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The days of carrying around x-ray film is almost over, but not quite yet. Developing the technology required to make electronic x-ray images available to a referrer in an easy to use and reliable manner has not been an easy task to achieve. Solving image storage issues, achieving the right level of screen resolution, linking the image seamlessly with the HL7 report has created an interesting series of challenges.

HealthLink's alliance with specialist Image management vendor MediNexus Pty has yielded a robust technical solution to this problem. Now, electronic report delivery is enhanced by enabling the referrer to point and click, downloading a high-quality X-ray image. The MediNexus system focuses on healthcare processes specifically relating to delivery and storage of electronic images. The system is well suited to hospitals, radiologists and specialists who need to communicate with their referring clinicians.

HealthLink is a 'Primary Care Integrator' an organisation whose key purpose is to enable primary care to communicate electronically with the rest of the health system. HealthLink's services are used by more than 9000 individual healthcare organisations across Australia, New Zealand and the Pacific. HealthLink prides itself on providing robust, easy to use, standards-based electronic communications services backed with high quality toll-free support in a manner that is reliable, seamless, secure and efficient.

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