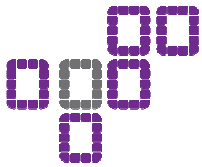


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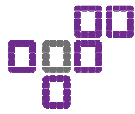
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## Linking information and people

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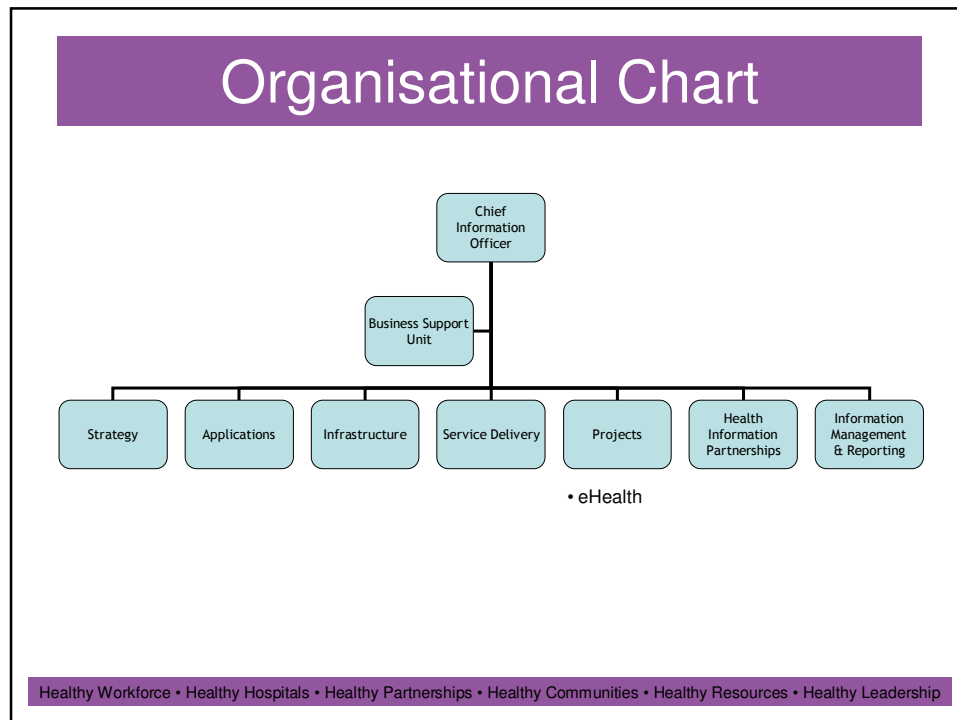
## What is eHealth?

1. The combined use of electronic communication and information technology in the health sector (World Health Organisation, 2005).
2. Electronic information and interactions connecting people and communities to health services (Ministry of Health NZ, e-Health Working Group).
3. Excerpt by Dr Neale Fong
  - The right patient
  - To the right clinician
  - At the right time
  - In the right place and
  - With the right resources.



