Medicare Locals need clear, integrated plans of how the local health system will be most effective and how patient outcomes will be improved. These plans need to be created in collaboration with multiple stakeholder groups, and be aligned with contractual requirements for providers.

**What is the Map of Medicine?**

Map of Medicine supports the optimisation of patient care by providing instant access to comprehensive, evidence-based local guidance and clinical decision support at the point of care.

Making your local care pathways available across your Medicare Local, Map of Medicine is proven to standardise clinical practice, reduce variation in care and improve outcomes.

**Providing support to clinicians**

Available at the **Point of Care**, the map supports **Shared Decision Making**, allowing clinicians to keep **Patients Informed** about their care journey.

**More than 300 Evidence-Based, Practice-Informed Care Pathways**

Map of Medicine is used by Medicare Locals every day to support decision making and realise **Significant Savings**.

Access to more than **1,500 Locally Customised Care Pathways** to support Medicare Locals on their quest to **Standardise and Improve Patient Care**.

**Point-of-Care Access** to pathways via an alongside GP system approach.

For every local health community of 200,000, the map can enable savings of AUD **2.5 Million**.
Operating alongside a clinical system, Map of Medicine is designed to support clinical decision making at the point of care, without disrupting the clinical workflow.

Map of Medicine:

- Is embedded within the clinical workflow
- Enables patient-specific search of care pathways at the point of care
- Provides one-click access to local and national care pathways
- Puts your local care pathways within easy reach of all clinical teams
- Facilitates the alignment of services across the health economy

Professor J. Horvath’s recent Review of Medicare Locals¹ called for a number of specific activities that needed to take place to transform Australian healthcare. These included:

- Reducing variation in care by standardising care pathways
- Supporting continuity of care across care settings and improving patient experience

Map of Medicine’s evidence-based pathways offer Medicare Locals the means to create local care guidance and drive improved patient experience and outcomes.

1. Review of Medicare Locals: Report to the Minister for Health and Minister for Sport, Professor John Horvath, AOMBBM FRACP, 4 March 2014

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