

Primary Health Care Ltd

Financial Year Ended
30 June 2006

Results Presentation
8 August 2006

Financial Results : Summary

- EBITDA and EBITA up 31% and 34% over 2005
 - Driven largely by organic revenue growth, medical centre margin gains and contribution by Health Technology

<i>(\$ Million, except EPS)</i>	2006	<i>growth</i>	2005
Revenue	241.9	25%	193.7
EBITDA	94.5	31%	72.2
EBITA	80.1	34%	59.9
NPAT	47.5	26%	37.6
Basic EPS	39.37	16%	33.84

Financial Results : Income Statement

● Segmental

	(\$ 000s)	2006	2005
- All segments meeting expectations	Medical centres	69,704	56,345
	Pathology	14,004	13,144
	Health Technology	9,559	(46)
	Investments/other	1,191	2,779
	EBITDA	94,458	72,222
- Medical centre results after head office costs of \$12.2m inc. \$2.1m share option expense	Depreciation	14,397	12,367
	EBITA	80,061	59,855
	Intangible amortised	4,856	1,421
	EBIT	75,205	58,434
- AIFRS adopted effective 1 July 2004 all comparatives adjusted	Interest expense	7,494	5,423
	PBT	67,711	53,011
	Tax charge	20,231	15,389
	Profit After Tax	47,480	37,622

Financial Results : Per Share Results

- Reported earnings per share up 16% on prior period to 39.37cps
- Final dividend of 22.0c fully franked (13.0 cents 2005)
- Interim dividend was 20.0c fully franked (12.0 cents 2005)
- Payable 25 September 2006. Record date 8 September 2006
- DRP/BSP discount to be reduced from 2% to 1%

Financial Results: Special Dividend

- Special dividend of 8.0c fully franked
- Payable 30 October 2006. Record date 13 October 2006
- Cash dividend (BSP/DRP do not apply)
- Substantial franking credit balance still available
- Distributable from retained reserves

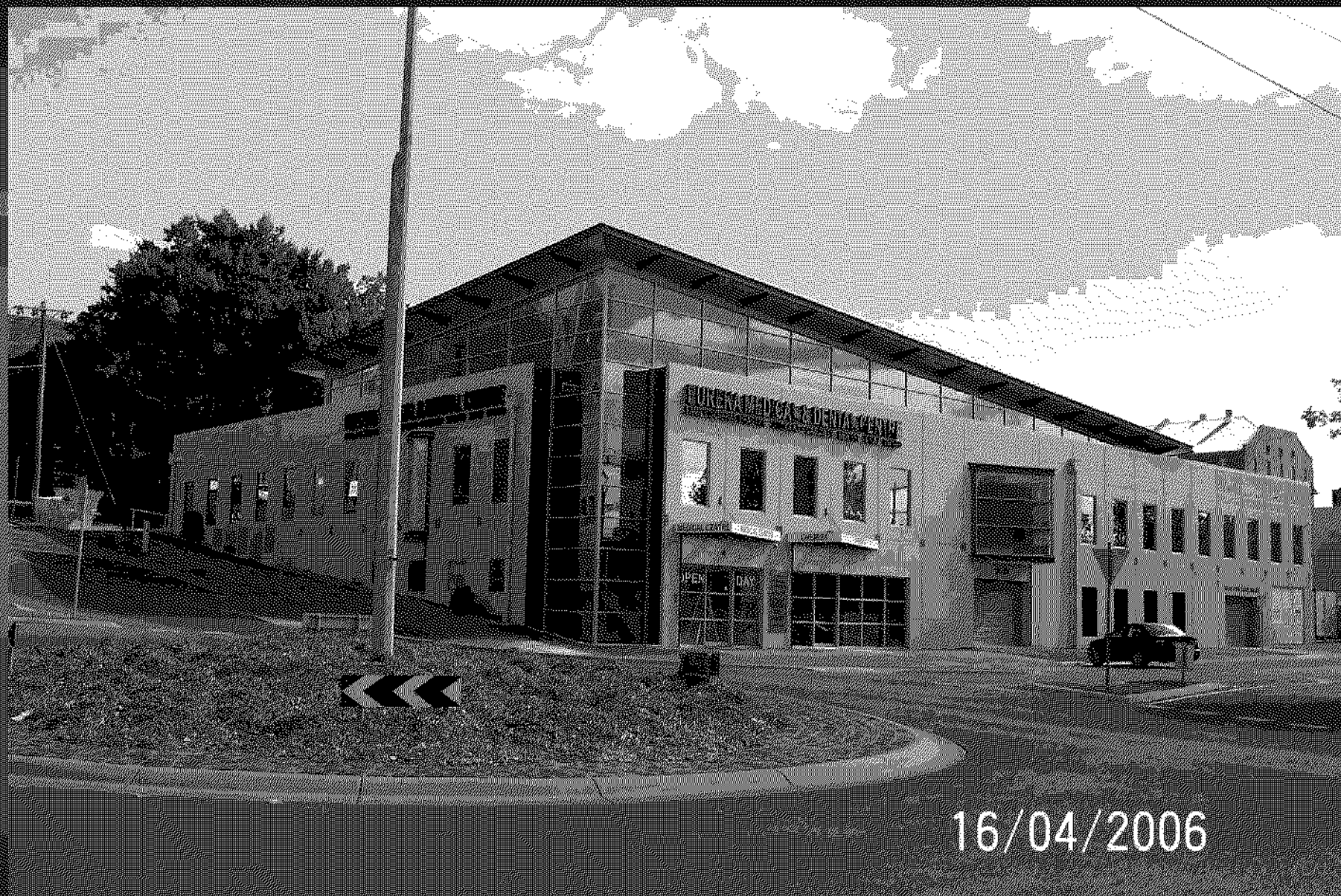
Financial Results : Balance Sheet

		30/06/06	30/06/05
		\$m	\$m
Debt to Equity :	Receivables	33.4	34.0
06/06 06/05	Investments	3.5	0.2
31% 25%	Plant and equipment	139.6	107.0
	Goodwill/Intangibles	<u>367.2</u>	<u>331.7</u>
EBITDA interest cover:	Total Assets	543.7	472.9
(assuming 7.00%)	Liabilities	<u>29.1</u>	<u>39.0</u>
06/06 06/05	Net Assets	514.6	433.9
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	Debt	122.2	85.7
	Equity	<u>392.4</u>	<u>348.2</u>
		514.6	433.9



