

Software Developer Impact Roadmap

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ADHA

DVA

Cross Agency

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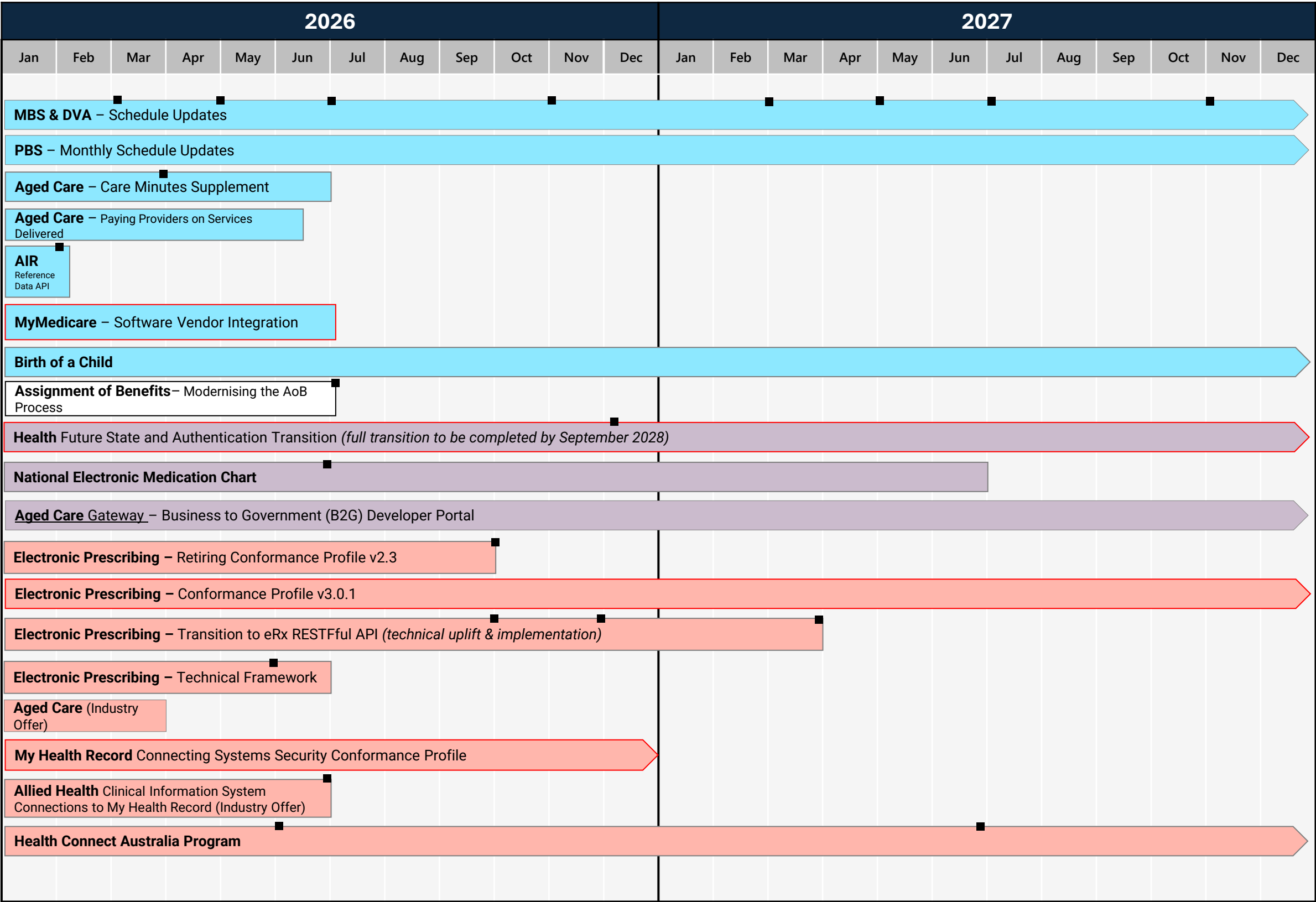
Ongoing


Milestone

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This roadmap has been developed to capture known impacts to software developers in collaboration with **Services Australia**, the **Department of Health, Disability and Ageing (DHDA)**, the **Australian Digital Health Agency (ADHA)**, and the **Department of Veteran Affairs (DVA)**.

