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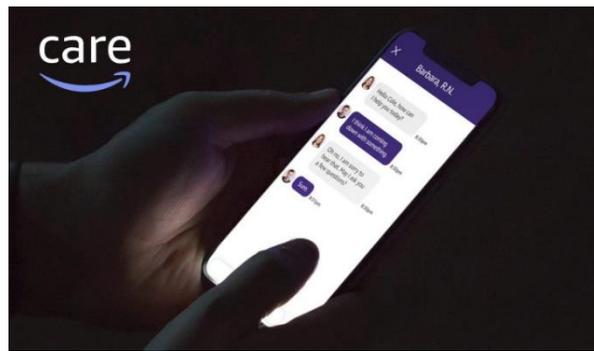


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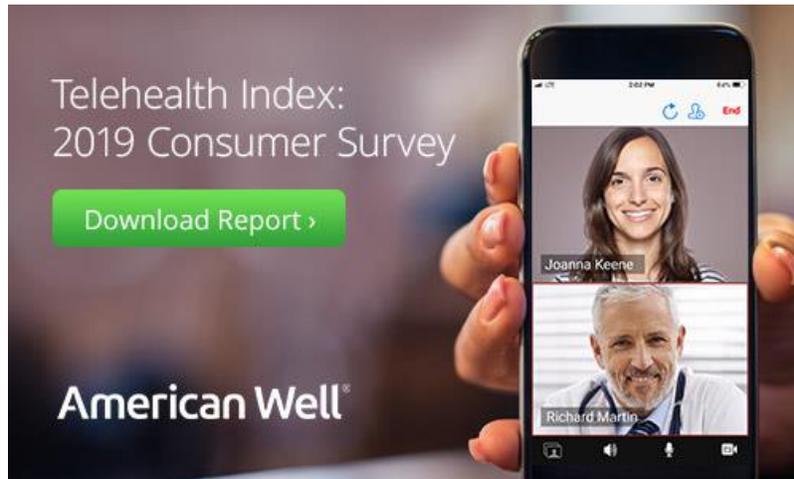


- Amazon launches **Amazon Care**, a virtual medical clinic for employees...
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- Which age groups want telehealth
- What is driving consumer adoption
- How to adapt programs to address consumer needs

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- Walmart expands \$1 a day education program to **deepen push in healthcare...**
- CVS promotes **insomnia app that could mainstream digital therapeutics...**
- **CVS launching new pharmacy solution** aimed at making it **easier for patients to obtain specialty drugs...**
- UnitedHealth report: **Connecting Medicare patients with 'high-value' docs could save billions...**

- After an investigation by MLK50 and ProPublica, **Methodist Le Bonheur Healthcare is erasing debt for unpaid hospital bills owed by more than 6,500 patients...**
  - Industry group passes **50% mark for value-based pay deals...**
  - **Medicare Advantage premiums to hit lowest point in over a decade...**
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  - **Pharmaceutical investments in cancer drugs soar despite few results...**
  - European biotech firm **BioNtech plans to raise nearly \$304M in US IPO...**
  - Coming out of Chapter 11, **Aegerion jumps into welcome arms of Irish pharma with big plans, fresh \$60M for its drugs...**
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  - 'I just want to live': **California man pleads with scientists around the world to 'CRISPR me'...**
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- This new **wearable tech is closing the gap between humans and cyborgs...**
  - In hunt for new drugs, **Amazon and other tech giants are using AI to find protein structures...**
  - **China's Tech Giants Take a Shot at Reinventing Healthcare...**
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## Government & Policy

- Administrator Verma tells insurers to **adopt reforms or face extinction through 'Medicare for All'...**
- CBO: **Fix backed by doctors for surprise medical bills would cost billions...**
- Massachusetts temporarily **banning sale of vaping products...**
- **UK Labour Party pledges to regulate pharmaceutical market...**
- Justice Department reveals its **number-crunching methods to catch opioid over-prescribers...**

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