Responding to the news that NHSX had published its listening to digital health innovators report, Richard Strong, vice president and managing director, EMEA, Allscripts, said:

"We very much welcome the collegiate approach taken by NHSX to ensure that they seek industry views to drive forward NHS digital ambitions.

"Allscripts adheres to the view that interoperability between the various health and social care IT systems is key to creating a platform on which innovation can flourish.

"Having been selected on the Health Systems Support Framework, Allscripts had to demonstrate that it is an open, standards-based company, and that it can deploy its systems using a 'thin' or modular approach, so organisations can obtain the functionality they need.

"Allscripts is very committed to open standards, but standards need to be set in collaboration with industry. We strongly believe that if open technology standards are embedded in the NHS procurement process, it will support new models of care leading to improved patient outcomes and greater service efficiency."