

SEA-GP Treasure Chest (4th March 2009)
Reduce Scanning Costs and Time with iHealth

An interesting night was had by all at the presentation at the Pacific Golf Club on Thursday 19th Feb, when Alan Rettke, Dr Peter Adkins and Dr Russell Hunter presented iHealth. iHealth is a free service provided by General Practice Qld. iHealth allows your Practice to both send and receive reports electronically from Specialists, GPs and Allied Health Providers. When iHealth software is installed, your doctors will receive the Specialist report directly into their medical software, instead of being sent a hard copy. The report is directly linked to the correct patient, just like receiving a pathology result. The report is stored in the patient's electronic file. This saves your Practice a significant amount of money, by reducing the amount of time spent scanning paper reports into an electronic format. Also, GPs can use iHealth to quickly send a letter or referral to a Specialist or Allied Health Provider. Using iHealth to send a letter is faster and cheaper than sending a fax. Contact your Practice Liaison Officer at SEA-GP if you would like more information about this.