



Digital Health for Practice Managers

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Let's discuss:

1. Current progress with My Health Record
2. ePIP
3. What's New

"It's a marathon not a sprint"



1967 - People did not believe women had the physical capability of running the 26.2 miles that make up a marathon.

"Sometimes, the people who benefit most from change are the people who are most afraid of it.

In this situation, many, many women would rather stick with the devil they know rather than the devil they don't. They were afraid."

Kathrine "K.V." Switzer

Later, some of her vocal critics became her friends.

My Health Record usage as at 4 September 2016



Updates every 38 seconds!

Usage as at 4 August 2016



1. Integrating Healthcare Identifiers
2. Data Records and Clinical Coding
3. ePrescribing
4. Secure Messaging
5. Upload Shared Health Summaries
to My Health Record for 0.5% of SWPE

(average of 5 health summaries per GP per quarter)

ePIP
requirements



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Australian Digital Health Agency

Access My Health Record via your clinical software

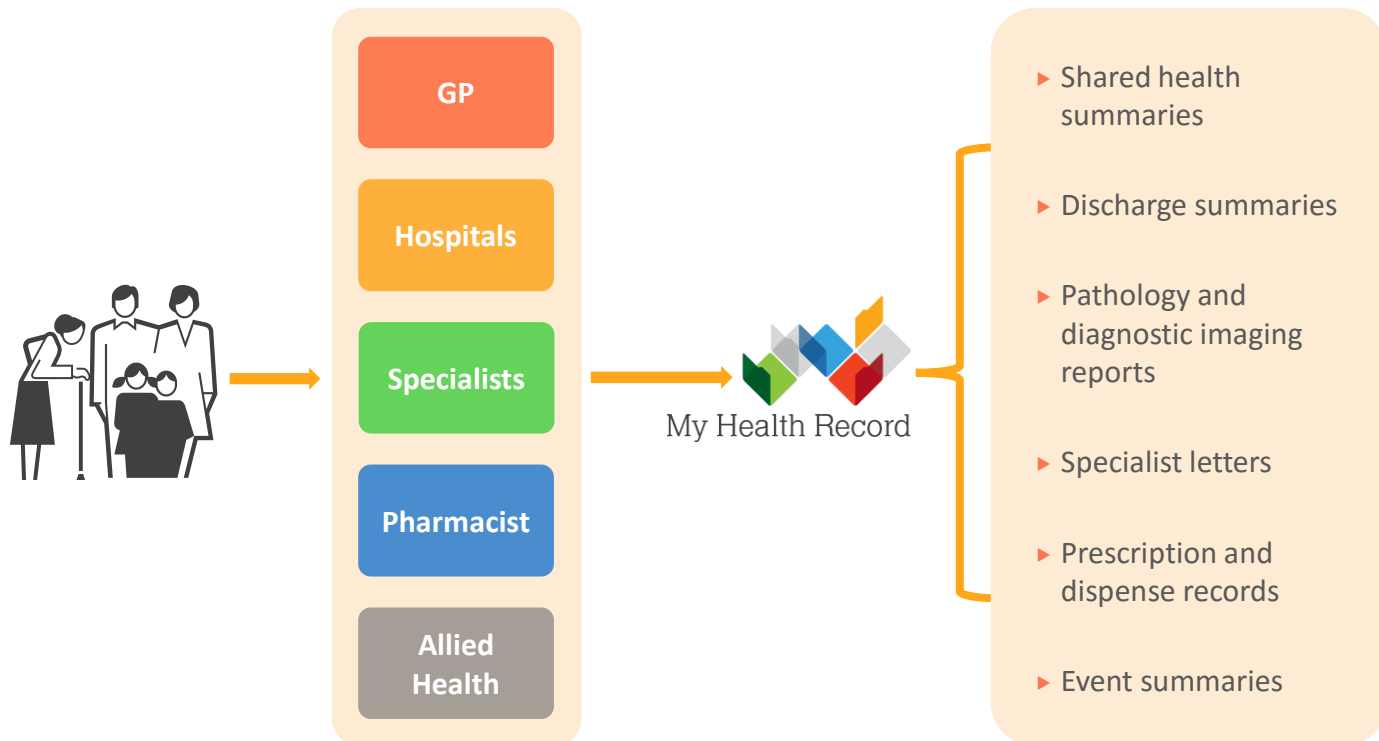
(or Provider Portal for those
without conformant software)



Check for conformant software here: <https://www.digitalhealth.gov.au/using-the-my-health-record-system/digital-health-training-resources/guides/1038-registration-checklist-for-allied-health-organisations>

What could you find in someone's My Health Record?

