

# IT-014 Health Informatics

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### APPENDIX A: IT014 WORK PROGRAM 2011-2012 - CONFIRMED

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IT-014-02 Health Concept Representation (Co-Chairs Heather Grain, Leanne Holmes, Christine Coleshill, Erin Holmes)	CLINICAL TERMINOLOGY	NS	Australian Technical Specification		<p>implementation of Clinical Terminology in Local Systems</p> <p>This work is intended to identify best practice for the implementation of terminology into local informaiton systems, it includes the reason why terminologies are used, the skills required to support terminology implemetnation both clinically and technically and the system requirements for safe llong term use of clinical terminology in clinical informaiton systems.</p>				YES
IT-014-06-06 Collaborative Care Communications (David Rowed and Max Walker)	DATA INTERCHANGE	NSP	Australian Technical Report		<p>Use of HL7 V3 clinical document architecture in forms based communications</p> <p>This project will create a report that articulates the state of the art internationally in developing and implementing Clinical Document Architecture (CDA) and specifically assesses the potential to use CDA for referral and forms based communication in Australia. The report will include a roadmap for future CDA standardization activities in Australia.</p> <p>In creating the report, the project will investigate the value, methodology, resource requirements, message vs document issues, and final form for an implementation guide, including mappings, to support interoperation between HL7 Clinical Messages as required in Australia and HL7 Version 3 CDA release 2 document-based systems.</p> <p>The purpose of the report is to reduce ongoing confusion between documents and messaging by clarifying the place and function of each and to support interoperation between HL7 messages and CDA which are the two international standards expected to find use in Australia in common care processes.</p> <p>This is a background fact-finding and scoping project. The resulting report will include recommendations for further work in this area.</p>	NO			YES
IT-014-06-06 Collaborative Care Communications (David Rowed and Max Walker)	DATA INTERCHANGE	NSP	Australian Technical Report		<p>CDA in V2 messages</p> <p>To develop an optional use for CDA other than just a Document Transfer and have trigger events (workflow) defined to assist in the purpose and subsequent use of the CDA in communication environments</p>	NO			YES
IT-014-06-06 Collaborative Care Communications (David Rowed and Max Walker)	DATA INTERCHANGE (E DISCHARGE)	S	Australian Technical Specification		<p>Core discharge summary - V2 exchange specification</p> <p>This proposed standard is to specify a mapping from the logical model, described in the NEHTA Core Discharge Summary SDT, to the HL7 v2.x message exchange format.</p> <p>Core discharge summary -Logical information model</p>	YES	IHE AUSTRALIA		YES
IT-014-06-06 Collaborative Care Communications (David Rowed and Max Walker)	DATA INTERCHANGE (E DISCHARGE)	S	Australian Technical Specification		<p>NEHTA Core Discharge Summary is the minimum set of data items that are recommended as best practice for implementation in any system that creates and transfers Discharge Summary information in Australia.</p>	NO			YES

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IT-014-06-06	DATA INTERCHANGE (E DISCHARGE)	NSP	Australian Technical Specification		Core Discharge Summary – CDA Exchange Specification  NEHTA has collaborated with the broader Australia Health industry to gain consensus on the core information components contained in the Hospital to GP Discharge Summary. These defines information components are the basis upon which a CDA Exchange Specification has been developed by NEHTA. <i>Standard would specify a mapping from the logical model, described in the NEHTA Core GP Referral Structured Document Template (SDT), to the HL7 v3 CDA document format</i>	YES	NEHTA		YES
IT-014-06-06 Collaborative Care Communications (David Rowed and Max Walker)	DATA INTERCHANGE (E REFERRAL)	S	Australian Technical Specification		eReferral - V2 exchange specification  The proposed work will formalize as a Technical Specification the work of the IHE Australia eReferral task force which has recently produced a draft HL7 V2.4 eReferral implementation profile which also includes conformance requirements.				YES
