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VIRTUAL EVENT



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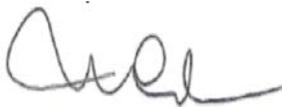
## **Welcome to the inaugural CHIEF Executive Forum CGlobal Virtual Event**

I am pleased to introduce the CHIEF Executive Forum CGlobal (CHIEF Global) Virtual Event, bringing health leaders from Australia and Canada together to share stories and challenges as we navigate this unprecedented time in our industry. In a time of physical distancing, leaders understand it is critical to continue to make connections with one another in any way we can, no matter how far-flung.

There are a number of similarities between Canada and Australia. Our countries are both former British colonies with economies that rely largely on natural resources and tourism, and both countries have built a comprehensive health and welfare system that supports a population spread across vast distances—it follows that we face similar challenges in health delivery across a rapidly changing digital world.

Our special guests from the Australasian Institute of Digital Health will generously share the insights gathered from responses to their 2020 digital health survey. I hope this new event brings opportunities to connect, form new networks and build trusted relationships, and learn from one another. I look forward to today's discussion.

Please reach out to me at [mark.casselman@digitalhealthcanada.com](mailto:mark.casselman@digitalhealthcanada.com) with your questions and ideas as we work together to set the agenda for the effective use of information and technology to improve health and healthcare in Canada.



Mark Casselman  
Digital Health Canada

**THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 10**  
**FRIDAY SEPTEMBER 11**

**CHIEF Executive Forum CGlobal Virtual Event with Special Guests from the Australasian Institute of Digital Health**

Introducing the CHIEF Executive Forum CGlobal Virtual Event, gathering Canadian and Australian digital health leaders together for networking and discussion of the Australasian Institute of Digital Health (AIDH) 2020 digital health survey and its results.

The discussion will be facilitated by Dr. Louise Schaper, CEO, AIDH. Dr. Schaper will be joined by Neville Board RN, BA, MPH, FACHI, Chief Digital Health Officer, DHHS Victoria and Shelley Nowlan, Chief Nursing and Midwifery Officer, Queensland Department of Health.

Also in attendance will be representatives from the AIDH’s Digital Health Executives Network, making CGlobal a place for establishing a broader networking group across two countries while learning about initiatives undertaken by digital health leaders in each setting.

**PROGRAM**

<b>SEPTEMBER 10 EST Canada</b>	<b>SEPTEMBER 11 EST Australia</b>	
5:45-6PM	7:45-8AM	Informal networking
6 -6:10PM	8 -8:10AM	Welcome and Opening Remarks
6:10-6:35PM	8:10-8:35AM	Panel Discussion
6:35-7:05PM	8:35-9:05AM	<p><b>Breakouts</b></p> <p>We have gained insight through the COVID-19 pandemic with regards to the role of digital health and how we can harness and apply those learnings to ensure our systems and our people are better prepared for the future and delivering care in a digital world.</p> <p>Consider the topic areas listed below. What is the most important learning you are applying or preparing to apply in your organization?</p> <p><i>(Each breakout group will be assigned two topics)</i></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Workforce</li> <li>2. Digital platforms and standards for technology</li> <li>3. Data - how it moves around the system, interoperability and standards</li> <li>4. Telehealth and virtual care</li> <li>5. Public health</li> <li>6. Consumers</li> </ol>
7:10-7:30PM	9:10-9:30AM	Return to main room

## PRESENTERS

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**Neville Board** RN, BA, MPH, FACHI, Chief Digital Health Officer (CDHO) at Department of Health and Human Services (DHHS) Victoria. Prior to being appointed to the CDHO role in 2018, Neville headed the eHealth and Medication Safety program at the Australian Commission on Safety and Quality in Health Care. Neville is a registered nurse and has worked in clinical, management, and informatics roles, including leprosy and primary care programs in the Brazilian Amazon. He implemented radiotherapy information systems and clinical cancer registries in NSW, and has published on hospital in the home, day-only and short stay surgery, and cardiac and post-acute care.



Neville is an Adjunct Fellow at the Australian Institute of Health Innovation, Macquarie University.

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**Dr. Louise Schaper**, CEO and Fellow, Australasian Institute of Digital Health. As leader of Australia's peak body for digital health, Dr Louise Schaper, is a passionate advocate for the transformation of healthcare, enabled by technology. Dr. Schaper brings together world-class clinicians, researchers, innovators and organisations from across the biomedical, health and technology spectrum who are committed to the improvement of health outcomes enabled through innovative uses of technology and information. She is a facilitator, an innovator and a change agent who explores and leverages the convergence of people, systems and technologies in the transformation and future of health and medicine.



With a background as an occupational therapist, Louise has a PhD in technology acceptance among health professionals, is a graduate of Stanford's Executive Leadership Program, a Certified Health Informatician, a Salzburg Global Seminar Fellow and a Fellow of the International Academy of Health Sciences Informatics. Louise holds Adjunct Fellow positions at the University of Melbourne and Macquarie University and is a Board Director of Asthma Australia.

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**Shelley Nowlan**, Chief Nursing and Midwifery Officer, Queensland Department of Health, provides overall professional and industry advice for nursing and midwifery matters across Queensland. This includes leading, advocating and supporting nurses and midwives to provide quality, safe care for Queensland communities through policy, direction and regulation. Shelley has over 30 years' experience in healthcare, including 17 years' experience in a range of metropolitan, regional and rural public sector executive clinical and health administrative leadership roles at a strategic and operational level.



She is a people-orientated executive leader with experience in contemporary healthcare systems including clinical innovation, leadership development, strategic planning, change management, policy development at state level, research, clinical practice and workforce development. Shelley's leadership has helped achieve practical outcomes within the nursing profession and as well as clinical care re-design programs and has led to success in developing and leading statewide and district clinical leadership programs.

Shelley has had significant experience in both capital works programs and commissioning of health services along with the development and implementation of patient models of care and care innovations. Her experience within the nursing profession extends nationally and internationally.



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