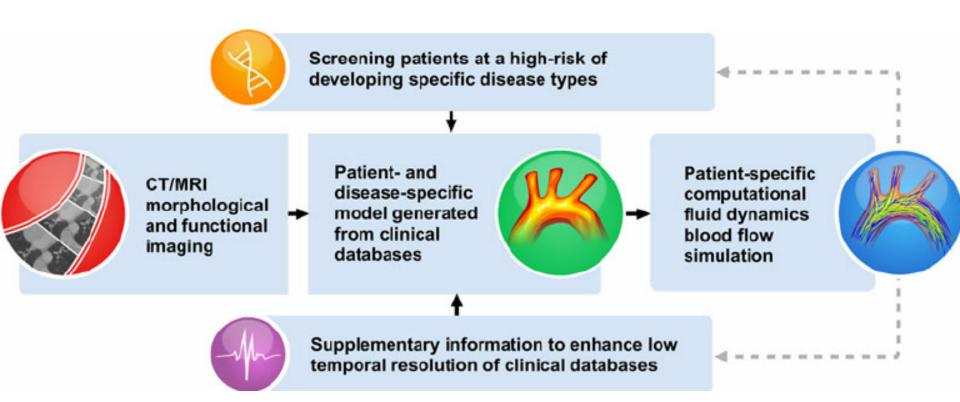


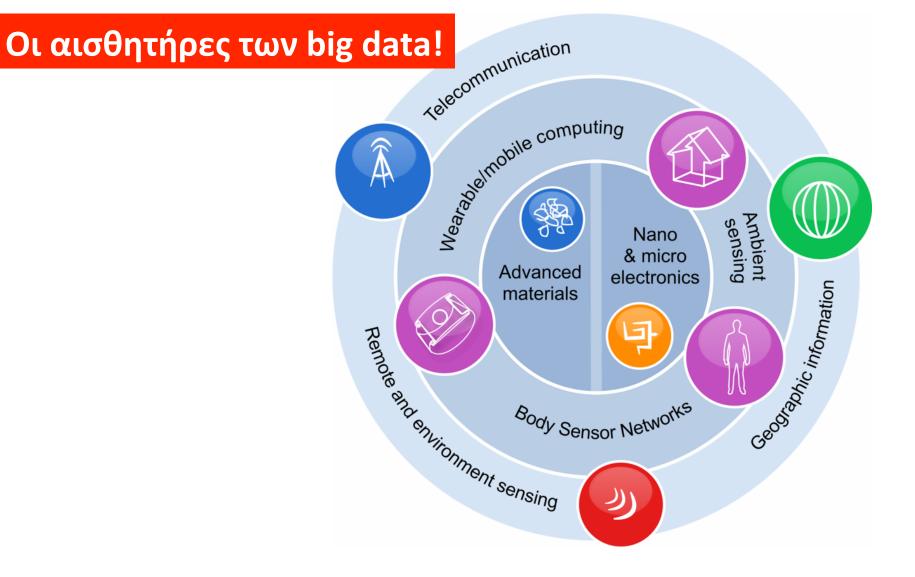


Η μεγάλη ανατροπή στο ρόλο του γιατρού!

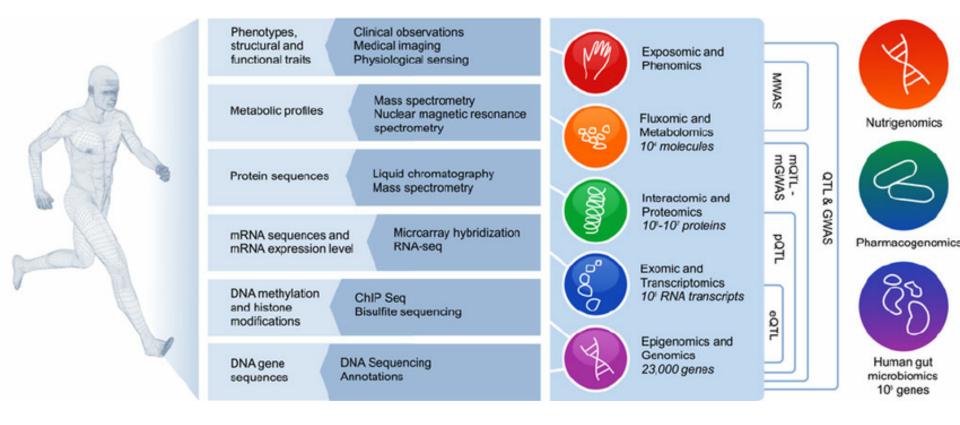
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Πρόληψη – διάγνωση – σχεδιασμός θεραπείας από υπολογιστή!