IT-014-06-06 Collaborative Care Communications (David Rowed and Max Walker)	DATA INTERCHANGE (E REFERRAL)	S	Australian Technical Specification		Core GP referral -V2 exchange specification  Project to specify a mapping from the logical model, described in the NEHTA Core GP Referral Structured Document Template (SDT), to the HL7 v2.x message exchange format.	YES	IHE AUSTRALIA		YES
IT-014-06-06 Collaborative Care Communications (David Rowed and Max Walker)	DATA INTERCHANGE (E REFERRAL)	NS	Australian Technical Specification		Specialist eLetter Clinical Document Architecture (CDA) Exchange Specification  NEHTA has collaborated with the broader Australia Health industry to gain consensus on the core information components contained in the Specialist to GP Specialist Letter. These defined information components are the basis upon which a CDA Exchange Specification has been developed by NEHTA. Standards Australia has been asked to review and submit this work to the national standards review process for eventual consideration as a national standard.	YES	NEHTA		YES
IT-014-06-06 Collaborative Care Communications (David Rowed and Max Walker)	DATA INTERCHANGE (E REFERRAL)	S	Australian Technical Specification		Core GP referral - Logical Information Model  The NeHTA Core GP Referral is the minimum set of data items that are recommended as best practice for implementation in any GP system that creates and transfers referral information in Australia.	YES	NEHTA		YES
IT-014-06-06 Collaborative Care Communications (David Rowed and Max Walker)	DATA INTERCHANGE (E REFERRAL)	NS	Australian Technical Specification		Specialist eLetter - Logical Information Model  NEHTA has collaborated with the broader Australia Health industry to gain consensus on the core information components contained in the Specialist to GP Specialist Letter. These defined information components are the basis upon which a Logical Information Model has been developed by NEHTA. Standards Australia has been asked to review and submit this work to the national standards review process for eventual consideration as a national standard.	YES	NEHTA		YES
IT-014-06-06 Collaborative Care Communications (David Rowed and Max Walker)	DATA INTERCHANGE (E REFERRAL)	NSP	Australian Standard		eNotification - HL7 V2 collaborative care responsibility message  To develop a guide to specifying and implementing a HL7 V2.x Message that can be used as a notification to the user of a Patient/Client Management System that action is required and the initial expectation	NO			

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IT-014-06-06 Collaborative Care Communications (David Rowed and Max Walker)	DATA INTERCHANGE (E REFERRAL)	NS	Australian Technical Specification		<p><i>GP REFERRAL - Clinical Document Architecture (CDA) Exchange Specification</i></p> <p>This standard would specify a mapping from the logical model, described in the NEHTA GP Referral Structured Document Template (SDT), to the HL7 v3 CDA document format. eReferrals Core – CDA Exchange Specification</p> <p><i>NEHTA has collaborated with the broader Australia Health industry to gain consensus on the information components contained in the GP to Specialist Referral. These defined information components are the basis upon which a CDA Exchange Specification has been developed by NEHTA</i></p>	YES	NEHTA		YES
IT-014-06-06 Collaborative Care Communications (David Rowed and Max Walker)	DATA INTERCHANGE (EVENT SUMMARY)	NS	Australian Technical Specification		<p>eEvent Summary - Clinical Document Architecture (CDA) Exchange Specification</p> <p>The development of a CDA Technical Specification to guide the consistent development of a eEvent Summary messaging capability across the Australian Health Industry.</p>	YES	NEHTA		YES
