

Building local pathways for better care

Published Pathway Suites

- Alcohol and Drug
- Breast Cancer Screening
- Cellulitis
- Child Health (General Paediatrics and ENT)
- Dentistry
- Deprescribing
- Legal and Ethical
- Mental Health (anxiety, depression and suicide prevention)
- Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery
- Pregnancy
- Radiation Oncology
- Sexual Health
- Urology
- Voluntary Assisted Dying

Reviewed Pathway Suites

- Cardiology
- Disability Parking
- Family Violence
- Guide to MBS Items
- Immunisation
- Organ and Tissue Donation
- Transgender Health

Progress Report 2018-19



New Legislation

A number of pathways have been developed to support GPs with navigating practice changes in due to new legislation. This includes: Medicinal Cannabis, MyHealth Record, SafeScript and Voluntary Assisted Dying.

Statewide Collaboration

Department of Health and Human Services (DHHS) and Victoria and Tasmania Primary Health Network Alliance (VTPHNA) funded statewide work were a big focus for the year. Pathways were developed to support the Optimal Care Cancer Pathways, the SafeScript implementation, the Acute Specialist Clinic reform and the Statewide Paediatric HealthPathways project.

Technical Integration

Successful HealthPathways Melbourne eReferral Integration commenced this year. The eReferral integration allows general practices referring to Austin Health, Eastern Health and Northern Health and using compliant clinical software to access HealthPathways Melbourne referral pathways from the electronic referral template. 1,137 pageviews have been result of this integration since March 2019.

GP Engagement

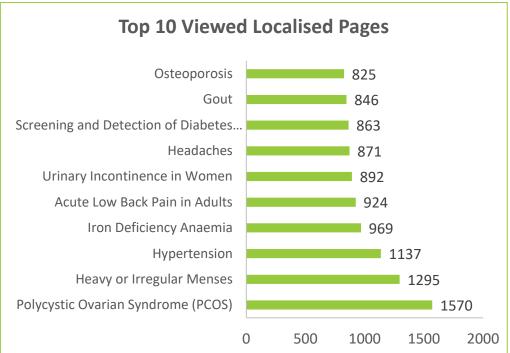
A focus on GP engagement has helped drive the increase in number of users and number of general practices with automatic login to HealthPathways Melbourne.

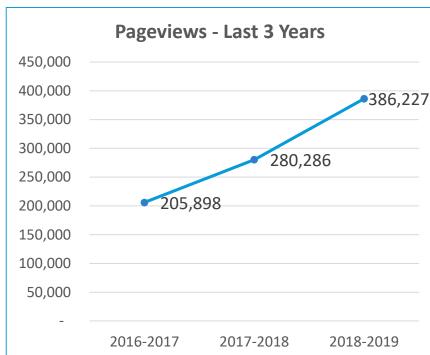
Automatic login to the website provides GPs with a more seamless experience, thus encouraging more frequent and more meaningful use of HealthPathways Melbourne.

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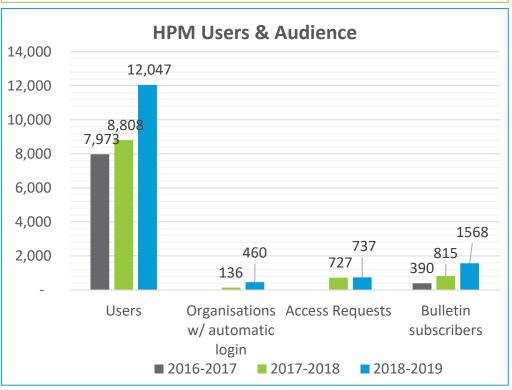


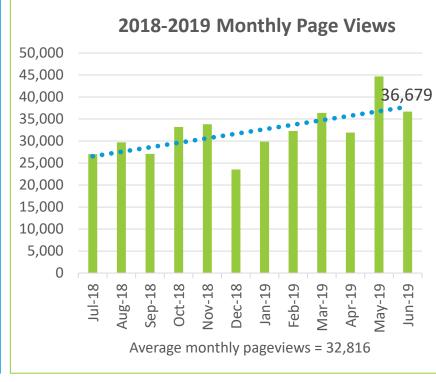
Pathways & Engagement Statistics













Users & Page Views: The upward trend in number of users is consistent with the increase in pageviews, with a 37% increase from 2017-2018 to 2018-2019 Top 10 Viewed localised pathways: Polycystic Ovarian Syndrome (PCOS) and Low Back Pain in Adults consistently in the top 10 the last 3 years.

Top 10 Search Terms: Diabetes, Gout, Diabetes, Gout, Hypertension, Back pain, Shingles consistently in the top 10 frequently used search terms.