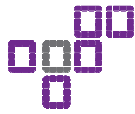
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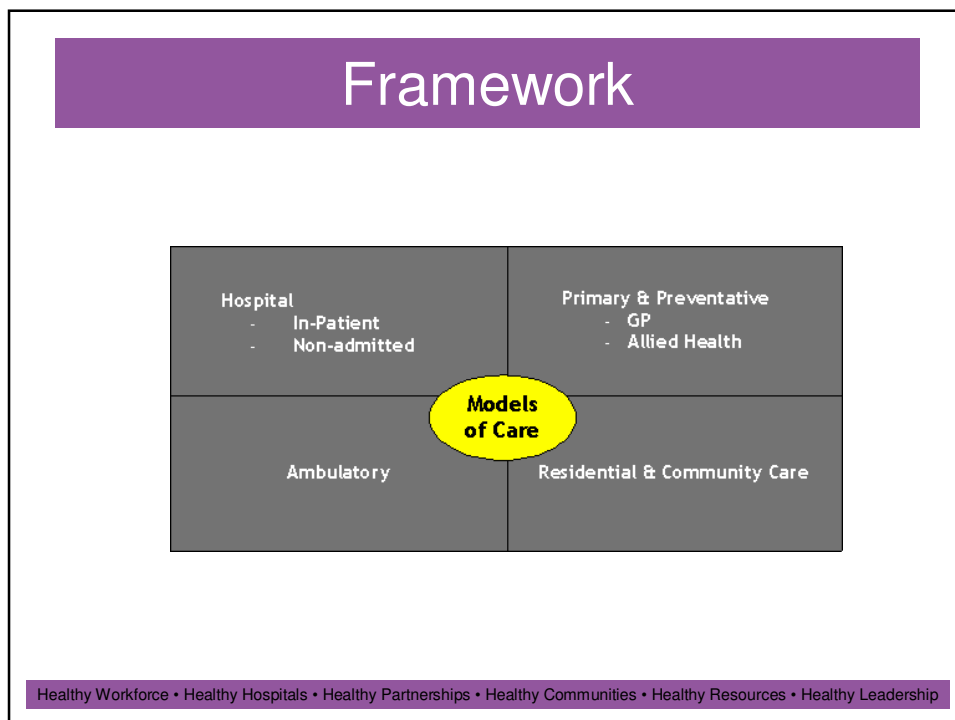
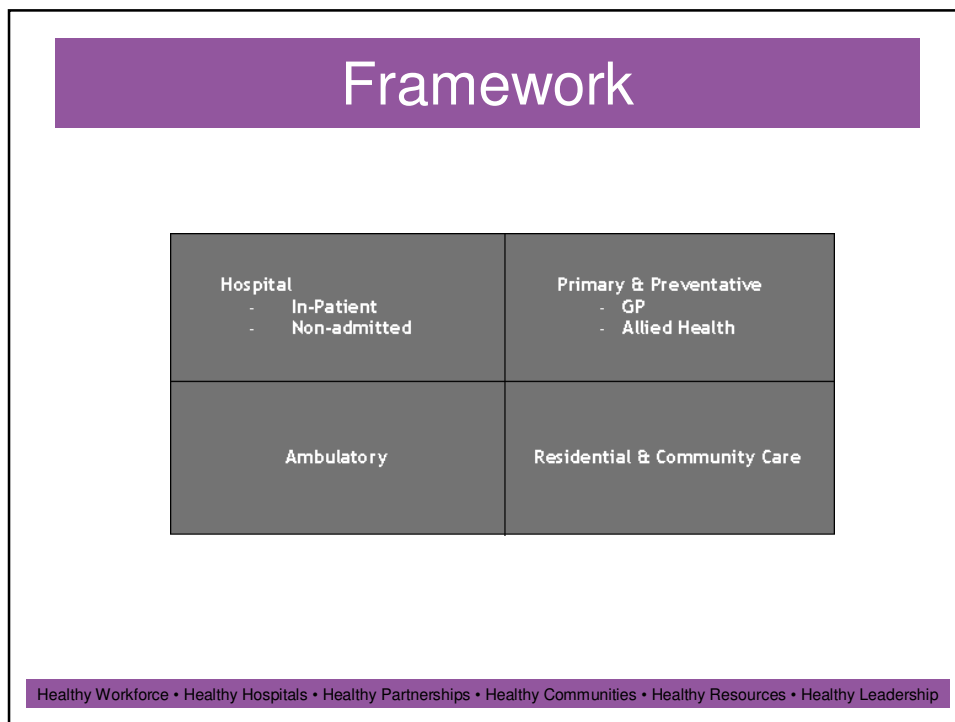
## eHealth has two clear focus areas:

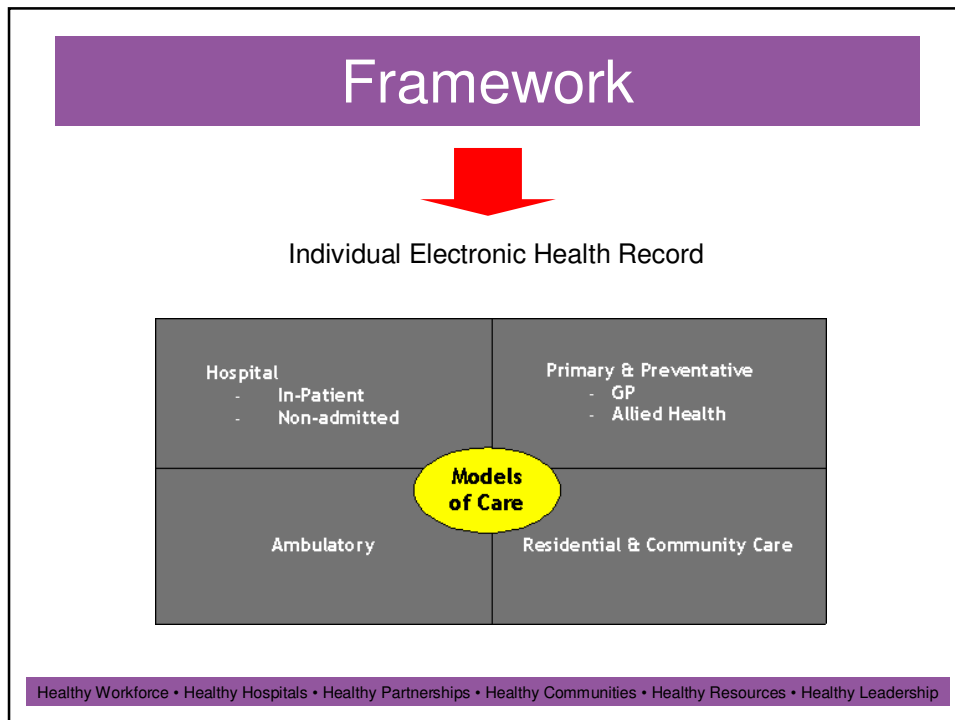
1. **Health Reform**
  - How do we change the way we do things to ensure we have:
    - The right patient
    - To the right team
    - In order to receive the right care
    - At the right time
    - In the right place and
    - With the right resources.
  - How do we measure change?
2. **Moving to Individual Electronic Health Record (IEHR)**
  - What does this mean?



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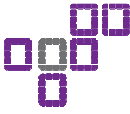
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## Individual Health Identifier

- E prescribing
- E pathology
- Country Health > metropolitan

  
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