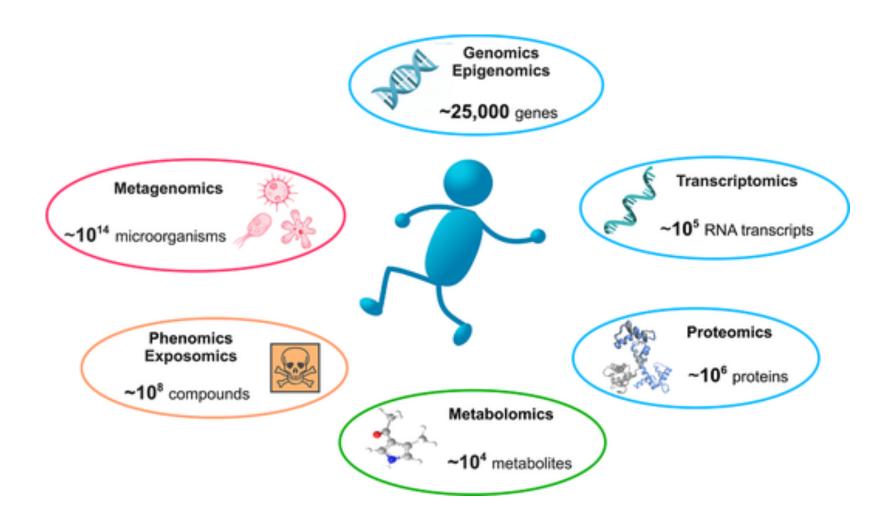
Big sensing data in health are all around us, enabled by technologies ranging from nano- and microelectronics, advanced materials, wearable/mobile computing, and telecommunication systems as well as remote sensing and geographic information systems. The inner loop presents technologies for sensor components, while the middle loop presents devices and systems potentially own by each individual or household. The outer loop presents sensing technologies required at the community and public health level.



OMICS: απο την κατηγοριοποίηση στην ιατρική ακριβείας!

Outline of the "OMICS" approach for studying disease mechanisms. OMICS aims at collectively characterizing and quantifying groups of biological molecules that translate into the structure, function, and dynamics of an organism. The OMICS profile of each individual, including the genome, transcriptome, proteome, and metabolome, should be eventually linked up with phenotypes obtained from clinical observations, medical images, and physiological signals. Different acquisition technologies are required to collect data at each biological level. Interaction within each level and across different levels as well as with the environment, including nutrition, food, drugs, traditional Chinese medicine, and gut microbiome presents grand challenges in future bioinformatics research.

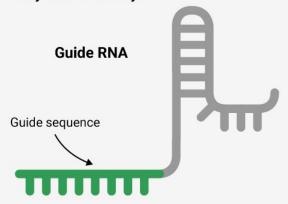
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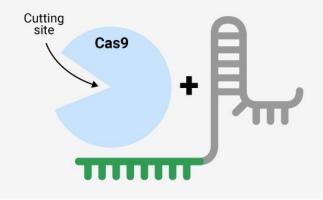
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EDITING A GENE USING THE CRISPR/CAS9 TECHNIQUE

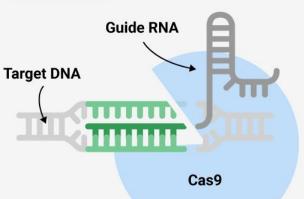
Scientists create a genetic sequence, called a "guide RNA," that matches the piece of DNA they want to modify.



This sequence is added to a cell along with a protein called Cas9, which acts like a pair of scissors that cut DNA.

