

eHealth Diagnostic Imaging Report View PCEHR Conformance Profile

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Transition of terms

Certain terms used within the context of this document have changed. The table provides a clear comparison of the historical terms used in text and their current equivalents for your reference.

Historical term	Current term
National eHealth Transition Authority (NEHTA)	The Australian Digital Health Agency (ADHA)
Personally controlled electronic health record (PCEHR)	My Health Record (MHR)

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1 Introduction

1.1 Purpose

This document summarises the requirements for producers and consumers of eHealth Diagnostic Imaging Report Views produced by the national PCEHR system.

1.2 Scope

The scope of this conformance profile is the use of eHealth Diagnostic Imaging Report Views in the context of the national PCEHR system.

1.3 Intended audience

The intended audience includes:

- healthcare providers;
- vendors and developers of connecting systems; and
- software test laboratories.

2 Conformance requirements for producers

2.1 Conformance requirements for producers

023615	Objects of conformance eHealth Diagnostic Imaging Report Views SHALL only be produced by the national PCEHR system.
Priority	Mandatory

2.2 Conformance requirements for consumers

eHealth Diagnostic Imaging Report Views **MAY** be consumed by:

- clinical information systems;
- contracted service provider (CSP) systems;
- registered consumer portals; and
- registered provider portals.

Note: National infrastructure of the PCEHR system will also be a consumer of eHealth Diagnostic Imaging Report Views.

024715	Clinical information system requirements If the software consuming an eHealth Diagnostic Imaging Report View is a clinical information system, the software SHALL conform to the mandatory requirements for the role of a CIS Consumer [NEHTA2012a].
Priority	Mandatory
Additional Notes	As an eHealth Diagnostic Imaging Report View is not a clinical document the requirements related to clinical documents in the referenced document do not apply.
024716	Contracted service provider system requirements If the software consuming an eHealth Diagnostic Imaging Report View is a CSP system, the software SHALL conform to the mandatory requirements for the role of a CIS Consumer [NEHTA2012a] that are relevant for the scope of the CSP system.
Priority	Mandatory
Additional Notes	As an eHealth Diagnostic Imaging Report View is not a clinical document the requirements related to clinical documents in the referenced document do not apply.

2.2.1 Rendering requirements

An eHealth Diagnostic Imaging Report View is an XML file but is not a CDA® document.¹ Therefore, the conformance requirements in the *Common Conformance Profile for Clinical Documents* [NEHTA2015a] do not apply to eHealth Diagnostic Imaging Report Views.

023618	eHealth Diagnostic Imaging Report View presentation requirements	
	The software SHALL present eHealth Diagnostic Imaging Report Views in accordance with the mandatory requirements in the <i>eHealth Diagnostic Imaging Report View Presentation and Data Usage Guide</i> [NEHTA2015b].	
Priority	Mandatory	
Additional Notes	Software that retrieves an eHealth Diagnostic Imaging Report View must have the capability of displaying the view, and the view must be displayed according to the requirements in the <i>eHealth Diagnostic</i> <i>Imaging Report View Presentation</i> and <i>Data Usage Guide</i> [NEHTA2015b].	

¹ CDA is a registered trademark of Health Level Seven International.

Glossary

Term	Definition
clinical document	A digital file containing personal health information about an individual, containing unstructured (narrative) information and optionally structured (atomic) information.
clinical information system (CIS)	A system that deals with the collection, storage, retrieval, communication, and use of health related data, information, and knowledge pertaining to subjects of care. The system may comprise one or more applications or components.
conformance	Conformance is a measurement (by testing) of the adherence of an implementation to a specification or standard.
consumer	In this document 'consumer' refers to a software system that has the role of being a consumer of PCEHR Diagnostic Imaging Report Views.
contracted service provider (CSP)	An entity that may offer health software as a service, and support access to the PCEHR system on behalf of healthcare organisations. A CSP provides under a contract with the healthcare provider organisation: a) information technology services relating to the PCEHR system; or b) health information management services relating the PCEHR system. (Section 5 <i>PCEHR</i> Act [COM2012]).
CSP system	A software system operated by a CSP that deals information and knowledge pertaining to subjects of care [AS5021]. The system may comprise one or more applications or components. A CSP system may perform some or all of the functions of a CIS.
healthcare consumer	A person who is the subject of care. (For the software system, see 'consumer'.)
Health Record Overview (HRO)	The Health Record Overview is a view that provides a summary of an individual's eHealth record. It presents information from the Shared Health Summary and other recent clinical documents available in the eHealth record.
MAY	When appearing in a conformance requirement, the verb MAY indicates an optional requirement.
PCEHR	personally controlled electronic health record
producer	In this document 'producer' refers to a software system used by a diagnostic imaging provider to create PCEHR Diagnostic Imaging Report Views.
registered consumer portal	A third-party ² portal used by healthcare recipients to access information on the PCEHR System.
registered provider portal	A third-party portal used by healthcare providers to access information on the PCEHR System.

² Third-party refers to a software system developed independently of the national PCEHR system and intended to connect to the national PCEHR system. The portals provided by the national PCEHR system are not registered consumer or registered provider portals.

Term	Definition
registered repository	A third-party repository used to store clinical documents and other clinical data that connects to the PCEHR system. A repository may either store clinical documents in a proprietary format or a CDA® format.
SHALL	When appearing in a conformance requirement, the verb SHALL indicates a mandatory requirement. Its negative form SHALL NOT indicates a prohibition.
SHOULD	When appearing in a conformance requirement, the verb SHOULD indicates a recommendation. Its negative form SHOULD NOT indicates an option that is not recommended.

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