

Release: Individual Patient Approvals (IPA) is coming to WA Health Services

We are pleased to announce that Western Australia Health has signed a contract to purchase our IPA management system.

The HCS IPA Platform allows clinicians to make requests for Individual Patient Approvals for medicines with review by the appropriate Therapeutic Committees. It provides management, tracking and reporting of the full life cycle of IPAs from initial request to final outcome.

It will replace the current WA Health manual IPA process. By integrating information across the WA Health Service systems, it will streamline the process, simplify workflows, and deliver much improved tracking, visibility and record keeping of IPAs.

The IPA management system was designed in consultation with the state equivalent of the Drug Therapeutic Council (DTC) and the Tasmania Medicines Access and Advisory Committee (TMAAC). This has allowed us to create a solution that will fit seamlessly into the day-to-day operations of doctors, pharmacists, and the appropriate therapeutics council.

