



**6th Edition of
The HealthMeet**
-The Future of Health: Human Centered AI

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Excellence Awards 2026

Friday, 29th May 2026, 10.00 am, Kolkata

Introduction:

Integrating artificial intelligence (AI) into healthcare is no longer a distant possibility but an accelerating reality reshaping the global and Indian healthcare landscape.

The global AI healthcare market is projected to grow from USD 19.27 billion in 2023 to around USD 613.81 billion by 2034, at a CAGR of approximately 36.83%, demonstrating AI's undeniable transformative potential. Today, India as a developing nation, is carving a prominent niche in this revolution. Reports estimate that the Indian AI healthcare market would achieve a remarkable CAGR of around 40.6% to reach around \$1.6 billion by 2025.

As India's healthcare sector is set to hit \$650 billion by 2025, growing at 22.5% between 2016 and 2022, AI's integration stands at the confluence of innovation and necessity. It promises to address critical challenges while creating a more efficient, accessible, and patient centric healthcare ecosystem. The future of health in India is rapidly evolving toward a human centered artificial intelligence (AI) model, where technology acts as an enabler to augment human expertise rather than replace it.

In the present context, India is embracing collaborative models to harness the potential of AI. The digital health roadmap, being the focal point, AI in healthcare is moving from the "buzz" phase to "decisive implementation," focusing on transition from experimental AI to scalable, trustworthy, and equitable AI tools to bring improved diagnostic solutions, and address challenges like rural urban divides, high patient density, and specialist shortages.

With this perspective, ASSOCHAM is organizing **6th Edition of HealthMeet**, themed *The Future of Health: Human Centered AI* on **Friday, 29th May 2026** at **10.00 am** at **Kolkata**.

Kindly join us as we propel a vision for developing the healthcare sector to encourage global industrialization.

Together, we can define the future of healthcare with the help of innovative concepts, digitalization, technological advancements, solutions, etc which would help in



transformation of business for a better future. It is now time to collaborate, show leadership, and pioneer change.

The conclave brings together senior government officials, top industry leaders, academia, MSMEs, startups, etc to discuss policies, practices, business developments, management strategies, etc to strengthen the entire ecosystem of healthcare business.

The conclave would showcase opportunities and address impediments in the healthcare sector by featuring a diverse array of best practices and case studies. The platform would provide networking opportunities to drive growth in the healthcare space.

Excellence Awards 2026

On the occasion of 6th Edition of HealthMeet, ASSOCHAM is organizing Business Excellence Awards to acknowledge and celebrate the achievements of corporates, MSMEs, startups and the best business practices followed by them, leading to business transformation and sustainability. The business excellence awards are highest recognition which has a significant and positive impact.

(Kindly refer below the Award categories and for registration purposes, please use the attached nomination form. Kindly note that Awards are made at the discretion of the selection committee, based on nominations received)

Objective:

The conclave aims to accelerate the adoption of artificial intelligence (AI) in the healthcare ecosystem to empower healthcare professionals and improve patient outcomes, rather than replacing the human element.

Focus Discussions:

- Digital healthcare and artificial intelligence (AI) – Opportunities, challenges and future prospects
- Regulatory framework for streamlining healthcare operations
- Operationalizing Human Centered AI for global competitiveness
- Skill development and literacy for driving growth in healthcare
- Infrastructure and logistics for economic stability and growth
- Integration of AI on pharmaceuticals and medical devices – A step towards optimizing development, manufacturing and market access
- Best practices and initiatives for quality healthcare system
- Business linkages and collaborations – Shifting from volume to value
- Health Insurance - Leading to a safer future



Target Participants:

Healthcare Professionals & Clinicians || Government & Regulatory Officials || Hospital Leaders & Administrators || HealthTech & AI Innovators || Technology & AI Experts || Academia || Researchers || Health Insurance companies || Pharmaceutical Companies || Medical Devices Companies

Session Deliverables:

Actionable knowhow on advancing technological integration for a more practical, scalable and ethical healthcare solutions

