

Why are we sharing data?

We can bring new services in to treat you, that you would have normally have to access outside of the GP practice. Sharing your data with the people treating you means they have the information they need about your health condition.

Looking at data on the population at the practice can show you us how to improve our services to meet your needs.

How will you keep me informed?

If we share data with someone new, we will let you know on our website, on the practice's Privacy Notice.

The Privacy Notice tells you what your rights are about your data, who to contact if you are unhappy with data sharing, and how we keep your data safe.

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Data Sharing for Patients

What data?

Your record held by your GP practice contains such information as:

- your name
- date of birth
- contact details
- health conditions
- medications

Who might it be shared with?

1. Providing you with care

If we start a new service where you can be seen for your care, it will allow them to see your record and treat you.

2. Population Health

To look at how we can best help our patients based on their health conditions. This is called Population Health (large scale). When we are looking at data on a large scale, the data will be anonymised. This means it doesn't identify you.

3. Research

Your GP practice may take part in research using anonymised data, which means it doesn't identify you.

Or the practice may want to take part in research involving individual patients - if the data identifies you, you will always be asked for your permission before sharing, and your identifiable data will not be shared without you agreeing to it.



I've opted out of data sharing...

Don't worry.

If you have opted out already, your data will not be shared.

I want to opt out of data sharing...

Ask your GP practice if you want to opt out.

Remember, this means other healthcare services you visit will not be able to see your medical record to treat you.

I want to opt back in....

Ask your GP practice if you want to opt back in, so that your data can be shared if needed.