

## Installing MedCen Auto Updater

- The MedCen Auto Updater only needs to be installed on one machine.
- Internet access (preferably broadband) of some level is required on that machine.
- The Auto Updater is an entirely separate program from MedCen, MedCen does not have to be installed on the same machine for the Auto Updater to operate.
- The Auto Updater will require the path (generally a mapped network drive letter e.g. 'M:\') to the MedCen \DATA folder to deposit program and data updates.
- The file for this update is called **setup.exe**

### *Running the Update from a CD*

- Insert the CD in the CD Drive.
- If inserting the CD does not automatically start the installation or open a 'My Computer' window, double-click on 'My Computer', then on the CD's drive letter.
- Once the update file (**setup.exe**) is visible, double-click on it to start the program.

### *Downloading the Update from the MedCen Web Site*

- You can download the update directly from the MedCen Website at <http://medcen.co.nz/download.html>
- Save the update file wherever you like, as long as you can find it later. Usually you should save to the Desktop or the My Documents folder.
- Once the update file has been downloaded, double-click on it to start the program.

### **When this window appears**

- Follow the prompts through the InstallShield Installer to complete the 'Windows' part of the installation. Accepting all the defaults will be the easiest.
- During installation, shortcuts to the Auto Updater will be created in the Windows Programs Menu **and** in the Windows StartUp menu group. If you don't want the Updater to start when Windows starts just delete the shortcut from the StartUp group later.
- After the InstallShield Installer completes, start the MedCen Auto Updater from the Windows Programs menu (e.g. Click the Start button, then find the MedCen group in your programs list, then click on the "MedCen Updater" program).
- The first time the Auto Updater starts, it needs to gather some information; the location of the MedCen Data folder, and your MedCen practice ID number so that your Updater can identify itself to the update website. More details about this are in the release notes.

