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Topic: Impact of eHealth on Australian statistics

## Abstract

Health information in Australia is collected for clinical and operational purposes and then re-used for statistical reporting to support policy, planning, evaluation and accountability, as well as for clinical research.

As eHealth continues to transform clinical and operational processes over the next few years, impacts on the statistical data supply chain and associated roles can be expected.

This presentation will describe work being done by the Australian Institute of Health and Welfare, in collaboration with the National e-Health Transition Authority, to explore these impacts, and discuss some of the possible changes which may affect health information managers.