

# Working with NSW Health (CHIP) on regional initiatives

## Updates for WS Regional Community Care Forum, 6 July 2011

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# Background

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- WSCF HACCC Development project started working with CHIP in February 2011.
- CHIP (Centre for Health Innovation and Partnership) under NSW Health - spearheads regional initiatives to improve the health of people living in Sydney West (and beyond).

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With the move to a “unified aged care”, it has become increasingly important that we align our efforts with initiatives being undertaken by other sectors, especially NSW Health.

## Efforts to date

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- Panel discussion –  
“Intergenerational Health Systems Conference”  
February 2011 (taking our workforce into the future)
- CHIP presentation/”meet and greet” at  
Western Sydney HACCC Managers Forum,  
March 2011

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- CHIP Leaders Forum-  
April 2011
- “Working in Community Care”-  
presentation at  
NSW Career Advisers Expo, May 2011

## Efforts to date

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- Submission on PCEHR  
(Personally-Controlled eHealth Record),  
May 2011
- Meetings

## Some current efforts

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- “Health, Aged and Community Care Services: Developing a sustainable ten-year workforce development plan for Greater Western Sydney”

## Current efforts

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- Improving Chronic Disease Management in Western Sydney –

“Connecting Care Service” is presenting at Western Sydney HACC Managers Forum, 20 July

## Current efforts

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- **Westmead Aged Care Model Service of Care**

Identifying opportunities for care connection.

Looking to have a forum with community care sector in September 2011.

## Current efforts

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### Western Sydney Medicare Local (WentWest Ltd.)

- Will present at WS HACCC Managers Forum, 20 July
- “GP, Community & Stakeholder Forum”

Thurs, 14 July 2011

Level 1/85 Flushcombe Rd. Blacktown

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## Current efforts

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- Representation in

**“Integrated Cardiovascular Care Forum:  
Engaging all Hospital, GP and  
Community Services”**

Wednesday, 31 August 2011

6.00 pm-8.30 pm

UWS Auditorium, Blacktown Hospital

## Others

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Looking to greater participation in-

- Greater Western Sydney eHealth Consortium

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