



The Impacts of the Patient Portal on Patients in Hong Kong

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The advent of USB testers empowers USB users to know more about their USB devices. They know more about which power source is more stable and delivers more power, and which device draws more current. The popular use of sphygmomanometer empowers patients to know more about their blood pressure and become aware of the complications of high blood pressure like strokes, heart attack, heart failure, blood clots, and many others. The common use of blood glucose meter empowers diabetic patients to monitor their blood glucose level which may prevent them from serious diseases and complications.

Similarly, patient portal will empower patients to be aware of their health conditions. The patient portal will be defined, and a list of 14 or more functions that should be provided by the portal will be discussed. It will also concentrate on one of the key goals, namely, the results of laboratories and medical check-ups, to see how these data can empower patients to be aware of the implications that may lead to complications.

Though patient portal is useful and beneficial to patients, however, there are obstacles in using it. The possible problems and the solutions will also be discussed.

