Throw Away Your Mop & Bucket, Let's Evolve

"Aged care centers today should have removed the mop & bucket technology to reduce a number of hassles involved in the cleaning process," said Director of Duplex Healthcare, Murray McDonald, "It's time consuming, exhausting, and never as clean as you wanted to be."

He believed it is essential for healthcare industry, particularly aged care, to have a look at replacing them with alternative tools. This is meant to reduce manual handling risk that will eventually increase the level of hygiene within aged care, as better tools should be able to ease the job of cleaners and increase productivity.

For the last 20 years, Duplex Healthcare has been leveraging the standard of cleaning within healthcare facilities. Created a wide range of innovations that are not just about cleaning but also doing it right, including its eco-friendly concept and its constant attention towards manual handling risk reduction.

The latest invention is Lithium Evolve – lightweight battery, cordless design, and now added with squeegee to ensure the cleaning is being done properly according to healthcare standard.

"The new machine will sweep, wash, scrub, and dry floors in single pass that resulted in 40% more cleaning performance," said McDonald.



For flexibility, it is made for easy maneuver with built-in side wheel, as well as offset brushes that will clean right to the edge.

"You just need to wheel it to the area, switch it on, and start cordless cleaning with an instantly dry floor," McDonald added.

Care Systems & Emprevo build an industry changing partnership

Are you tired of Aged Care management software that is not connected and seems to make your lifer harder, not easier?

Care Systems came to the conclusion that there had to be a better way. After scoping possible solutions, Care Systems management system has been turbocharged through an integration of its Rostering function with the Emprevo shift-filling platform.

Emprevo takes the time, agency costs and frustration out of filling shifts and has developed a simple but powerful mobile solution. The integration to Care Systems means that Aged Care providers can now manage just-in-time shift filling centrally without the frustration of manually engaging staff by SMS or phone at short notice.

This ensures a seamless rostering & shiftfilling experience for management and staff.

Care Systems users can now have Emprevo seamlessly integrated into the existing platform, delivering numerous benefits:

- Publishing the working roster in Care Systems automatically makes unfilled shifts available to advertise to staff in Emprevo;
- All shifts accepted on Emprevo automatically populate the Care Systems Roster, requiring NO data entry;

- All staff can set their availability in the Emprevo app, allowing managers to see who may be able to accept a shift vacancy; and
- All staff will be able to view their standard rostered shifts, and new Emprevo shifts in the Emprevo work calendar on their mobile phone.

For managers and staff wanting more time in their day and less frustration, Care Systems now has an end-to-end solution that ensures much better outcomes and significant cost savings.

Contact Paul Johnston at Care Systems on 0432 396 399 or <u>paul.johnston@</u> <u>caresystems.com.au</u> to find out more.

The Dementia Centre

The Dementia Centre is running a series of one-day Dementia Fundamentals Symposiums across the country. This event aims to empower carers and practitioners with vital expertise and capability across the core areas for day-to-day care in aged care settings, the community, and homes.

Leading sector experts will cover proven and latest thinking on key topics essential to better care including:

- The physiological effects of dementia on the brain
- Approaches for understanding & managing behavioural change
- Understanding the impacts of medication
- Best practice approaches to identifying and managing pain
- Using music as a life engagement tool
- Strategies to support positive eating and drinking

Understanding the powerful role of environment and design

Each topic is comprehensively evidence based and proven in clinical practice to empower carers & practitioners with a deeper understanding and practical strategies in care.

Register now by visiting www.dementiacentre.com/events Places are strictly limited.