IT-014-06-06 Collaborative Care Communications (David Rowed and Max Walker)	DATA INTERCHANGE (EVENT SUMMARY)	NS	Australian Technical Specification		<p>Event Summary - Logical Information Model</p> <p>The Department of Health and Ageing has commissioned NEHTA to assist in the development of a national Personally Controlled Electronic Health Record (PCEHR). As part of this initiative it is necessary to build capability within the PCEHR to enable clinicians to upload priority information in relation to specific episodes of care. In order to build this capability in both sending systems and rendering in the PCEHR it will be necessary to develop a nationally consistent data structure capability. This Structured Document Template Technical Specification will guide the consistent development of this data structuring capability across the Australian Health Industry.</p>	YES	NEHTA		YES
IT-014-06 Messaging and Communication (Co Chairs Klaus Veil and Max Walker)	DATA INTERCHANGE (SMD)	S	Australian Standard	Australian Technical Specification	<p>Upgrade TR 5823 E-health endpoint location service</p> <p>The proposed standard defines a service for retrieving technical information about instances of services that are offered by a particular organization. This technical information describes the type of service, its location, and any digital security credentials (i.e. PKI certificates) required to communicate to the service. The service facilitates service instances from other organisations to be used. Initially targeted at the cross-organisational invocation of SOAP Web services, the proposed standard can be used for a range of technical services.</p>	NO			YES
IT-014-06 Messaging and Communication (Co Chairs Klaus Veil and Max Walker)	DATA INTERCHANGE (SMD)	S	Australian Standard		<p>Upgrade ATS 5822 E-health secure message delivery</p> <p>The proposed Standard defines specifications for the secure delivery of messages using widely-supported industry standards for Web services. The specification applies to communication between healthcare organisations, possibly via one or more intermediaries used for hosting and routing of messages. Message content is defined sufficient to support the routing and delivery of messages. Clinical message content is entirely opaque to the specification.</p>	YES	NEHTA		YES
IT-014-06 Messaging and Communication (Co Chairs Klaus Veil and Max Walker)	DATA INTERCHANGE (SMD)	S	Australian Standard		<p>Upgrade ATS 5820 E-health web services profile</p> <p>Web services profile defining how Web services specifications can be used in an interoperable and secure manner.</p>	YES	NEHTA		YES

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IT-014-06 Messaging and Communication (Co Chairs Klaus Veil and Max Walker)	DATA INTERCHANGE (SMD)	S	Australian Standard		Upgrade ATS 5821 E-health XML secured payload profiles  A mechanism to represent data in XML documents that is digitally signed and/or encrypted. This will be a profile of the XML Encryption and XML Digital Signatures specifications from the World Wide Web Consortium (W3C).	YES	NEHTA		YES
IT-014-06 Messaging and Communication (Co Chairs Klaus Veil and Max Walker)	DATA INTERCHANGE (SMD)	NS	Australian Handbook		Guidelines for the development of e-health service specifications and Services Oriented Architecture (SOA)  The scope of the proposed work is to cover the methodology for defining e-health services in the context of a service oriented architecture including the development of a services ontology and mapping into interoperability frameworks such as HL7 SAIF.	NO		YES	YES
IT-014-06 Messaging and Communication (Co Chairs Klaus Veil and Max Walker)	DATA INTERCHANGE (SMD)	NS	Australian Handbook or Technical Report	Interim Standard	Secure Message Delivery Conformity Assessment  Define the conformity assessment requirements for Secure Message Delivery ATS 5822 – 2010.	NO			YES
IT-014-06 Messaging and Communication (Co Chairs Klaus Veil and Max Walker)	DATA INTERCHANGE (SMD)	S	Australian Technical Specification		XDR / Secure message delivery harmonisation  Following on from the publication of ATS 5820, ATS 5821, ATS 5822 and TR 5823, this project will look to harmonise IHE's XDR to allow compatibility and interoperability between the two	NO			YES
IT-014-02 Health Concept Representation (Co-Chairs Heather Grain, Leanne Holmes, Christine Coleshill, Erin Holmes)	DATA STRUCTURE	NS	Australian Standard	Australian Technical Report	Australian Guidelines on implementation of ISO 21090  Define a profile of ISO 21090 data types for use within Australian e-Health.	NO			YES