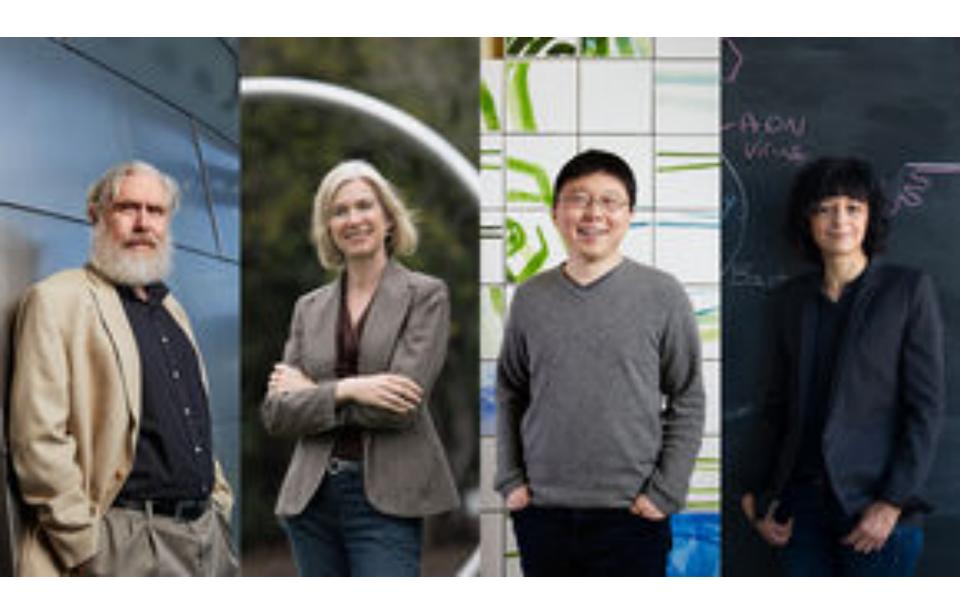


The guide RNA homes in on the target DNA sequence, and Cas9 cuts it out. Once their job is complete, the guide RNA and Cas9 leave the scene.



Now, another piece of DNA is swapped into the place of the old DNA, and enzymes repair the cuts. Voilà, you've edited the DNA!

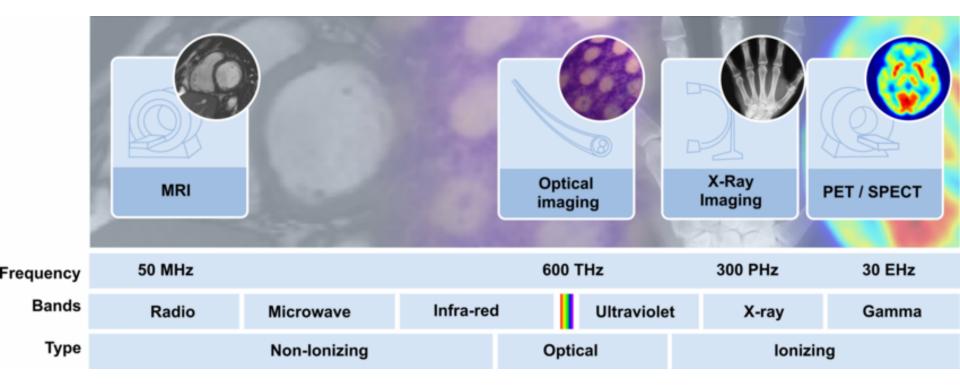








Round one of CRISPR patent legal battle goes to the Broad Institute



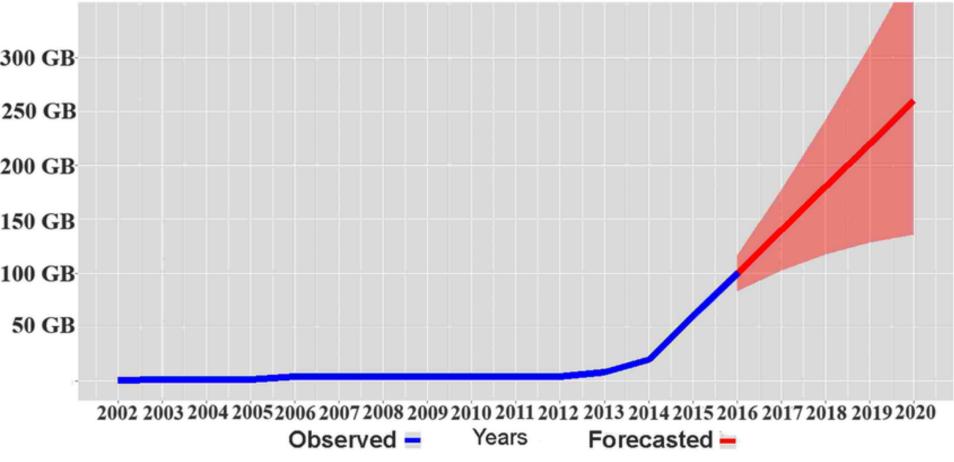
Η επόμενη ημέρα στην απεικόνιση!

