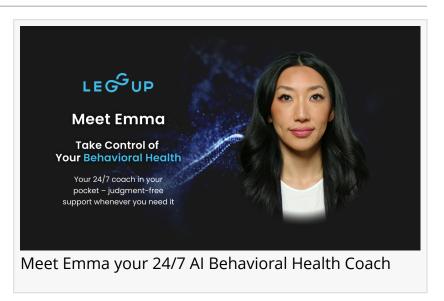


# LeggUP Deploys AI Health Coach Avatars with Memory to Global Healthcare Market

Specialized AI avatars deliver clinicallyproven behavioral health coaching 24/7 worldwide, remembering progress unlike generic chatbots like ChatGPT

NASHVILLE, TN, UNITED STATES, July 21, 2025 /EINPresswire.com/ -- As 112 million Americans living in provider shortage areas struggle to access behavioral health care, Nashville-based LeggUP today unveiled AI health coaches that bring evidence-based support directly to patients while



transforming how providers and payers deliver care. While tech giants like ChatGPT, Google, and Microsoft focus on general AI solutions, LeggUP creates evidence-based AI avatars trained on behavioral health protocols to serve the global behavioral health crisis.

With ambitious plans to support 100 million people globally, LeggUP's breakthrough technology promises to revolutionize how the world accesses behavioral health support. The platform methodology is validated by over 60 peer-reviewed studies and real-world data from over 10,000 members across 30,000 coaching sessions.

#### DEMOCRATIZING ACCESS TO BEHAVIORAL HEALTH CARE

LeggUP's consumer app, launching this fall, will provide direct patient access to the same AI health coaches used by healthcare organizations. This dual approach ensures patients can access care whether through their healthcare payor, provider or independently, addressing the critical gap between limited clinical capacity and growing mental health needs.

#### THE GLOBAL HEALTHCARE WORKFORCE SHORTAGE

Healthcare worker shortages have reached critical levels worldwide, while patients face monthslong waits for mental health care. Traditional staffing models are collapsing under unprecedented demand, leaving health systems overwhelmed and patients without essential care across multiple continents.

#### REVOLUTIONARY AI BEHAVIORAL COACHING SOLUTION LAUNCHES

LeggUP's "Human Health Reimagined" platform deploys 14 specialized AI health coaches—including Sophia for ADHD, Olivia for anxiety, Sarah for stress, Emma for health optimization, and Grace for parenting—providing 24/7 evidence-based behavioral health interventions. Unlike generic AI chatbots, these HIPAA-compliant healthcare avatars are trained on evidence-based protocols, remember patient information to create healthy habits, and deliver measurable patient outcomes.

#### PROVEN AI RESULTS

- ADHD Management: 56% symptom reduction
- Anxiety Treatment: 29% improvement vs. 8% with standard care
- Healthcare Worker Burnout: 25% reduction in just 12 weeks

## PIONEERING REGULATORY COLLABORATION AND SAFETY STANDARDS

As states nationwide introduce AI healthcare legislation, LeggUP is proactively working with state leaders, attorney generals' offices, and regulatory bodies to establish industry-leading safety standards for AI health coaching. Operating within the established scope of health coaching—which focuses on wellness education, lifestyle support, and motivation rather than medical diagnosis or treatment—LeggUP's platform addresses the regulatory gap between unregulated wellness apps and licensed medical practice.

"We believe in proactive collaboration with regulators to establish responsible <u>AI health coaching</u> <u>standards</u>," said Tom Finn, CEO and Co-Founder of LeggUP. "Our team actively engages with state regulators to ensure AI health coaching platforms meet the highest safety, transparency, and efficacy standards while staying within appropriate scope of practice boundaries."

## TRANSFORMING GLOBAL HEALTHCARE

"We're witnessing healthcare's iPhone moment," said Tom Finn, CEO and Co-Founder of LeggUP. "Our AI health coaches multiply clinical capacity without hiring, reduce costly readmissions, and deliver care to communities worldwide that lack behavioral health providers. This technology doesn't replace medical professionals—it extends their reach to every patient who needs help, whether they access care through their healthcare system or directly through our consumer platform."

The platform brings patients, providers, and payers together with a shared focus on improving health outcomes, reducing barriers to care, and making behavioral health support accessible when and where it's needed most. LeggUP directly targets healthcare's biggest cost drivers while improving population health outcomes across underserved communities globally.

## MASSIVE AI MARKET TRANSFORMATION UNDERWAY

With over 57 million Americans experiencing mental health conditions annually and traditional therapy waitlists extending months, the convergence of AI technology and behavioral health creates unprecedented opportunities. The <u>AI healthcare market is exploding toward \$674 billion</u> by 2034, as healthcare organizations worldwide seek scalable solutions while traditional staffing

models collapse under unprecedented demand.

#### ABOUT LEGGUP

LeggUP is the leading AI-powered behavioral health coach platform designed for healthcare organizations and direct patient access. Founded in 2017 with 8 years of experience serving over 50 enterprise clients, the company has delivered human coaching to over 10,000 members and leverages over 60 peer-reviewed studies to provide evidence-based behavioral health interventions through specialized AI avatars across 14 critical conditions. LeggUP's AI health coaches provide wellness education and lifestyle support and do not diagnose, treat, or prescribe medical interventions. LeggUP's mission is to support 100 million people globally through AI-powered behavioral health innovation.

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