Collaborative approach

• HISA a participant in NEHTA work program
• HISA has a voice in our consultation
• Progressing a Memorandum of Understanding
To enhance healthcare by enabling access to the right information, for the right person, at the right time and place.
NEHTA’s Purpose:

To orchestrate the uptake of E-Health systems of national significance.
To enable the progression and accelerate the adoption of E-Health by delivering urgently needed integration infrastructure and standards for health information.

Workshop Attendees:
CEO – NEHTA, State government CIO representatives (Vic, Qld), NEHTA Clinical Leads, Consultants (Accenture, Deloitte, Booz & Co.)
NEHTA’s Mission:

NEHTA is the lead organisation supporting the national vision for E-Health in Australia; working openly, constructively and collaboratively with consumers, providers, funders, policy makers and the broader healthcare industry; to deliver a safer, higher quality, accessible, equitable, efficient and sustainable healthcare system.
Our work program to date

### Individual Electronic Health Record
- Clinician Information
- Individual Information
- Shared Information
- (Others)

### E-Health Services
- Shared Health Profile
- Event Summaries
- Self Managed Care
- Complex Care Management

### E-Health Solutions
- ePathology
- eDischarge
- eReferral
- eMedications

### National Infrastructure Components
- Terminology
- Secure Messaging
- Identifiers
- Authentication
Aligning architecture
New Identifiers for Individuals, Providers and Organizations

- Ensures that the right information is associated with the right person
- Operational July 2010
- Leverages Medicare
Where are we driving towards?

New identifiers by June 2010

Get the sector connected

Replace existing paper transactions with electronic ones
Getting the Sector Connected

- Over the next 2 years the sector will be supported in taking up a common approach to secure online connectivity
- Based on internet standards and smart cards
- Vendors can be certified, so providers can buy software with confidence
- Incentives are provided to help GPs with the burden of upgrading
- NEHTA will have connectivity projects with every State and Territory
Get key clinical transactions online

NEHTA will work to drive the uptake of:

Electronic Scripts
Electronic Discharge Summaries
Electronic Referrals
Electronic Pathology Requests and Results
The ability for the consumer to choose how and where their health records can be accessed

IEHR Business Case with COAG

What next?