IT-014-09 Electronic Health Record Interoperability (Richard Dixon-Hughes and Heather Leslie)	DATA STRUCTURE	S	ISO Adoption to Australian Standard		Harmonised data types for e-health interoperability  ISO 21090 is to be a joint publication of the three global health informatics Standards Development Organisations (SDOs): ISO TC215, CEN TC251 and HL7 with the aim of having a single, structurally correct, internationally recognised, co branded standard for the next generation of abstract data types to be used in healthcare information interchange.	NO			YES
IT-014-06-05 Diagnostics Messaging (Michael Legg and Chris Lynton-Moll)	E DIAGNOSTICS	NSP	Australian Technical Specification		Representation of structured cancer pathology reports in HL7 V2 messages  Initial scope will be limited to RCPA protocols for: Melanoma, Colorectal, Lung, Breast, Lymphoma and Prostate.H103	NO			
IT-014-06-05 Diagnostics Messaging (Michael Legg and Chris Lynton-Moll)	E DIAGNOSTICS	S	Australian Handbook		Gudelines for pathology messaging between pathology providers and health service providers  This involves an update of HB 262 Gudelines for pathology messaging between pathology providers and health service providers to harmonize with NEHTA's specifications, IHE profile and AS4700.2 -2007 A Handbook will be produced – Implementation of AS 4700.2 – 2007 (HL7 V2.4) including diagnostic results and orders.	NO			

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IT-014-06-05 Diagnostics Messaging (Michael Legg and Chris Lynton-Moll)	E DIAGNOSTICS	NS	Australian Technical Report		Specification of a mechanism to access historical reports from diagnostic service providers  This addresses the requirement in cases like antenatal clinics for historical pathology reports from pathology practices in the community and hospital sectors to be available with the consent of the patient.	NO			
IT-014-06-05 Diagnostics Messaging (Michael Legg and Chris Lynton-Moll)	E DIAGNOSTICS	NS	Australian Standard		Revision of AS4700.2:2009 - Implementation of Health Level Seven (HL7) Version 2.4 - Pathology and medical images (diagnostics).  Revise standard to take into account work done on HB262, including terminology binding and identifiers.	YES	NEHTA		
IT-014-06-06 Collaborative Care Communications (David Rowed and Max Walker)	E HEALTH SUMMARY	NS	Australian Technical Specification		eHealth Summary - Clinical Document Architecture (CDA) Exchange Specification  The development of a CDA Technical Specification to guide the consistent development of a eHealth Summary messaging capability across the Australian Health Industry.	YES	NEHTA		YES
IT-014-06-06 Collaborative Care Communications (David Rowed and Max Walker)	E HEALTH SUMMARY	NS	Australian Technical Specification		eHealth Summary - Logical Information Model  The Department of Health and Ageing has commissioned NEHTA to assist in the development of a national Personally Controlled Electronic Health Record (PCEHR). As part of this initiative it is necessary to build capability within the PCEHR to enable clinicians to upload priority information in relation to summary health care information. In order to build this capability in both sending systems and rendering in the PCEHR it will be necessary to develop a nationally consistent information exchange format.	YES	NEHTA		YES
IT-014-09 Electronic Health Record Interoperability (Richard Dixon-Hughes and Heather Leslie)	HEALTH INFORMATION	S	ISO Adoption to Australian Standard - modified		Health Indicators Conceptual Framework  Review of the currently balloted (Final Draft International Standard) FDIS 21667 to assess its appropriateness for adoption as a national standard, either as balloted or with any appropriate variations reflecting the Australian healthcare environment.	?	NHISSC		
	IDENTIFIERS	NS	Australian Technical Specification		Conformity Assessment for Systems Using Healthcare Identifiers  Current project 8101 is to revise Australian Standards for healthcare identifiers involving an integration of AS 5017, AS4846 and HB 222. This proposal is to complement this work by creating a new Australian Technical Specification describing the conformity assessment process for medical software systems that manage and use national healthcare identifiers stemming from the Medicare Australia HI Service.	YES	NEHTA		YES

