

The GNU Health project in collaboration with the education working groups of HELINA and SAHIA are pleased to present the following virtual events:

**Libre/Open-Source Health Applications for Africa:  
An introductory online seminar series: Event #2:**

## When?

**10 February 2021**

18h30 CET  
19h30 SAST (CAT)  
20h30 EAT

Duration: 1 hour

## Who should attend?

The event is open to anybody interested in health informatics and libre/open-source software used in Healthcare.

## Cost?

The online seminar is free.

## To Join

No registration required.  
At the time of the seminar:

[Click Here](https://gnuhealth.fosshost.org/b/e-dq-kw1-8nl-2od)

Or type this URL into your internet browser.

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**Working together to improve development of health informatics in Africa.**

**Next event:  
GNU Health – ICD10 coding,  
recipes, referrals  
17 February 2021**

## Meet Your Host:



**Prof Graham Wright**  
SAHIA – EWG Chairperson  
HELINA – EWG Member

Professor Graham Wright is a chartered information systems practitioner with a clinical and managerial background.

He moved to South Africa to take up the Chair of Health Sciences Research at Walter Sisulu University in 2009 and Adjunct Professor in Health Informatics at Fort University in 2014.

He is a founding member of the International Academy of Health Sciences Informatics and a Fellow of the British Computer Society.

## Meet Your Presenter:



**Dr Axel Braun**  
Board Member Tryton Foundation  
Board member openSUSE  
GNU Health Core-Team

Dr. Axel Braun holds a PhD in Engineering.

He started his career in a big-6 consultancy in the early 1990s, worked as CTO in internet startups and partner in (consulting) companies.

He has 25+ years' experience as Business Consultant for Supply Chain Processes, Project Management and ERP Implementations.

Since the late 1990, when he moved his personal and office environment to free/libre software, he is an active contributor to free software project like openSUSE and GNU Health.

## ***GNU Health: Philosophy and Main Function***

In this presentation you learn about the philosophy behind the GNU Health project, its technology and the main functional areas that are covered by the software and its ecosystem.

After the session you know about the advantages of free/libre software especially in healthcare and can identify the benefits of GNU Health for a practitioner's office, a hospital, or a nationwide health network.