The roadmap will provide visibility and transparency of planned activities, enabling cross government collaboration and strategic planning with industry.



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New to roadmap	Date of implementation	Change Event	Initiative	Who will it impact?	Front Door Contact
No	2026-01-01 2026-03-01 2026-07-01 2026-11-01 2027-01-01 2027-03-01 2027-07-01	MBS & DVA schedule changes occur 3 times per year in March, July and November, with only EMSN changes occurring on 1 January each year	MBS & DVA XML File Update	Medicare Online & Private Health Insurance developers	developerliaison@servicesaustralia.gov.au
No	2026-01-01 2026-07-01 2027-01-01 2027-07-01	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Community Nursing annual fee indexation occurs on 1 January each year DVA medical and allied health services fee schedule indexation, occurring in July each year 	DVA Schedule changes	Medicare Online & Private Health Insurance developers	developerliaison@servicesaustralia.gov.au
No	2026-02-01	From 1 February 2026, the AIR Vaccine Code Formats User Guide will be removed from the Health Systems Developer Portal (the Portal).We encourage AIR software developers utilise AIR Reference Data API to access all vaccine details on or after 1 February 2026.	AIR Reference Data API	AIR developers	developerliaison@servicesaustralia.gov.au
Yes	2026-06-01	Changes to Care Minute Funding (Care Minutes Supplement)	Aged Care Reforms (new Aged Care Act 2024)	Aged Care developers	agedcareonline@servicesaustralia.gov.au
No	2026-06	Product delivery, including conformance to HI, MHR and EP and viewing and uploading capability to MHR	Allied Health Clinical Information System Connections to My Health Record	Allied Health CIS vendors	help@digitalhealth.gov.au
No	2026-06	Limited Production Release of the Health Connect Provider Directory June 2026 to June 2027 national roll out of the Health Connect Provider Directory	Health Connect Australia Program		help@digitalhealth.gov.au
No	2026-06-30	Publication of the Electronic Prescribing Technical Framework: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> National Prescription Delivery Service/Active Script List Registry Conformance Profile v4.0 General Prescribing Systems and Other Connecting Systems Conformance Profile v4.0 Medication Chart Prescribing Systems (Standard) Conformance Profile v4.0 Electronic Prescribing Solution Architecture v4.0 Electronic Prescribing Conformance Assessment Scheme v3.0 Software Vendor Implementation Roadmap v1.0 	Modernisation of Electronic Prescribing Technical Framework	Electronic prescribing developers	
Yes	2026-07-01	Legislation start date for the minimum legislative requirements	Modernising the Assignment of Benefits Process	Medicare Online & ECLIPSE developers	assignmentofbenefit@health.gov.au
No	2026-07-01	Implementation of electronic medication charts to be used in expanded clinical settings, as developed in the National Electronic Medication Chart Framework	National Electronic Medication Chart Framework	Electronic prescribing developers	
No	2026-09-29 2026-09-30	Last day of use Day of retirement	Retiring the Electronic Prescribing Conformance Profile v2.3	Electronic prescribing developers	help@digitalhealth.gov.au
Yes	2026-09-30 2026-11-30 2026-03-30 2026-03-31	Connecting systems must achieve conformance to Conformance Profile v3.0.1 on the RESTful API specifications. Connecting systems that previously attained conformance to Conformance Profile v3.0.1 on the eRx Script Exchange Adopter must complete redevelopment to RESTful API specifications and delta conformance testing. eRx Script Exchange adapter – Last day of use eRx Script Exchange adapter – Retirement	Electronic Prescribing – Transition to eRx RESTFful API	Electronic prescribing developers	help@digitalhealth.gov.au
No	2026-09-01 2028-09-01	End of life for NASH PKI which will transition to a future state model for Health. Consultation and planning is currently underway to develop a future state authentication solution. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Software developers will have 12 months to upgrade from September 2026 Transition must be completed by September 2028. NASH will cease and there is no extension. 	Transition to future state authentication for Health.	All developers	dh.interfaces@health.gov.au