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Emerging Systems builds further clinical expertise in Australian Clinical Systems Implementation Team

The importance of a knowledgeable, skilled, and adaptable IT workforce with passion for improving patient outcomes is being embraced by Emerging Systems to meet the needs of their healthcare clients.

5 September 2013 Emerging Systems, an Australian leader in Clinical Information Systems, Electronic Medical Records and Systems Integration is pleased to announce appointments to their Clinical Implementations Team.

"We are delighted to welcome Ms Annabelle Dominguez, Ms Megan Zigomanis and Ms Sue McIndoe to the Emerging Systems eHealth Solutions Team" said Mr Bryan Macdonald – Clinical Implementations Group Manager at Emerging Systems. "Healthcare IT implementations are complex and people focussed so the extensive knowledge and experience these individuals will bring to Emerging Systems will further strengthen our position in the Clinical Information System, Electronic Medical Record and Integration market."

Ms Dominguez joins Emerging Systems with more than a decade of clinical experience including emergency nursing, clinical application implementation and training roles. She holds a Masters in Public Health and her new role will involve leveraging her clinical skills to support the delivery of clinical information and electronic medical record systems to our Sydney based clients.

Ms Megan Zigomanis brings to Emerging Systems over 10 years experience as a clinical and hospital pharmacist. Before joining Emerging Systems she was the Pharmacy lead involved in the Health*SMART* project at Eastern Health in Victoria. Through her past roles Ms Zigomanis has gained extensive experience in healthcare informatics analysis, project planning and management in complex healthcare environments.

Ms Zigomanis' role as Clinical Applications Specialist, will focus on the further development of Emerging Systems ePrescribing and Medications Management solution while collaborating with our third party providers to further establish a market leading product. Ms Zigomanis will also be responsible for supporting deployments of the ePrescribing and Medication Management solutions that significantly reduce errors and prevent patient injury.

Ms Sue McIndoe has extensive experience and qualifications in healthcare informatics and has a clinical background as a Registered Nurse. Her involvement as clinical lead for the National eHealth Transition Authority (NEHTA), and most recently as Senior Project Officer eHealth for the Royal Australian College of General Practitioners, provides Emerging Systems clients with a key resource who has significant insight into the governments eHealth initiatives.

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Ms McIndoe's previous role as Informatics Manager for the Royal District Nursing Service for 6 years included responsibility for the RDNS client management information system in Australia and collaboration with the RDNS New Zealand office to implement the system. Under her leadership, RDNS built and deployed their national pregnancy, birth and baby helpline and a wound product ordering system linking RDNS to suppliers. Ms McIndoe also held responsibility for establishing project management structures and educational initiatives which are vital skills for Emerging Systems client implementations.

 "These appointments reflect Emerging Systems priority for selecting experienced healthcare IT professionals who are able to adapt and work in the client environment in a timely manner. More importantly, they demonstrate a passion for improving patient outcomes using healthcare IT. This focus is proving a successful formula for Emerging Systems and, more importantly, for our Client's" states Mr Macdonald.

Further information for media:

Emerging Systems has a demonstrated record of Clinical Information System, Electronic Medical Record and Integration Engine implementations including the deployment of a state-wide clinical information system for the South Australian government, SA Health (known internally as Clinical Practice Support CPS). Emerging Systems Clinical Information System (known internally at St Vincent's, Sydney as deLacy after one of the founding nuns) was originally developed by clinicians at St Vincent's & Mater Health, Sydney and has been implemented in St Vincent's Private Hospital for over a decade. The system was recently selected and is being phased in to all of the St Vincent's Health Australia Group Hospitals.

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