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IT-014-02 Health Concept Representation (Co-Chairs Heather Grain, Leanne Holmes, Christine Coleshill, Erin Holmes)	IDENTIFIERS	S	Australian Standard		Health care client and provider identification – Metadata and Requirements  The objective of this work is to provide a single reference to the metadata and rationale for use of data required for identification in healthcare. This work goes beyond identifiers, and addresses information needed both for identification from an administrative and clinical direct care perspective within the healthcare organisation and also to support accurate identity sharing between organisations.  This work will revise AS 5017 Health care client identification, AS 4846 Health care provider identification, reflecting the requirements of the IHI projects nationally and the ISO technical specifications produced in this area (ISO 22220:2008 and ISO 27527:2010).	NO			YES
IT-014-02 Health Concept Representation (Co-Chairs Heather Grain, Leanne Holmes, Christine Coleshill, Erin Holmes)	IDENTIFIERS	NS	Australian Technical Specification		Health care client and provider identification – Part 1 Technical Implementation for information exchange  This work includes technical implementation requirements, including harmonisation of HL7 data types for identification with the more generic descriptions provided in the associated Standard. The document will also include requirements for identification information exchange. This work goes beyond identifiers, and relates to all components of the identification standard.  This project includes Implementation Guide for the new Australian Healthcare Identifier (HI) that will detail how the HI is communicated in systems using the AS 4700.1 Implementation Standards for HL7 Patient Administration Messages V2.2, V2.3, V2.3.1, V2.4, V2.5, V2.5.1 and V2.6.	NO			YES
IT-014-02 Health Concept Representation (Co-Chairs Heather Grain, Leanne Holmes, Christine Coleshill, Erin Holmes)	IDENTIFIERS	NS	Australian Technical Specification		Health care client and provider identification – Part 2 Data quality implementation  This work identifies the processes required to support quality data collection and maintenance in healthcare identification systems. The work therefore supports quality requirements of the IHI, but also quality practices in local systems and processes for all identifying information. This work will update the existing handbook HB 222 Australian Health Care Client and Provider identification Handbook and upgrade the level of this document to support potential compliance evaluation.	NO			YES
IT-014-02	IDENTIFIERS	NS	Australian Technical Specification		Health care client and provider identification – Part 3 Establishment of network organisation identifiers  This work identifies the processes to be used when implementing HPI-Os which have been established through the national health identifier service. The document includes guidelines and best practice, but also practices that are required to manage and use identifiers	YES	NEHTA		YES
IT-014-02 Health Concept Representation (Co-Chairs Heather Grain, Leanne Holmes, Christine Coleshill, Erin Holmes)	IDENTIFIERS	NS	Australian Technical Specification		Health care client and provider identification – Part 4 System and processes for identification and identifiers  This is an update to the existing HB 222 – incorporating requirements for IHI management. The work deals with the workplace requirements and processes, rather than the technical. It	NO			YES
IT-014-06-03 Patient Administration Messaging (Co Chairs Klaus Veil and Len Farlow)	IDENTIFIERS	NSP	Australian Handbook		Healthcare identifier HL7 implementation guide  This project is an Implementation Guide for the new Australian Healthcare Identifier (HI) that will detail how the HI is communicated in systems using the AS 4700.1 Implementation Standards for HL7 Patient Administration Messages V2.2, V2.3, V2.3.1, V2.4, V2.5, V2.5.1 and V2.6.				YES

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IT-014-06 or IT-014-02	IDENTIFIERS	NS	Australian Technical Specification		Healthcare Identifiers (HI) - Logical Service Specification  To reflect the information and functional requirements of the HI Service for NEHTA. These will form the basis for candidate documents for consideration by Standards Australia.	YES	NEHTA		YES
