

# Digital Literacy

Developing ehealth capabilities for practice in a rapidly changing healthcare environment

## Building Connections



### The major knowledge content areas in this theme are:

- Service providers letting go of ownership of clients and their information, and instead entering into a collaborative partnership
- Empowering consumers to manage their health care, and drive activity that will address health problems.
- Enabling care through collaboration

The theme Building Connections described taking advantage of digital media to enable

seamless communication and connectivity between consumers, all of their healthcare providers, and various sources of information. It includes sharing with other consumers with similar conditions to empower them to contribute to or take control of their health care.

[Click here](#) to read about the interviews that informed the development of this theme.

Capability levels



### **BASIC LEVEL**

Applies existing skills to new digital tools and spaces.



### **MEDIUM LEVEL**

Selectively chooses digital tools and spaces to communicate with others who have a shared interest in the content.



### **ADVANCED LEVEL**

Selectively chooses digital tools

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and spaces to share content  
students have created or collated  
to meet the needs of specific  
target health care professionals  
and/or consumers.