Different imaging modalities across the electromagnetic spectrum. They are playing an increasingly important role in early diagnosis, treatment planning, and deploying direct therapeutic measures.

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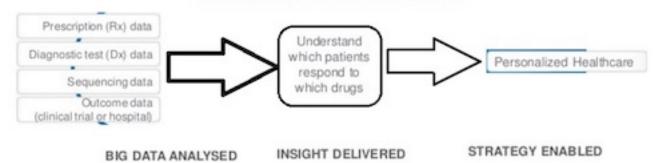
Amount of RAM needed and forecasted to be used in neuroimaging studies

Observed and forecasted amount of memory used in Neuroimaging studies



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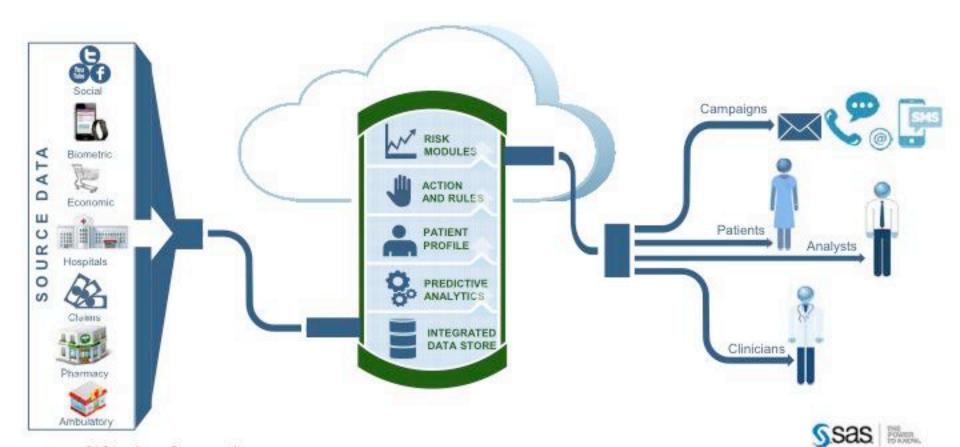
Personalized Healthcare



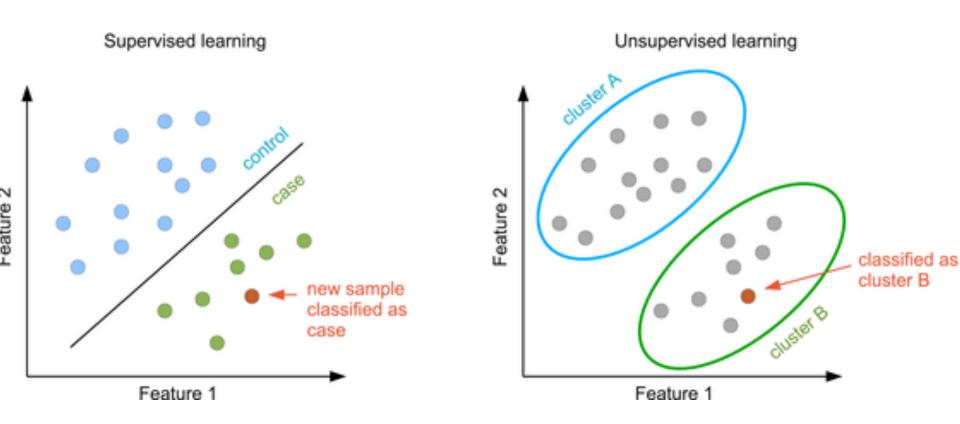


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of health data is unstructured and stored in hundreds of forms such as lab results, images, and medical transcripts.

