

Busting the Myths of My Health Record Master Answer Sheet

This master answer sheet is for digital mentors using the Busting the Myths of My Health Record Quiz Worksheet. On the learner worksheet, participants circle True or False to each of the questions below.

Once they have finished answering the questions, the facilitator will lead a discussion highlighting each correct answer, using this master answer sheet.

	Statement	True or False Circle one
1	My past medical history will be automatically uploaded to My Health Record.	⊺/ E
	False	
	 My past medical history will <u>not</u> be automatically uploaded. Some data from Medicare, Pharmaceutical Benefit Scheme (PBS), Repatriation Schedule of Pharmaceutical Benefit Scheme (RPBS), decisions on organ donation, current immunisations such as Covid - 19, may be uploaded. 	
2	Anyone can look at a My Health Record	T / <u>F</u>
	False	
	 There is a high level of security attached to My Health Record. Specific training is required before anyone is granted access to My Health Record. Regular audits are conducted to check who has accessed records and why. Severe penalties are in place for improper access of My Health Record. 	
3	The Police, ATO or Centrelink staff can access a MY Health Record.	T / E
	False	
	 The Australian Digital Health Agency protects and manages the data located in My Health Record. Access to My Health Record will not be granted unless there is a legal requirement. 	



4	Reception staff working in medical offices will be able to access a My Health Record.	<u>T</u> /F
	True - in some circumstances in order to support your care	
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	NB : In the past when medical reports were faxed between offices, reception staff were readily able to view patient files. However they had to adhere to the Privacy Act (1988) which is the law protecting individuals privacy and confidentiality. This Act is still current today.	
5	Doctors working for insurance companies and their staff will be able to access a My Health Record to help them sell their products.	T / E
	False	
	 This is not a valid reason for accessing a My Health Record. Severe penalties are in place for improper access of My Health Record. 	
6	You need a Medicare or Department of Veteran Affairs card to have a My Health Record.	T / <u>F</u>
	False	
	 Refugees or new migrants can apply for an Individual Health Identifier number (IHIN). Then a My Health Record can be created. 	