Uploaded by Healthcare Providers



Mrs Gert Fourie

File Open Request Clinical View Utilities My Health Record Help

Name: **Gert Fourie** D.O.B.: 10/10/1979 Age: 36 yrs Sex: Male 0m 3s
 Address: 1 Xanthorhoea Trk Chemsides West 4032 Phone: Mobile: 0425 583 333 Work:
 Medicare No.: 2950143711 - 1 Record No.: Pension No.: Comment: 5 patients with same name
 Occupation: Tobacco: Smokes 10 cigarettes/day. Alcohol: Elite sports: Ethnicity: Australian
 Blood Group: Advance Health Directive:

Family members: Mrs Gert Fourie [Jump] [Open]

Reactions

Item	Reaction	Severity
Penicillin	Anaphylaxis	Severe
Maxolon	Nausea	Mild
Trimethoprim	Rash	Mild
Morphine		
seafood		

Notifications:

Type	Due	Reason
Outstanding requests	05/07/2016	There are 4 outstanding requests for this patient!
Preventive health	18/09/2016	Influenza vaccination is due!
Preventive health	18/09/2016	Smoking cessation should be considered!
Preventive health	18/09/2016	A Diabetes Cycle of Care is overdue for completion!

Expand Collapse

Mrs Gert Fourie

Today's notes

Past visits

Current Rx

- Rivaroxaban 10mg Tablet 1
- Thyroxine 0.025mg Tablet 1

Past history

- Active
 - Kidney cancer
 - Gout
 - Kidney failure
 - Spinal fusion
 - 2010 Diabetes Mellitus, Type 2
 - 27/06/2016 Hypertension
- Inactive

Immunisations

Seen by: Dr Alison Hodgers Visit type: Surgery

Visit date: 18/09/2016 Visit time: 4:12:18 PM [b] [i] [u] [ABC]

Reason for visit

Diagnosis Procedure Reason for Visit Review Autofill Past visits Last visit

Currently logged in: Dr Alison Hodgers (Main surgery) Sunday 18/09/2016 04:12:21 PM



MedicalDirector

CLINICAL

File Patient Edit Summaries Tools Clinical Correspondence Assessment Resources Sidebar PCEHR Window Help

Mr Gert Fourie (66 yrs) DOB: 10/10/1949 Gender: Male Occupation: Truck Driver 4m 56s

2 Kennedy Rd. Ultimo Nsw. Nsw 2007 Ph: 0424580286 (mobile) Record No: ATSI: Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander

Allergies & Adverse Reactions: PENICILLINS Pension No: 18384848 Ethnicity: Australian Aboriginal; Torres Strait Islander

Warnings: 5 patients with same name Smoking Hx: Ex-smoker IHI No: 8003 6023 4655 5439

PCEHR: Exists with access permission as of 18/09/2016

Documents have been added to the file since the last visit!

Family History: Father heart disease, Mother Type II Diabetes (updated October 2013)

Social History: Emergency Contact: Joe Brown, Tel: 0424 583 333

Past History:

Year	Date	Condition	Side
		Erectile Dysfunction	
		Lumbar spine surgery	
1972		Rheumatic fever	
1988		Epilepsy	
1990		Diabetes Mellitus - Type II	
1998		Migraine	
2004		Insomnia	
2005		Crohn disease	

Immunisations:

Date	Immunisation	Sequence
02/08/2016	ADT	

Medications:

Drug name	Strength	Dose	Freq	Instructions
INDERAL TABLET	10mg	1	mane	

Preventive health:

Diphtheria and tetanus-containing vaccination is recommended!
This patient meets the MBS criteria for a Health Assessment!
A Blood Glucose level has not been recorded in MD for over a year!
This patient has risk factors for Renal Disease.

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MedicalDirector - TRAINITMEDICAL\HCNSQL07 Sunday, 18 September 2016 4:18/09/2016



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My Health Record

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Benefits & Learning from NT experience



1. Gradual evolution towards critical mass
2. Becoming embedded into routine clinical & administrative workflow

PCEHR Review & Changes

Found broad support for a national shared health record.