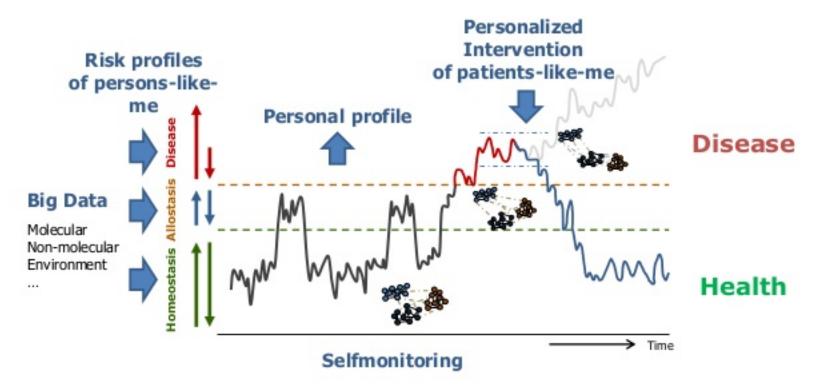


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Personalized Health(care) model

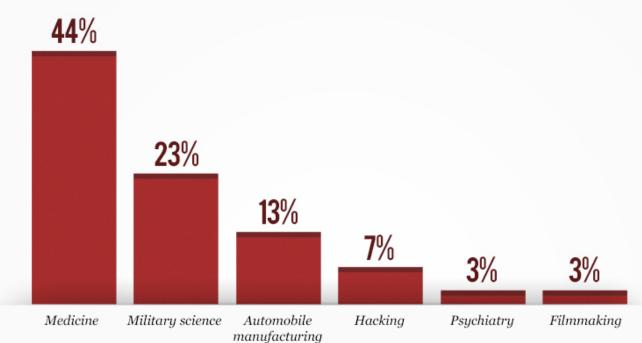


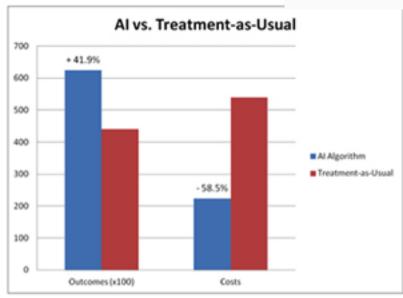
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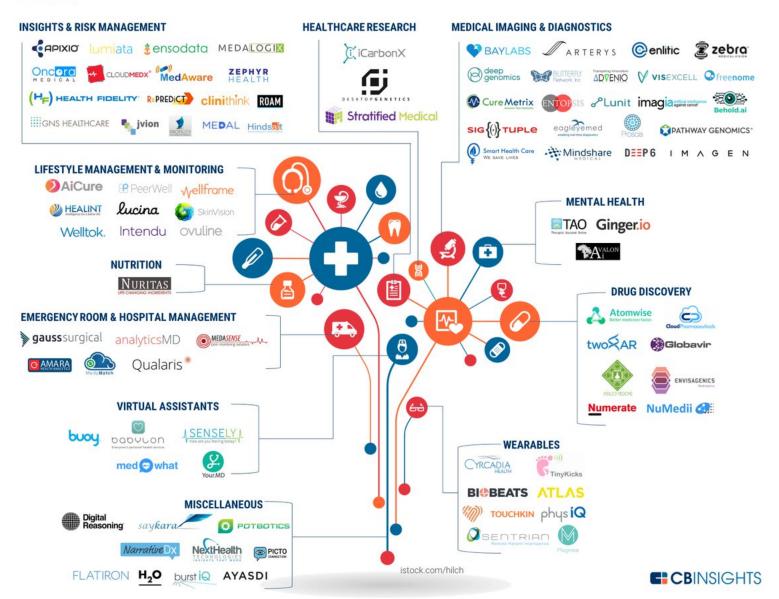








