

# **Residential Aged Care**

## **Telehealth Training Program**

### Why is this needed?

Telehealth in aged care is growing fast. This training program supports consistent best practice across the sector.

#### Who's it for?

This program is for anyone who provides telehealth services to residents in aged care settings, including clinicians, specialists and other medical, health and wellbeing professionals.



#### What does it cover?

It helps you deliver telehealth effectively, while working with onsite clinicians, care teams, residents, families and carers.

#### How does it work?

The training is made up of a series of eLearning modules, with an optional up-front diagnostic to help you decide which modules you want to complete.

- Modules are about 6 minutes long, so you can fit them around your busy schedule.
- Each module provides practical advice, a checklist and resources to help you apply your learning quickly and easily.
- Plain language, closed captions and videos help make the materials more accessible.
- And if you're a GP, you can claim CPD points for completing the training from the Australian College of Rural and Remote Medicine or the Royal Australian College of General Practitioners.

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#### What are the benefits?

- Reduces service delivery costs and travel time.
- Contributes to early intervention leading to fewer unplanned hospital and clinic visits.
- Facilitates easier multi-disciplinary case management.
- Enables easier sharing of data, records and care plans.
- Broadens access to peers from interstate and around the world.
- Reduces physical contact which lowers the risk of spreading infectious diseases.
- Enables the involvement of family members and carers in consultations for a holistic approach to care.
- Facilitates monitoring of care plan engagement by the resident, aged care staff, family and carers.

## Phn COOPERATIVE

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Contact your Primary Health Network today to register your interest!