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Australian general practitioners' views on qualities that make effective discharge communication: a scoping review

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Supplementary Appendix Tables

Supplementary Data Table S1: Complete search strategy Medline via Ovid

MeSH terms	Synonyms and Keywords
Patient Discharge Summaries	"patient discharge summaries" OR "patient discharge summary" OR "Discharge Summary" OR "Discharge letters" OR "Discharge Summaries" OR "Discharge letter" OR "Discharge Communications" OR
OR	"Discharge Communication" OR "E-Discharge" OR "Electronic Discharge"
AND	
Physicians, Family OR Family Practice OR General Practitioners OR General Practice OR Secondary Care OR Primary Health Care OR Hospitalists OR Physicians OR Medical Staff	"Family physicians" OR GP OR "Primary care" OR "Post-hospital care" OR "Family Practice" OR "General Practitioners" OR "General Practitioner" OR "General Practice" OR "Secondary care" OR "Primary health care" OR Doctor* OR Hospitalist* OR Physician* OR "Medical Staff"
OR	
AND	
Patient Discharge OR Patient Transfer OR Continuity of Patient Care OR Patient Handoff	"Patient Discharge" OR "Patient Transfer" OR "Hospital Discharge" OR "Continuity of Patient Care" OR "Continuity of Care" OR "Patient Handoff" OR "Transition of Care"
OR	

Supplementary Data Table S2: Complete search strategy via Cochrane register of controlled drug trials and systematic reviews

MeSH terms	Synonyms and Keywords
Patient Discharge Summaries OR	"patient discharge summaries" OR "patient discharge summary" OR "Discharge Summary" OR "Discharge letters" OR "Discharge Summaries" OR "Discharge letter" OR "Discharge Communications" OR "Discharge Communication" OR "E-Discharge" OR "Electronic Discharge"
AND	
Physicians, Family Family Practice General Practitioners General Practice "Secondary Care" OR "Primary Health Care" OR "Hospitalists" OR "Physicians" OR	"Family physicians" OR GP OR "Primary care" OR "Post-hospital care" OR "Family Practice" OR "General Practitioners" OR "General Practitioner" OR "General Practice" OR "Secondary care" OR "Primary health care" OR Doctor* OR Hospitalist* OR Physician* OR "Medical Staff"
AND	
"Patient Discharge" OR "Patient Transfer" OR "Continuity of Patient Care" OR "Patient Handoff"	"Patient Discharge" OR "Patient Transfer" OR "Hospital Discharge" OR "Continuity of Patient Care" OR "Continuity of Care" OR "Patient Handoff" OR "Transition of Care"

Supplementary Data Table S3: Complete Keyword and Synonym Search Strategy via Scopus

Keywords and Synonyms
"patient discharge summaries" OR "patient discharge summary" OR "Discharge Summary" OR "Discharge letters" OR "Discharge Summaries" OR "Discharge letter" OR "Discharge Communications" OR "Discharge Communication" OR "E-Discharge" or "Electronic Discharge"
AND
"Family physicians" OR GP OR "Primary care" OR "Post-hospital care" OR "Family Practice" OR "General Practitioners" OR "General Practitioner" OR "General Practice" OR "Secondary care" OR "Primary health care" OR Doctor* OR Hospitalist* OR Physician* OR "Medical Staff"
AND
"Patient Discharge" OR "Patient Transfer" OR "Hospital Discharge" OR "Continuity of Patient Care" OR "Continuity of Care" OR "Patient Handoff" OR "Transition of Care"