90+ STARTUPS TRANSFORMING HEALTHCARE WITH AI



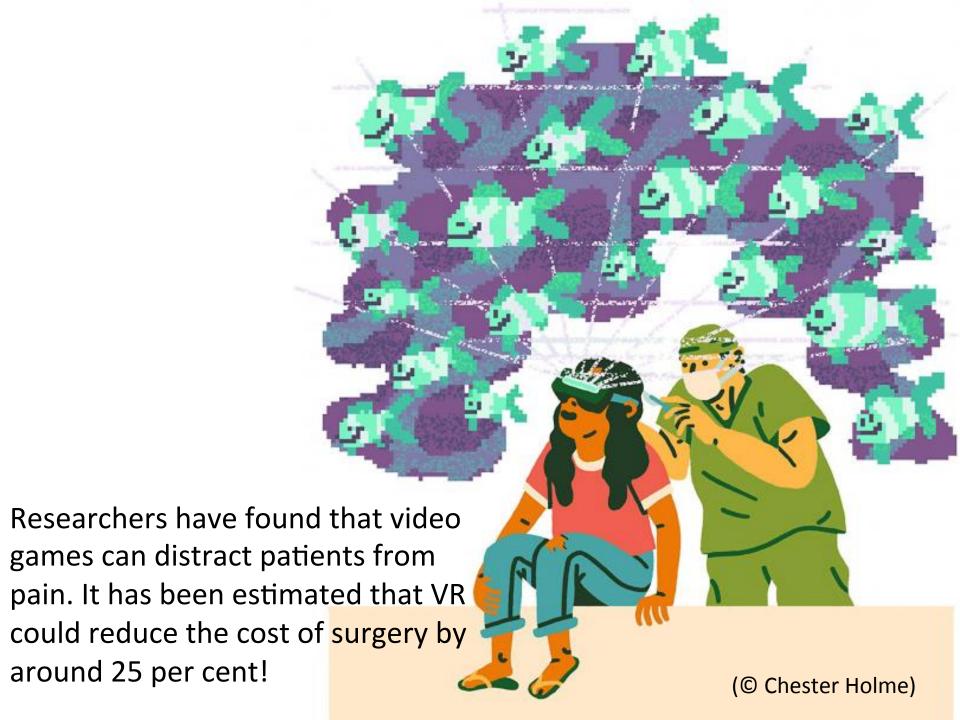
"Healthcare in a Click" The Rise of Mobile Healthcare

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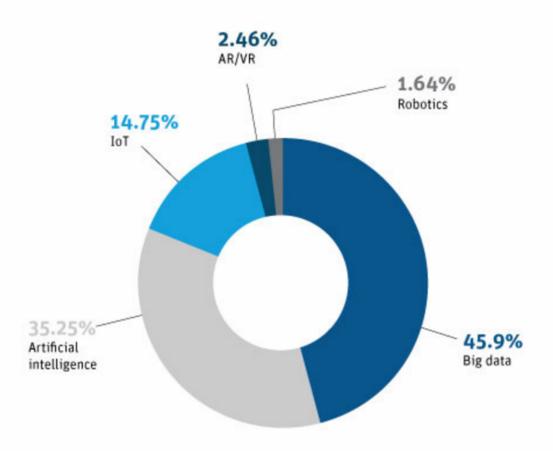
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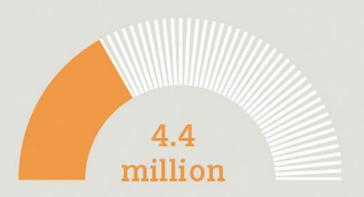


Which of the following technical innovations will have the greatest impact on healthtech in 2017?



http://www.mobihealthnews.com/content/silicon-valley-bank-survey-finds-big-data-ai-will-have-greatest-impact-healthcare-industry

Το μεγάλο πρόβλημα: δεν υπάρχουν 3 εκατομμύρια επιστήμονες πληροφορικής που είναι απαραίτητοι!



By 2020, 4.4 million IT jobs globally will be created to support Big Data. "But there is a challenge. There is not enough talent in the industry. Our public and private education systems are failing us. Therefore, only one-third of the IT jobs will be filled. Data experts will be a scarce, valuable commodity," said Peter Sondergaard, Senior Vice President at Gartner and Global Head of Research.



Η επόμενη ημέρα δεν μοιάζει πολύ με την σημερινή...

The mobile operating theatre, Igloo (Photo courtesy of © Imperial College London)