

# Let's get you connected: Secure Messaging Delivery

Secure Message Delivery (SMD) allows health professionals to electronically send confidential patient communication from one health service to another.

Western Health has transitioned to HealthLink to enhance patient care and safety through accurate, timely and seamless communication.

# **Ensure you receive secure messages from Western Health**

#### Step 1

Update and verify on the National Health Service Directory (NHSD)

Register	for	NHSD
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☐ "Suggest an edit" on your clinics existing listing

- ☐ Add all practitioners who work at your clinic
- ☐ Ensure fax number is included in listing

#### Step 2

# Link HealthLink EDI to all practitioners

 Register with HealthLink and configure Practice Management Software (PMS)

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☐ Log in to HealthLink Directory

- ☐ Link HealthLink EDI to all practitioners working at vour clinic
- ☐ Contact HealthLink vendor for further support

## Other things to consider:

- Ensure latest version of PMS software is installed
- Ensure your digital certificates are up to date
- Encourage patients to know the name of their doctor to ensure the nominated doctor receives clinical documents
- If you start to receive fax documents from Western Health – Complete Step 2 or contact Western Health

## Need more assistance?

Western Health GP Integration Unit Email: GPIU-Projects@wh.org.au

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