“Healthcare (Data) for All: A Roadmap for India”

In India, as around the world, there is vast excitement about the power of Big Data and Artificial Intelligence in advancing healthcare delivery. And yet, the vast majority of clinical interactions in India are captured on handwritten paper records, or not at all. In September 2018, India launched the world’s largest health insurance scheme, offering coverage to 500 million people. The need to monitor and evaluate services and payments for this vast enterprise will finally provide the impetus needed to jumpstart India’s digital health data ecosystem. Dr. Balsari will present his team’s work on prototyping a federated, API-enabled, PHR-based model for health data exchange, that seeks to avoid the challenges of redundancy, inaccessibility and proprietorship seen with health data in the United States.

Thursday, November 15
1:05-1:50pm
GHP Conference Rm 1208
Building 1

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Light refreshments will be served

For questions about this event, please email Lindsey Goodwin at: lgoodwin@hsph.harvard.edu