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Hacking Health in the Caribbean

For the first time San Juan, Puerto Rico will be host city for this Hackaton that will draw medical professionals, developers, as well as programming students to discuss, plan and program technological products that use creative programming to address health needs.

The Hackathon will feature a team-approach to programming and awards will be provided to the teams with the most innovative solutions. Students from all disciplines are invited to apply to participate in the Hackathon. Women students are encouraged to apply. No previous experience in hacking is required. For students without previous hacking experience, a workshop will be held prior to the Hackathon.