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Studies Related to Foresight of Health Information Technology

Title	Year	Author(s)	Country	Objectives	Methodology	Time Horizon
<i>Nordic ICT Foresight: Futures of the ICT Environment and Applications on the Nordic Level</i>	2007	Ahlqvist et al.	Nordic countries	To contribute to the strategic intelligence of the Nordic region so that the full potential of information and communication technology (ICT) can be exploited to increase welfare in the Nordic countries	Survey SWOT (strengths, weaknesses, opportunities, and threats) analysis Scenario and vision workshop Road mapping workshop Action workshop	2007–2017
“Future Information Technology for the Health Sector—A Delphi Study of the Research Project FAZIT”	2009	Cuhls et al.	Germany	To identify developments in information technology that could become relevant during the next 20 years	Expert panel Delphi method Scenario building	2006–2030 and later
“ICT and the Future of Health Care: Aspects of Doctor-Patient Communication”	2014	Haluza and Jungwirth	Austria	To identify specifications and perceptions of different interest groups regarding future demands of ICT-supported doctor-patient communication in Austria	Scenario building Delphi method	2010–2030
“ICT and the Future of Health Care: Aspects of Health Promotion”	2015	Haluza and Jungwirth	Austria	To assess the prevailing opinions and expectations among Austrian stakeholders regarding ICT-assisted health promotion	Scenario building Delphi method	2010–2030