

# LEADERSHIP IN CLINICAL INFORMATICS



## Leadership in clinical informatics is imperative if we are to get digital health right

The Health Informatics Society of Australia (HISA) issues this call to action for all organisations and clinical disciplines working across public, private, small, medium and large health services to take decisive action to recognise, elevate and support clinical informatics leaders and to build a professional clinical informatics workforce.

## HOW

We:



**Rethink and redesign clinical work** – to make technology work for us and our patients



**Lead the change** – taking healthcare teams along the digital journey



**Commit resources, time and build expertise** – we need to be recognised and supported



**Are the bridge between** clinical expertise, the healthcare ecosystem, and the supporting information and technology



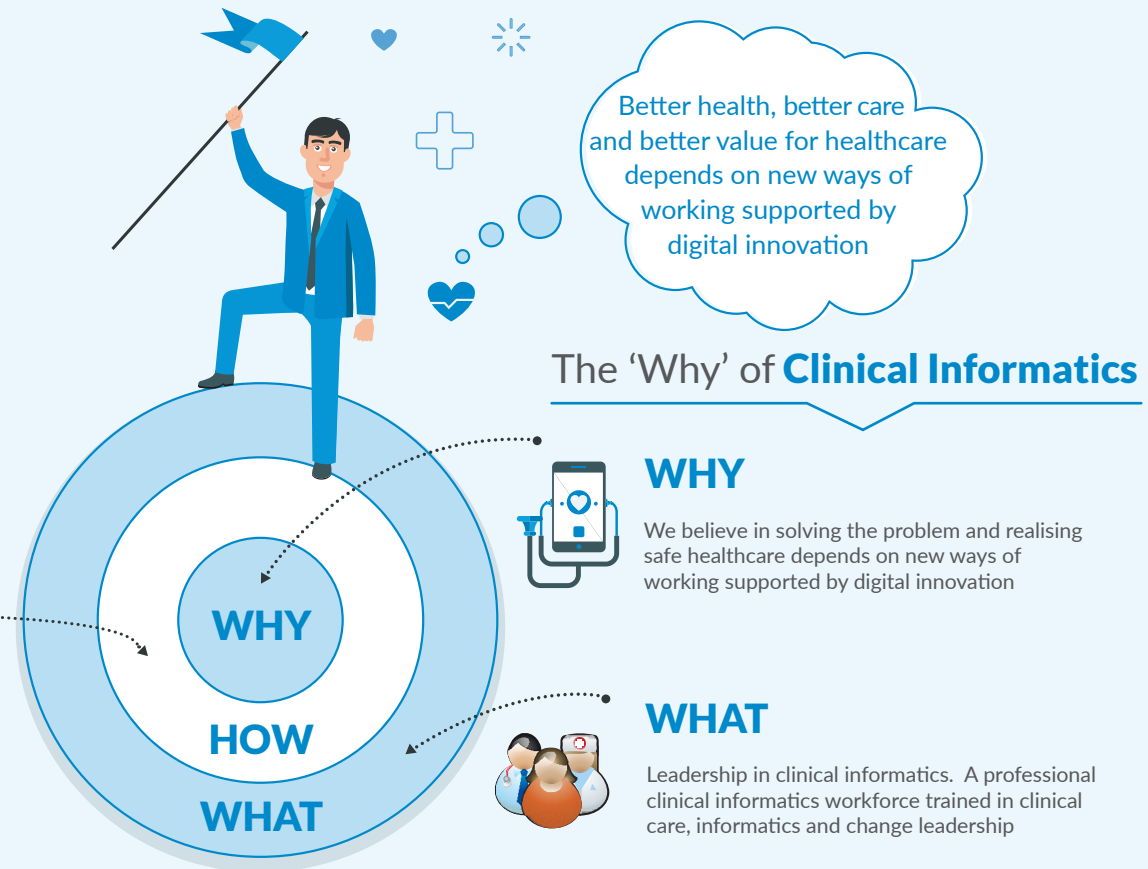
**Value the patient, information sharing and health data use in real-time**

## WHO



CLINICAL INFORMATICS LEADERS COME FROM ALL HEALTH PROFESSIONAL GROUPS

In the (near) future, as technology embeds in the system of healthcare, clinical informatics will transcend discipline-specific nuances.



## The 'Why' of Clinical Informatics

### WHY

We believe in solving the problem and realising safe healthcare depends on new ways of working supported by digital innovation

### WHAT

Leadership in clinical informatics. A professional clinical informatics workforce trained in clinical care, informatics and change leadership

## CALL TO ACTION

### Clinicians

- ✓ **Upskill** - undertake training in informatics, upskill in digital health
- ✓ **Lean in** - be leaders in better health through digital health

### Healthcare Organisations

- ✓ **Support** - support your aspiring senior clinical leaders in their clinical informatics career
- ✓ **Elevate** - give them appropriate authority, time and resources to take healthcare teams along the digital 'journey'
- ✓ **Build** - build a professional clinical informatics workforce