IT-014-06 or IT-014-02	IDENTIFIERS	NS	Australian Technical Specification		Healthcare Identifiers (HI) - Medicare Australia Service Specification  Medicare Australia has produced a technical interface specification during the development and implementation of the HI Service for NEHTA. These will form the basis for candidate documents for consideration by Standards Australia.	YES	NEHTA		YES
IT-014-06-05 Diagnostics Messaging (Michael Legg and Chris Lynton-Moll)	E DIAGNOSTICS	S	Australian Technical Report		Guide to HL7 V2 message parsing and management of character escaping with reference to backward compatibility  Will provide definitive reference to allow the safe parsing of HL7 messages and the correct way of dealing with reserved and non ASCII characters. It will also detail the mechanisms used to achieve backward and forward version compatibility.	NO			
	INFORMATION SECURITY	NS	Australian Technical Specification		E-health Authentication Framework  This proposal is for the creation of a publication that will define a National Authentication Framework for Health. It will be based on the Australian Government's National E-Authentication Framework and Gatekeeper PKI Framework and provide a means by which healthcare organisations can define and realise their authentication requirements for exchanging sensitive healthcare information across organisations. Implementation of the standard will be supported by the NEHTA's National Authentication Service for Health (NASH).	YES	NEHTA		YES
IT-014-04 Information Security (Chair Andrew Hacking)	INFORMATION SECURITY	NSP	Australian Handbook		Update HB-174 Information Security Management, Implementation guide for the health sector  Revise the handbook in light of newer versions of referenced standards, as well as the anticipated adoption of ISO 27799. Additionally provide a guidance perspective for audiences who have limited IT proficiency such as General Practice.	YES	NEHTA		YES
IT-014-06 Messaging and Communication (Co Chairs Klaus Veil and Max Walker)	INFORMATION SECURITY	NS	Australian Technical Report		Specifications for the use of digital signature in healthcare messages and electronic documents  The specification document created by this project will follow on from the IT-014-06 project on the location of digital signatures (Project ID 6996). It will explore, document and specify how and when digital signatures are to be used.  This project will be done jointly with IT-014-04.	NO			YES

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	MEDICATIONS	NS	Australian Technical Specification		Electronic Medication Profile - Logical Information Model  The Electronic Medication Profile (EMP) is the electronic version of a paper based Current Medication List. The EMP will standardise the data elements required for the transmission of current medication information between health care providers as a stand-alone document. It will also contribute to other healthcare documents such as the medication information that may be held within a discharge summary or referral.	YES	NEHTA		YES
IT-014-06-04 Prescription Messaging (Co-Chairs Pat Gallagher and Stephen Chu)	MEDICATIONS	S	Australian Standard		Electronic Transfer Preprescriptions (ETP) V2 EXCHANGE SPEC  AS 4700.3 Implementation of HL7 V2.x Part 3: electronic messages for exchange of information on drug prescription  This project updates the contents of AS 4700.3 (2007) Interim.	NO			
IT-014-06-04 Prescription Messaging (Co-Chairs Pat Gallagher and Stephen Chu)	MEDICATIONS	S	Australian Handbook		Electronic Transfer Preprescriptions (ETP) V2 EXCHANGE SPEC (HANDBOOK)  Implementation of HL7 V2.x Part 3: electronic messages for exchange of information on drug prescription  This project produces a new handbook document to support the revision of AS 4700.3 (2007).	NO			
IT-014-06-04 Prescription Messaging (Co-Chairs Pat Gallagher and Stephen Chu)	MEDICATIONS	S	Australian Technical Specification		ATS 4700.3.1 E-health electronic transfer of prescriptions - Logical information model  This document will incorporate the NEHTA developed drafts: 09 - NEHTA-00074-ePrescription-Specification.pdf 11 - NEHTA-00075-Dispense_Record-Specification.pdf 13 - NEHTA-00101-Prescription request structured document template (draft anticipated first week October 2010)	YES	NEHTA	NEHTA	YES
