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Blockchain Potential and Opportunity in Health Care

Although revolutionary, the foundation of bitcoin is still being understood and adopted by the public. Additionally, as the technology is being utilized in various fields, several lessons learned are being gathered to educate others about its functionality. [An Overview of Blockchain Technology: Architecture, Consensus, and Future Trends](#) provides the reader with the history, utility and upcoming trends in the area of blockchain.

["Fit for Purpose?"-Challenges and Opportunities for Applications of Blockchain Technology in the Future of Health Care](#) is a comprehensive review of varying organizations and practitioners that have utilized blockchain technology. Blockchain is reviewed by educational institutions such as Harvard and Bayer Corporation, leaders in the pharmacy industry. Implementation and scalability strategies are discussed by leaders within these organizations and future implications for the expansion of this technology is reviewed.

[Datastamping the Bitcoin and Ethereum Bubbles](#) is a paper dedicated to the exploration of cryptocurrencies. Selected methodology, datastamping procedures and analysis are highlighted. Financial benefits of cryptocurrency are also analyzed.

The Department of Health and Human Services (HHS) has produced a brief describing the Office of Management and Budget implementation of the M-17-22 memo that established the ReImagine HHS (RHHS). [The BuySmarter Journey: Our Successes Thus Far](#) discusses the implementation efforts of over 150 thought leaders from across the agency to address challenges in creating an efficient agency that aligns with the overall mission.

After leaders from around the world declared that health is a fundamental human right, The World Health Organization (WHO) called for an access to universal health coverage. [From Blockchain Technology to Global Health Equity: Can Cryptocurrencies Finance Universal Health Coverage?](#) is an overview of the current problems facing global healthcare finance.



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