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Rapid Growth Continues

During the past two years HealthLink has become the communications provider of choice for Australian and New Zealand healthcare organisations. More than 3,500 organisations across Australia and New Zealand use HealthLink's services on a daily basis. This makes HealthLink one of the world's largest healthcare information networks.

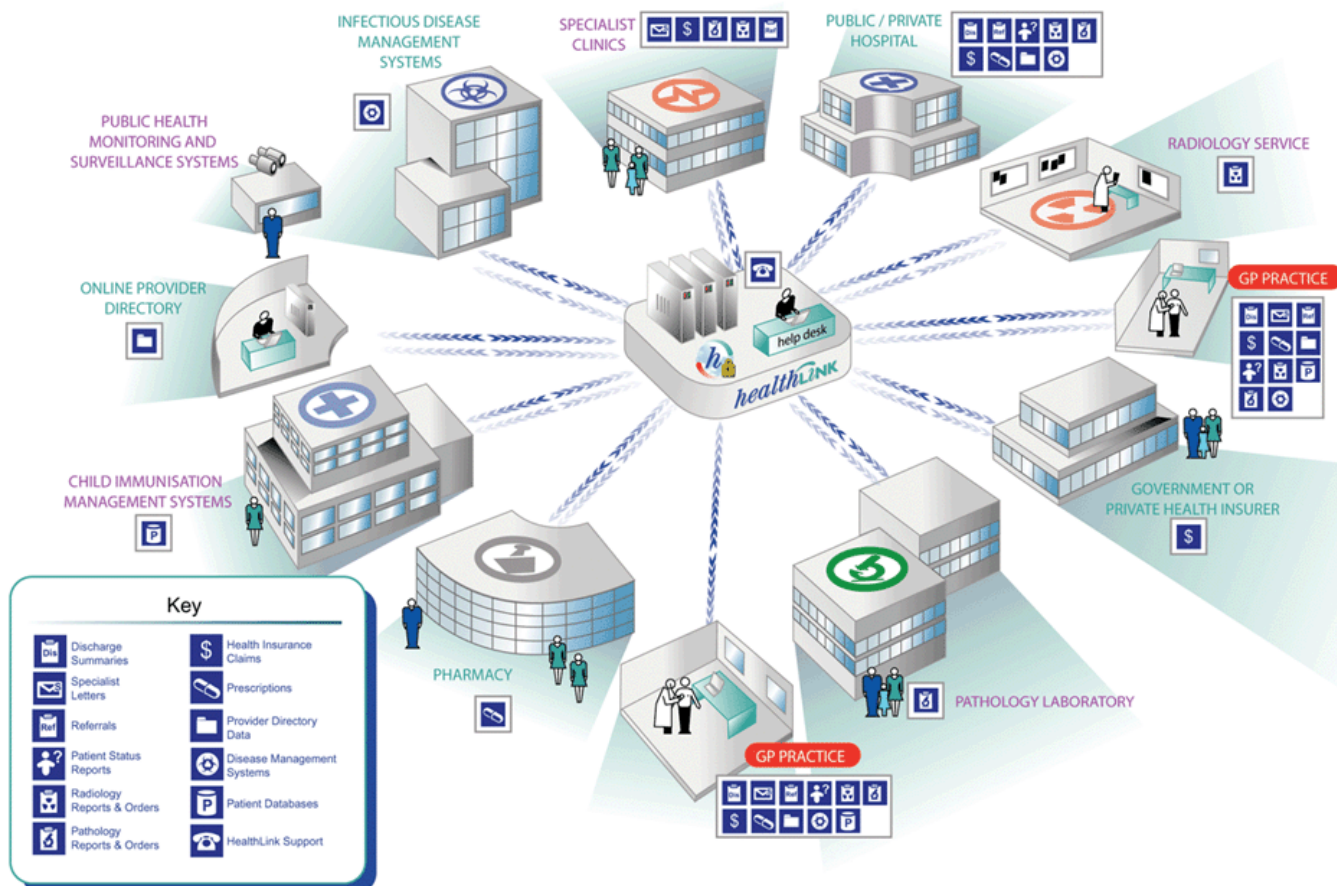
HealthLink has medical practices, hospitals and laboratories connected in every state of Australia as well as the ACT (Australian Capital Territory). In Western Australia more than 85% of practices and almost every pathology and radiology provider are connected. During the past six months HealthLink has connected major laboratory groups in Brisbane, Melbourne, Sydney and Canberra. We are continuing to work closely with key Divisions of General Practice across Australia.

In New Zealand, HealthLink is continuing to make rapid progress. Two highly successful public health projects "The Northern Regional Hepatitis B screening programme" and The National Diabetes Annual Review programme have been extended and a number of other projects are entering trials.

