



E-Health – Personally Controlled Electronic Health Records (PCEHR)

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eHealth- AIM

- Identifiers and PCEHR will reduce risk in the health system.
- Fewer patients will experience adverse events.
- Fewer adverse events also may mean fewer claims and complaints.



PCEHR

- A Personally Controlled Electronic Health Record (PCEHR) is a secure, electronic record of a patient's medical history, stored and shared in a network of connected systems.
- The PCEHR will bring key information from a number of different systems together and present in a single view.



PCEHR

- Shared health summary
- Consumer entered health summary and notes
- Event summary
- Access controls



PCEHR

Since 2012

- Prescription and dispense view
- Child eHealth Record



Medico legal issues

First cases

Privacy and security breaches

- Inadvertent use by unauthorised staff
- Insufficient software protection



Medico legal issues

- Consent –standing consent
- Health Provider Organisation Agreement (HPO)
- contractual obligations



The future of PCEHR