

# North Macedonia Digital Health Implementation

From 'My Appointment' to 'My Health'

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# **Snapshot - North Macedonia**

## Platform for growth

## Public system, MoH-level

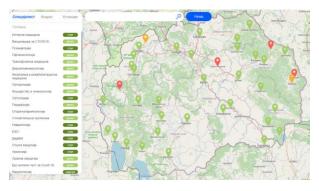
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# Moj Termin in a nutshell

## **Annually**

- Approx. **2.7m** specialist referrals
- Approx. 400k RDU referrals
- Approx. 1.8m LU referrals
- Approx. 200k hospital admissions
- Approx. 11m GP exams
- Approx. 32m prescriptions issued
- Approx. 24m completed prescriptions

#### Lifetime

- Approx. 47m total issued referrals
- Approx. 43m total realised referrals
- Approx. 60m prescriptions issued
- Approx. 47m prescriptions completed
- Approx. 1.8m patients have received at least one service



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# The journey from 'booking' to 'health'

## **Opening moves**

- 'Moj Termin' means 'My Booking' the initial use case was conceived as a better way to co-ordinate care appointments
- Healthcare is an interconnected space of functions and also of problems
  - This means a powerful solution can also solve many problems at once!
- Initial steps in radiology led to clinical process updates
  - ICD-10 is mandatory, but the only mandatory, parameter for a referral or prescription
  - Clinicians can book (or their staff can book) at *time of referral* a very efficient interaction

## 'Wide but shallow'

- The reform produced rapid improvements in process and reductions in waiting time
- The reform was possible because it was *simple* local vendors could easily engage
- By mandating such standards, and enabling compliance, a de facto medical record is created a national HER
  - Clinician efficiency is increased electronic record and initial standardization
  - After 10 years, all patients have history so now it is provided by an app, Moe Zdravje i.e. 'My Health'



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# **MK Landscape**

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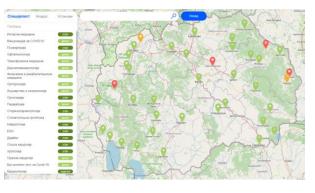
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# **Moe Zdravje - My Health**

## **Basic PHR app**

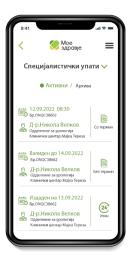
## **Direct system integration**

- Fetches data from the national system Moj Termin
  - National EHR
  - Referrals
  - Lab reports
  - Prescriptions
  - Imaging
  - Hospital discharge summaries
  - Specialist notes
  - Vaccination record

## **Essential features**

- Minimum patient effort
- Secure e-identity (provided by the national system in Macedonia for this)
- Family record integration







# **Introduction to Pinga**

## **A Health Operating System**

- Pinga is a configurable workflow platform for healthcare
- Basic concept:
  - Medical record (EHR)
  - Clinical pathways
  - Forms and worklists

## **Use cases**

- Moj Termin in North Macedonia, and Moj Doktor in Serbia
- Breast Screen Aotearoa RIS for NZ national breast screening
- Radiology significant market share in ANZ of 'RIS extender' (patient and referrer engagement, portals, booking)
- Community care in Aus and NZ
- Allied health mental health, occupational health, etc
- HIS UC Cardiology in Skopje



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