Operations : Medical Centres

- GP patient attendances up 16.6% to 3.44m for the year
- July 2006 GP patient attendances up 20% on prior year
- 7 centres opened in FY 2006 all increasing in line with expectations
- 7 new medical centres opened successfully during period accounted for 6% growth in patient attendances
- Medical Centre revenues to PRY up \$24.1m (21%) to \$140.8m for the period
- Total of 117 practices contracted for in period for \$40m



Operations : Medical Centres

- Strength of core business
 - EBITDA for all centres up 24%
 - Margins improvement across all centres to 49.5% from 48.3% prior year and 49.0% six months to 31 December 2005
 - After charging share option expense of \$2.1m (prior period \$1.3m)
 - Same-centre EBITDA growth period on period
 - Oldest 8 centres opened pre 30 June 2000 at 7.6%
 - 3 Centres opened FY 2005 contributed \$6.8m EBITDA
 - Recurrent capital expenditure continues at historic levels

Operations : Pathology

(\$ 000s)	2006	<i>growth</i>	2005	<i>growth</i>	2004
Revenue	79,136	16%	68,280	8%	63,217
EBITDA	14,004	6.5%	13,144	5.8%	12,421
<i>Margin</i>	17.7%		19.3%		19.6%
EBITA	12,596	9%	11,581	6%	10,921
<i>Margin</i>	15.9%		17.0%		17.3%

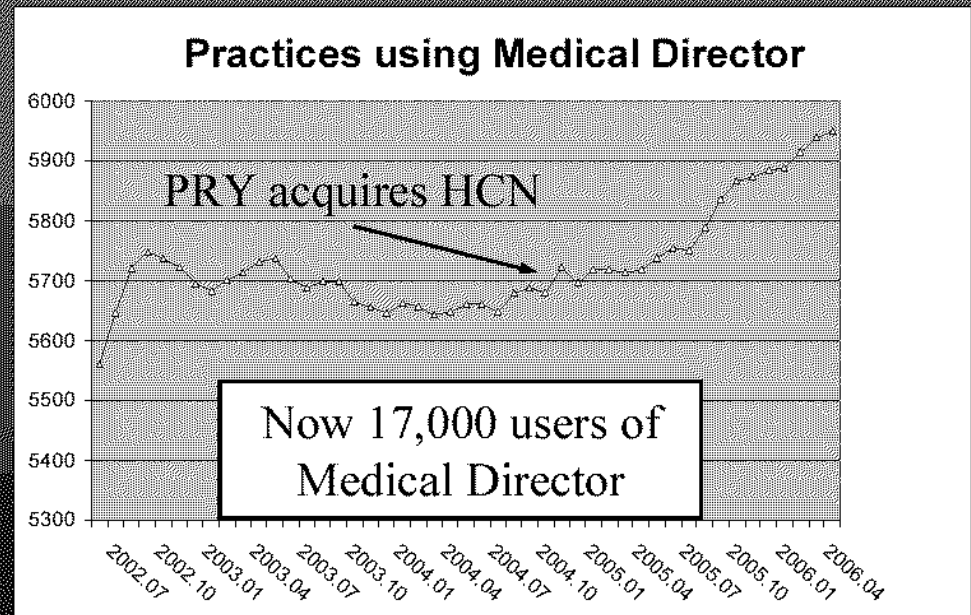
- Organic Growth component of Revenue very encouraging

Margins affected by:

- Infrastructure costs as a result of expansion into new markets
- Some pressure on core business costs

Health Technology:

- Product Suite all showing growing subscriber support
 - MD3 released with circa 600 sites migrated and live with circa 1600 known users
 - Integrated decision support – www.mdreference.com.au achieving compounding growth
 - Practice Management and USE applications increasing market share
- Product Development capability expanding in capacity and ability
- Outlook
 - MD3 migration slow/steady
 - Subscriber growth
 - Additional development investment



Future Growth : Medical Centres

- 24 Centres opened prior to 30 June 2005
- 7 Centres opened FY06
- 31 Centres open at 30 June 2006
- 5 Further centres scheduled to open 2H FY07
- 4 Further centres estimated to open 1H FY08
- 40 Centres open by 31 December 2007

Future Growth

- Medical centre growth to come from:
 - Historic organic growth of established centres
 - Newly opened centres
 - Further 9 centres by 31 December 2007
 - Still fragmented market (estimate Primary share 3% National Market)
- Investment for each new centre continues in line with historical
- Current facility of \$175m utilised to \$122m

Focus for FY 2007

- Medical Centres

- Continue roll-out of new centres particularly inter-state
- Improve and leverage existing centres
- Continued cost and administrative pressures for small GP practices will work to advantage of our model
- Demand for services driven by ageing population, improving technology and patient expectations

- Pathology

- Consolidate Inter-state operations
- Maintain strong revenue gains

- Health Technology

- Roll out MD3
- Enhance all HCN software and products