Exposure to regulatory compliance roadmap and strategic frameworks for greater improvement of patient care and operational efficiency

Deliver on building business linkages and collaborations to boost healthcare ecosystem

Award Categories:

Leadership and Individual Excellence

Lifetime Achievement Award	CEO of the Year – Hospital Sector
CEO of the Year – Health Insurance Sector	Young Healthcare Entrepreneur of the Year
Outstanding Female Icon in Healthcare Sector	

Hospital and Healthcare Institutions

Multi Speciality Hospital of the Year	Hospital Chain of the Year
Green Hospital of the Year	Hospital of the Year – Emergency and Trauma Care
Excellence in Patient Safety and Care	Excellence in Clinical Services – Pain Management and Palliative Care

Diagnostics and Allied Healthcare

Diagnostic Centre of the Year – Standalone	Pathology Lab of the Year
Fertility Clinic of the Year	Nursing Institute of the Year

Healthcare Technology and Innovation

Best Use of AI in Healthcare	Digital Innovation in Healthcare and Robotic Technology
Digital Healthcare Platform of the Year	Smart Hospital Initiative of the Year



Pharma and Medical Devices

Pharma Company of the Year	Pharma Innovation of the Year (Product or Service)
Pharma Employer Brand of the Year	OTC Company of the Year
Medical Device Company of the Year	Pharmacy Chain of the Year

Insurance and Community Impact

Excellence in Health Insurance Service Provider	Excellence in Rural Health Initiative
Best Patient Friendly Insurance Product	Excellence in Claim Service

Documents to be enclosed:

1. Brief project report of maximum 1000 words outlining the activities undertaken towards contribution to the field of award applied for, and in what ways this contribution holds potential for constructive change and transformation in the field.
2. In case you are applying for multiple awards, please enclose a separate project report and appendix for each award category.
3. Photos and media coverages as an appendix to the Project Report.
4. The brochure of your organization.

Terms & Conditions:

- Award Nomination fee per category is **Rs. 20,000/- plus 18% GST including two delegate entries.**
- Fee once paid is non-refundable. ASSOCHAM will not be responsible for cancellation or delay of the programme for uncontrolled circumstances such as natural calamity, etc.
- Nomination form duly filled in along with payment details shall be considered for short listing process.
- No contact information of short listing agency or Jury shall be made available and any intervention to award process will lead to cancellation of nomination.
- Organization may opt to apply for multiple awards however the response must be complete in the application for consideration to awards.
- Any misleading information and inaccurate entry found in the form at any point of time will lead to disqualification.
- Jury decision is final and binding on all parties



Partnership Opportunities:

The conclave provides a host of sponsorship, branding and advertising opportunities, suited to meet your brand objectives. From thought leadership positioning, networking opportunities to high visibility branding and advertising campaigns, our packages are designed to maximize benefits and ensure high returns on your investments. The partnership deliverables are given below for your kind consideration. Be at the forefront to make this conclave a grand success.

Deliverables	Platinum Partner	Diamond Partner	Gold Partner	Silver Partner
Sponsorship Amount (plus 18% GST)	₹5,00,000/-	₹4,00,000/-	₹3,00,000/-	₹2,00,000/-
Speaking Slot in Inaugural Session	✓	✓	✓	-
Speaking Slot in Panel Session	✓	✓	✓	✓
Corporate Video Presentation	✓	✓	✓	✓
Logo Display on LED Backdrop	✓	✓	✓	✓
Logo Display in 'Thank you Partners' standee	✓	✓	✓	✓
Corporate Standees	✓	✓	✓	✓
Social Media Promotion	✓	✓	✓	-
Logo Display on the Event Banner in ASSOCHAM website	✓	✓	✓	✓
Company Literature in Delegate Kits	✓	✓	✓	✓
Complimentary Awards Nominations	1 Nos.	-	-	-
Complimentary Delegates	10 Nos.	7 Nos.	5 Nos.	3 Nos.

Exclusive Booth Space for Display

(2 x 2 Mtr Octanorm Stall) Rs 25000

Glimpses of Past Programme



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