IT-014-06-04 Prescription Messaging (Co-Chairs Pat Gallagher and Stephen Chu)	MEDICATIONS	S	Australian Technical Specification		ATS 4700.3.2 E-health electronic transfer of prescriptions - Logical services model  This document will incorporate the NEHTA developed drafts: 04 - ETP-R1-ConceptOfOperations.pdf	YES		NEHTA	
IT-014-06-04 Prescription Messaging (Co-Chairs Pat Gallagher and Stephen Chu)	MEDICATIONS	S	Australian Technical Specification		ATS 4700.3.3 E-health electronic transfer of prescriptions - E-Prescription Clinical Document Architecture (CDA) exchange specification  This document will incorporate the NEHTA developed draft: 10 - NEHTA_2010_ePrescription-CDA_Implementation_Guide_Release_1_v1_0_Draft_20100620.pdf	YES		NEHTA	
IT-014-06-04 Prescription Messaging (Co-Chairs Pat Gallagher and Stephen Chu)	MEDICATIONS	S	Australian Technical Specification		ATS 4700.3.4 E-health electronic transfer of prescriptions - Dispense record Clinical Document Architecture (CDA) exchange specification  This document will incorporate the NEHTA developed draft: 12 - NEHTA_2010_Dispende_Record-CDA_Implementation_Guide_Release_1_v1_0_Draft_20100620.pdf	YES		NEHTA	

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IT-014-06-04 Prescription Messaging (Co-Chairs Pat Gallagher and Stephen Chu)	MEDICATIONS	S	Australian Technical Specification		ATS 4700.3.5 E-health electronic transfer of prescriptions - Prescription request Clinical Document Architecture (CDA) exchange specification  This document will incorporate the NEHTA developed draft: 14 - NEHTA 2010 - Prescription request CDA implementation guide (draft anticipated third week October 2010)	YES		NEHTA	
IT-014-06-04 Prescription Messaging (Co-Chairs Pat Gallagher and Stephen Chu)	MEDICATIONS	S	Australian Technical Specification		ATS 4700.3.6 E-health electronic transfer of prescription - Web Services Platform Specification  This is a set of web services interface specifications to support the electronic transfer of prescriptions. The specification needs to be considered in alignment with pathology, diagnostics, and the relationship to ATS 5820, ATS 5821, ATS 5822 and TR 5823	YES		NEHTA	
IT-014 Health Informatics Taskforce (Co Chairs Andy Bond and Jane Gilbert)	N/A	S	Australian Handbook	Internal Guidelines to IT-014	Guidelines for the specification of conformity assessment schemes for e-health standards  The scope of the proposed work is to provide guidance for the creation of conformity assessment criteria for e-health standards.				
	TELEHEALTH	NS	Australian Technical Specification		Recommendations on the delivery of, access to and viewing of diagnostic quality digital images for clinicians  Define a document and set of standards that provides the technical details that will enable a clinician as well as their technical advisors to identify the software and hardware capabilities that will assist them to make a successful transition to the digital diagnostic imaging environment. Set the benchmarks that imaging providers should achieve to facilitate access to image of a suitable quality to guide patient care.	NO			
IT-014-12 Telehealth (Anthony Maeder and Laurie Wilson)	TELEHEALTH	S	Australian Technical Report	Australian Miscellaneous Publication	Workflow of remote patient monitoring in patients with chronic disease across a continuum of care  The scope is to articulate a workflow that is inclusive of all stakeholders contributing to the management of an individual with a chronic condition, who is using remote patient monitoring.	NO			
IT-014-12 Telehealth (Anthony Maeder and Laurie Wilson)	TELEHEALTH	NS	Australian Miscellaneous Publication		Review of Strategic Telehealth Standardisation Needs  Several recent major reports on Telehealth directions in Australia have appeared. This project will review their contents to identify unmet standardisation needs. Recommendations will be made for future work items or extension of existing items.	NO		JSCHIS	
IT-014-12 Telehealth (Anthony Maeder and Laurie Wilson)	TELEHEALTH	S	Australian Miscellaneous Publication		Survey of standards for telehealth devices	NO			