

Pre-Reading Material

We are delighted to have you join our **Aged Care Connected Conversations: An Interactive Networking Event**.

Following dinner and informal networking, CESPHN staff will share the latest updates on key aged care programs, including GPACI, My Health Record, GP Connect, and ACOP. After these presentations, you will take part in guided, smallgroup discussions at your table, using the topics and questions outlined below. These conversations are designed to encourage collaboration, share insights, and strengthen connections across the sector.

To help you get the most out of the evening, you are invited to familiarise yourself with our key programs ahead of time:

- [General Practice Aged Care Incentive \(GPACI\)](#): Supports GPs in aged care settings.
- [My Health Record](#): Digital health record for continuity of care.
- [GP Connect](#): Facilitates communication between GPs and aged care facilities.
- [Aged Care On-Site Pharmacist \(ACOP\)](#): Enhances medication management and safety.

Discussion Topics

Goal: Encourage practical, solution-focused conversations.

1. Building Stronger Partnerships

- What does effective collaboration look like in your role, and how can others support that?
- If you could change one thing about how you communicate across roles, what would it be?

2. Digital Health Integration

- How are you currently using My Health Record in your workflow? What's working well? How can My Health Record be used more effectively to support collaboration across the care team?

3. Medication Safety & ACOP

- How can pharmacists and GPs work together to reduce the risk of polypharmacy?
- What role should facility leaders play in supporting medication reviews?
- How can Aged Care Facilities ensure GPs and Pharmacists can access eNRMC software on site?

4. GPACI & Workforce Support

- How can GPs, Pharmacists and Aged Care Facilities work together to ensure patients receive the required care planning services under GPACI and what gaps still remain?
- How can facilities make it easier for GPs and pharmacists to collaborate onsite?

5. Future Opportunities

- If resources weren't a barrier, what innovation would you introduce to improve aged care?
- What workforce or resource gaps exist, and how can we address them collaboratively?