App delivers on unique new service

AUSTRALIA'S first prescription medicine delivery app is expanding to the Sunshine Coast after successful trials in Brisbane.

Tonic, which allows people to scan prescriptions and have medication and over-the-counter products delivered to their home or office, is getting more pharmacies onboard across the Sunshine Coast.

"People can have a special relationship with their pharmacist, and we respect that, but sometimes when you're sick or if you can't get to the chemist you need an alternative," cofounder Adam Gilmore said.

In Brisbane where the app launched, thousands of people have used the service since it launched a little over a year ago.

"A pharmacist does a phone consult before dispensing the medication and the feedback we receive is that mums particularly like it because if they have a sick child, or worse, they're not well, they don't need to take everyone out to get the medicine they need."

Customer research shows women, predominantly 20-38, and then older men and women are the highest users.

In another partnership, Tonic has shared technology with House Call Doctor so that after-hours home visiting doctors can use the app for writing prescriptions.

Trio trapped for an hour

THREE people are "fine and well" despite being stuck in a lift for almost an hour yesterday morning.

The trio became trapped in the lift at the Mary Cairncross Scenic Reserve at Maleny about 10.30am.

A Queensland Fire and Emergency Services spokesman said crews were able to reach the people but opted against breaking it open.

"The group of people had plenty of air and water," the spokesman said.

"We waited for the lift maintenance company to come out so we don't have to damage the lift.

"It's fairly standard practice."

Ocean-front apartments 'fit the bill' for Bokarina

Developer's vision for his most 'ambitious' project to date



UNINTERRUPTED ocean views and a unit for all budgets are promised in a 107-apartment waterfront complex in Bokarina Beach, Oceanside.

Developer Walter Iezzi said Oceanus would be one of his most "ambitious" projects to date, after making his mark with Pinnacle located at Picnic Point, Maroochydore, and Elysee at Alexandra Headland.

Mayor Mark Jamieson will officially launch the \$80 million, eight-level development today alongside McGrath founder John McGrath, whose agency was appointed to manage the sales process.

Mr Iezzi said

the building had been designed to take advantage of uninterrupted, 180-degree Pacific Ocean views from the fourth-level up and to "enhance" its surroundings.

"Given that this will be one of the largest projects I have undertaken to date I am conscious of delivering an aesthetically-pleasing development that will cater for a broad range of buyers," Mr Iezzi said.

"The whole development will be completely residential and will be made up of 107 units that will consist of a number of one, two and three-bedroom units.

"There is something for everyone and every budget and, like all my developments, this one will also be pet friendly."

The complex will include a 25m lap pool, a children's pool, gymnasium, steam room and a large pool deck with expansive barbecue area.

Mr Iezzi said he believed Oceanus

would "fit the bill" for investors while meeting growing demand from locals who sought low-maintenance living.

He said the design and natural finishes "invite the outside in" and took advantage of sea breezes.

The land is part of Stockland's Oceanside masterplan in the lakeside community that will feature a new surf lifesaving facility, a community centre, shopping plaza, childcare and other retail shops and restaurants

