



# Open Health Tools

## HEART Intro

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Improving the world's health and well-being by unleashing health IT innovation

# Purpose



- Shared platform to foster the exchange of reusable, version-controlled assets (artifacts)

# What is HEART?



## Original

- **H**ealth **E**nterprise **A**rchitecture **R**epository & **T**erminologies service
  - IT-related, non-code Enterprise Architecture [artifacts] assets

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Latest

- **H**ealth **I**T **A**sset **R**egistry, **R**epositories, and **T**ools
  - Single registry is the most valuable aspect
    - Library analogy – added value of the “card catalogue” to the [assets] stored in the library “stacks”
    - Enhances the value of the interrelationship of assets ACROSS repositories
    - Robust support for the full life-cycle of the assets within the repositories
  - Multiple real and virtual repositories are federated
    - Full range of code & non-code IT-related assets
    - Ideally includes both open source and commercial assets
  - Book-end the requirements
    - Address the needs of both Low Resource & High Resource Entities
    - Start with Low Resource communities and bring High Resource needs in later