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Country South Australia Primary Health Network signs with Global Health

1 August 2016: Global Health signs significant contract with the Country South Australia Primary Health Network (Country SA PHN).

The contract with Country SA PHN follows on from the contract with the Adelaide PHN (metropolitan) for the **MasterCare Chronic Disease** portfolio of applications announced in January and successfully deployed in July this year.

Country SA PHN services all of rural South Australia, comprising 99.8% of the State's geography and approximately 30% of SA's total population, with the remaining 70% of the State's population covered by the Adelaide PHN.

"The commissioning will involve the merger of existing patient records across Country SA with the Adelaide (Metropolitan) PHN resulting in a single **MasterCare Electronic Medical Records** database across both the metropolitan and country regions servicing the 1.7m population of South Australia," said Global Health's CEO Mathew Cherian.

The South Australia PHNs will have their activity consolidated into separate **MasterCare Data Warehouse** platforms to provide each PHN with consolidated, real-time dashboards across the variety of programs and services within each of their regions.

Mathew Cherian said,

"The licence also provides for the deployment of Global Health's **ReferralNet** secure messaging platform to support the electronic exchange of correspondence between GPs, Allied Health and Specialist providers across the APHN region using the Australian government mandated **Secure Message Delivery (SMD)** protocol.

"The deployment of **MasterCare** across South Australia consolidates MasterCare's position as Australia's leading collaborative healthcare solution for a multi-disciplinary, patient-centric model particularly targeting patients that need lifelong, on-going healthcare services to maintain a high quality of life."

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The **MasterCare** suite of software solutions is Australia's most comprehensive clinical and administrative tool. It is designed to empower clinical service delivery organisations to better engage with their patients and other external organisations in shared-care models of healthcare services.

The **MasterCare Data Warehouse** helps PHNs gain insights from their mental health and chronic disease data to monitor trends and analyse areas of need, referral patterns, clinical outcomes and services using multi-dimensional information.

Primary Health Networks were established by the Australian Federal Government to increase the efficiency and effectiveness of medical services for patients, particularly those at risk of poor health outcomes, and to improve coordination of care to ensure patients receive the right care in the right place at the right time. The core operations of PHNs include:

- Population health planning (needs assessments/data analysis) including service gap identification
- Health care commissioning particularly for vulnerable populations
- Practice support services so that GPs are better placed to provide care to patients and avoid hospitalisation
- Supporting general practices with safety and quality
- Assisting general practices with Digital Health (previously eHealth).

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