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Petra Wilson is a director for the Public Sector Healthcare team of the Cisco Internet Business Solutions Group (IBSG), focusing on helping customers develop their strategies and implementation plans for “Connected Health” information management and technology.

Previously, she was deputy director of the European Health Management Association (EHMA), a membership organization committed to improving healthcare in Europe by standards of managerial performance in the health sector. At EHMA she had responsibility for the association’s Brussels’ office and, in particular, EHMA’s relationship with the European Commission. In that role, Wilson advised a wide number of European healthcare organizations on EU-level health policy and assisted them in engaging with policy-makers in the Commission.

Prior to EHMA, Wilson worked directly for the European Commission in its eHealth Directorate. She worked specifically on the European eHealth Action Plan, which commits all member states of the European Union to adopt road maps for the implementation of Connected Health solutions. Wilson also advised the Commission on legal and ethical issues surrounding use of information technologies in healthcare.

Originally trained in law, Wilson spent several years as a lecturer and Senior Research Fellow at Nottingham University, UK, specializing in healthcare law and European law.

Wilson has a Ph.D. in public health law from Oxford University. Originally from the UK, Wilson is fluent in English, German, and French.



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