



Greater Western Sydney eHealth Consortium (NSW Health)

State-wide eHealth infrastructure for PCEHR

Project

The aim of the project is to establish lead eHealth sites focusing on high priority consumer groups in the Greater Western Sydney region with the aim of sharing clinical information across health care settings and providers. The project is a collaboration of the Western Sydney and Nepean Blue Mountains Local Health Networks and the Sydney Children's Hospitals Network, four GP Divisions (WentWest, Nepean, Blue Mountains, and Hawkesbury-Hills) and the Blue Mountains GP Super Clinic. The project will include summary health profiles, discharge summaries, shared diagnostic images and reports for NSW Health clinicians and the Mother and Child "Blue Book".

Demographics

With a population reach of 1,750,000 the project will be able to expand the entire solution quickly to encompass a significant geographic area and ultimately the whole of NSW.

Approach

The NSW PCEHR project will initially target mothers and their children (aged under 16 years), aged Australians, people with chronic and complex diseases, Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people and the culturally and linguistically diverse population. The Consortium will leverage previous technology investments and statewide assets in readiness for connection to the PCEHR when available. Key PCEHR infrastructure components will include NEHTA-compliant Discharge Summaries, statewide repositories including the electronic health record repository and the Enterprise Medical Imaging Repository utilising the Healthcare Identifier service.

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