Made 38 recommendations for increasing uptake and use, including:

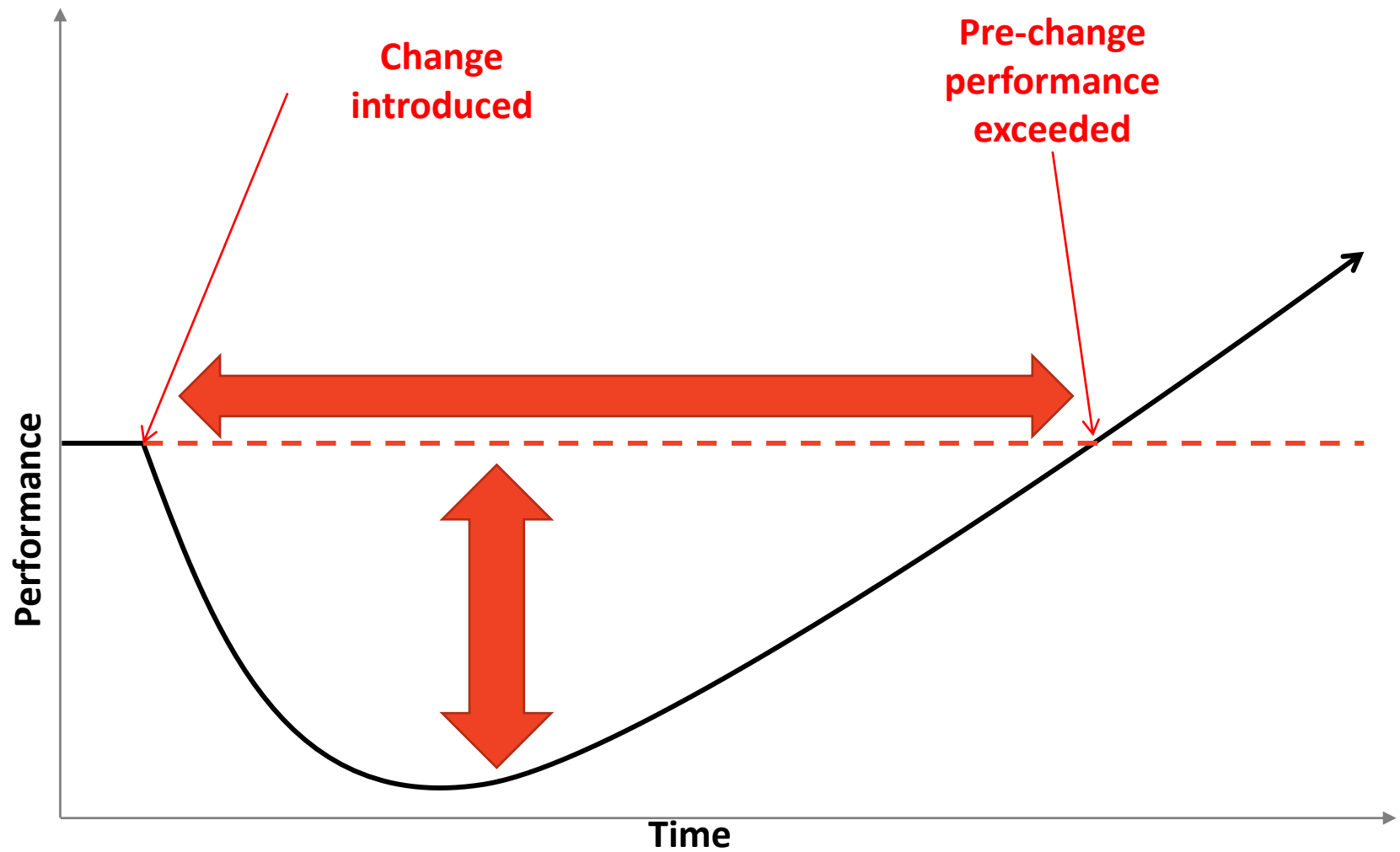
- rename to My Health Record
- strengthened governance arrangements
- improved usability and increased clinical
- education and training for healthcare providers
- **revised GP incentives**
- **implementation of “opt-out” nationally**

Leading Change



Watch our recorded Webinar on Change Management Strategies for Practice Managers:

<https://www.digitalhealth.gov.au/using-the-my-health-record-system/digital-health-training-resources/webinars/1104-webinar-6-change-management-strategies>



Manage Change with positivity

*Remind everyone of those change **success** stories*



Google Search

I'm Feeling Lucky



Log on to NetBank

Client number

Password

☒ Remember client number

 Log on

[I've forgotten my log on details](#)

It is a new era!



