## **Privacy Notice on National Screening Programs**

- The NHS provides national screening programmes so that certain diseases can be detected at an early stage.
- These screening programmes include bowel cancer, breast cancer, cervical cancer, aortic aneurysms and a diabetic eye screening service.
- The law allows us to share your contact information with Public Health England so that you can be invited to the relevant screening programme.
- More information can be found at: <a href="https://www.gov.uk/topic/population-screening-programmes">https://www.gov.uk/topic/population-screening-programmes</a> or speak to the practice.

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We are required by law to provide you with the following information about how we handle your information and our legal obligations to share data.

Data Controller	Pickhurst Surgery
Data Protection Officer	Danielle Gibbons, GP Data Protection Officer gpdpo@selondonics.nhs.uk
Purpose of processing	The NHS provides several national health screening programs to detect diseases or conditions earlier such as; cervical and breast cancer, aortic aneurysm and diabetes. More information can be found at <a href="https://www.gov.uk/topic/population-screening-programmes">https://www.gov.uk/topic/population-screening-programmes</a> The information is shared so as to ensure only those who should be called for screening are called and or those at highest risk are prioritised.
	The sharing is to support Direct Care which is covered under
	Article 6(1)(e); "necessary in the exercise of official authority vested in the controller'
	And
Lawful Basis for processing	Article 9(2)(h) 'necessary for the purposes of preventative or occupational medicine for the assessment of the working capacity of the employee, medical diagnosis, the provision of health or social care or treatment or the management of health or social care systems and services"  We will also recognise your rights established under UK case law
	collectively known as the "Common Law Duty of Confidentiality"*  The data will be shared with NHS Digital.
Recipient or categories of recipients of your personal data	<ul> <li>The data will be shared with the Care Quality Commission.</li> <li>The data will be shared with our local health protection team or Public Health England.</li> <li>The data will be shared with the court if ordered.</li> </ul>
Your right to object	You have the right to object to this processing of your data and to some or all of the information being shared with the recipients.  Contact the Data Controller or the practice. For national screening programmes: you can opt so that you no longer receive an invitation to a screening programme.  See: <a href="https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/opting-out-of-the-nhs-population-screening-programmes">https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/opting-out-of-the-nhs-population-screening-programmes</a> Or speak to your practice.
Your right to access and correction	You have the right to access the data that is being shared and have any inaccuracies corrected. There is no right to have accurate medical records deleted except when ordered by a court of Law.

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Retention period	We retain your personal data in line with both national guidance and law, which can be found here: <a href="https://digital.nhs.uk/article/1202/Records-Management-Code-of-Practice-for-Health-and-Social-Care-2016">https://digital.nhs.uk/article/1202/Records-Management-Code-of-Practice-for-Health-and-Social-Care-2016</a> Or speak to the practice.
Your right to complain	Use of personal data is overseen by the Information Commissioners Office, often known as the ICO.  You have to complain or raise concerns with the ICO and they can be contacted via their website: <a href="https://ico.org.uk/global/contact-us/">https://ico.org.uk/global/contact-us/</a> Or you can also call their helpline  Tel: 0303 123 1113 (local rate) 01625 545 745 (national rate)