HealthLink's eagerly awaited HealthLink.NET software package is now ready to be rolled out to all sites and currently has been on up to 40 pilot sites for the past 8 months. HealthLink.NET will enable users to access our services via the Internet, using literally any form of Internet connection. A key feature of this service is its strong yet still easy to use PKI (Public key Infrastructure) security.

A further key development is the new HealthLink SECUR/IT Service. SECUR/IT provides a complete site security package including remotely managed firewall. This system will provide the necessary security for medical practices requiring broadband Internet access and wishing to have online access to remote patient databases.

We hope that you will find this newsletter useful and informative. Please don't hesitate to contact us for further information about anything which takes your interest.

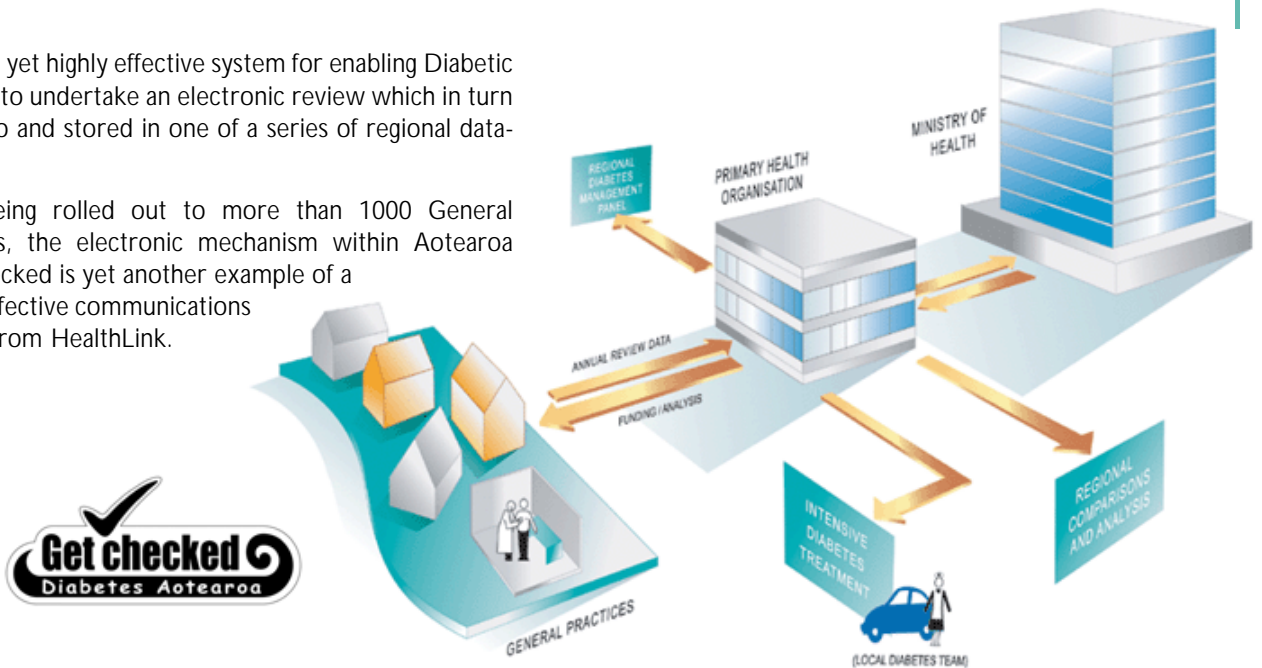


HealthLink provides a wide range of public health tools and services for solving important health issues.....

Aotearoa Annual 'Get Checked' Diabetes Programme

A simple yet highly effective system for enabling Diabetic patients to undertake an electronic review which in turn is sent to and stored in one of a series of regional databases.

Now being rolled out to more than 1000 General Practices, the electronic mechanism within Aotearoa Get Checked is yet another example of a highly effective communications system from HealthLink.



Hep B Free

An extremely complex and demanding IT project; it has become an immensely successful one. This project could not have been undertaken without a highly functional electronic communications infrastructure such as Healthlink.



A consortium of health providers in the greater Auckland region had a problem; how to locate and screen 100,000+ people and administer a 3 stage vaccination programme for 45% of them. With HealthLink's help, the consortium has been able to develop and implement this system linking 200 medical practices electronically to a highly sophisticated web-based management system.

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Working in partnership with you to meet your specific needs

We recognize that each region has its own requirements and issues to solve. We are working with health provider organisations all over Australia and New Zealand and one of the reasons we are succeeding is our ability to understand and meet those requirements.

We will undertake to customise and modify our systems to meet your unique needs and to work with your other IT partners to develop services that meet your specialised requirements.

Market Penetration - GPs.

New Team Members Join HealthLink

Left to right, new staff members Belinda Fong, Product Manager, Simon Cumberlege, Service Implementation Manager and Graeme Stretch, General Manager.

HealthLink has staff in Auckland, Brisbane and Perth.

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