Support with further learning:

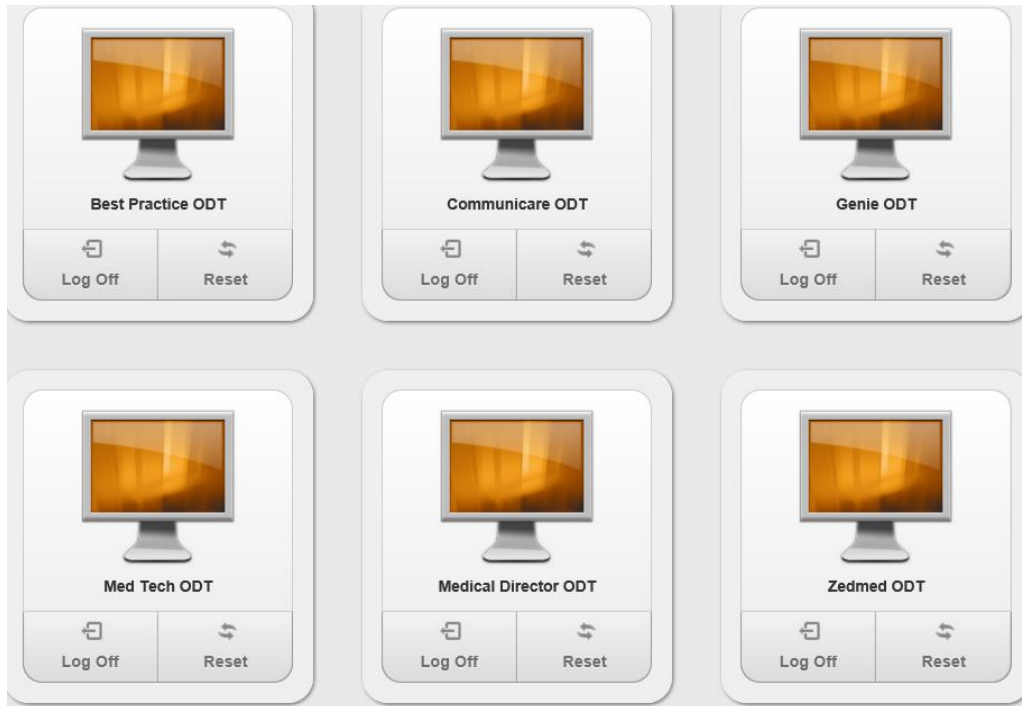
www.digitalhealth.gov.au
www.myhealthrecord.gov.au

Next Steps

1. Staff to complete the (free) eLearning modules on the My Health Record system: <https://myhealthrecord.e3learning.com.au>
2. Download the 'guides' for your software'
<https://www.digitalhealth.gov.au/using-the-my-health-record-system/digital-health-training-resources/guides>
3. Watch the software demonstration for your software
<https://www.digitalhealth.gov.au/using-the-my-health-record-system/digital-health-training-resources/software-demonstrations>
4. Practise in the 'On-Demand' Training Environment
<https://www.digitalhealth.gov.au/using-the-my-health-record-system/digital-health-training-resources/on-demand>
5. Register your patients.
6. View and upload health summaries.

Training Environment

On Demand Training Environment: Log on anytime and practise with a 'test' patient.



<https://www.digitalhealth.gov.au/using-the-my-health-record-system/digital-health-training-resources/on-demand>

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Are you regularly registering patients?



Photos taken at Greenmeadows Medical, Port Macquarie, NSW



Watch our recorded Webinar to see how other practices have successfully implemented a Practice Workflow for Registering Patients <https://www.digitalhealth.gov.au/news-and-events/events/1142-webinar-designing-a-workflow-for-registering-patients-for-a-my-health-record>

5 Tips for success for Practice Managers

1. Train staff so they are prepared for conversations
2. Design a workflow that works for your practice eg. Who registers etc.
3. Write a dialogue with your staff so they know what to say to patients.
4. Educate patients via patient forms / TV screens / website.
5. Focused approach for patients at risk or with chronic conditions.

How do you educate your patients?



A team approach

1. Practice Managers write the policy & train staff
2. Receptionists register patients
3. Registrars & nurses may be able to help clean up data
4. GP, Nurses, Registrars, Aboriginal Health Practitioners can upload.





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Thank you!

*Hope to see you
again soon...*

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