

DATA SHARING

SUMMARY CARE RECORD (SCR)

LOCAL HEALTH RECORD NETWORK (LHRN) and RISK STRATIFICATION

NHS DIGITAL and the NATIONAL DATA OPT-OUT

Summary Care Record

The Summary Care Record (SCR) is an electronic record of important information created from your GP medical record. It can be seen and used by authorised staff in other areas of the health and care system involved in a patient's direct care. The minimum information recorded in your SCR is name, address, date of birth and NHS number, current medication, allergies and details of bad reactions to medicines. Patients can choose to include additional information by contacting the surgery.

You will always be asked for consent to access this record unless this is not possible eg you are not conscious, and all access will be recorded.

Local Health Record Network

Taurus Healthcare Ltd, the local GP Federation, provides services to Herefordshire patients including out of hours appointments with GPs and other clinicians, and has developed the Local Health Record Network. This enables your medical record to be accessed by staff working in Herefordshire health and social care providing care for you. Statistical information may be used for audit and other purposes and will be anonymised where possible.

You will always be asked for consent to access this record when you are being seen by a clinician.

Risk Stratification

Health Risk Screening or Risk Stratification is a process that helps your GP to determine whether you are at risk of an unplanned admission or deterioration in health. By using selected information such as age, gender, identification numbers, diagnosis, existing long term condition(s), medication history, patterns of hospital attendances, admissions and periods of access to community care your GP will be able to judge if you are likely to need more support and care from time to time, or if the right services are in place to support the local population's needs.

National Data Opt-out

From 25th May 2018 a National Data Opt-out will allow a patient to choose that they do not want their confidential patient information to be used for purposes beyond

their individual care and treatment, such as for planning and research. It will be made available via www.nhs.uk/your-nhs-data-matters A non-digital alternative will be provided for patients who don't wish to or are unable to access the online system.

If you have previously objected to your health data being shared by NHS Digital (previously Health and Social Care Information Centre) this will be recorded in your electronic record as a code – 9Nu4 – this will be converted to the new national data opt-out and you should be informed of this change by NHS Digital.

If you have previously objected to your health data leaving the practice – code 9Nu0 – this code will be respected until 2020.

Further information is on a poster in waiting room or please ask for a leaflet at reception.

DATA SHARING – DECISION FORM

- I DO NOT wish to have a summary care record (9Ndo)
- I DO NOT wish my medical record to be available to the Local Health Record Network
(93C1 – Registration screen, sharing consent – EMIS Sharing – Dissent)
- I DO NOT wish my information to be used for Risk Stratification (9Oh5)
- I DO NOT wish my confidential patient information to be used for purposes beyond my individual care and treatment – You MUST complete this yourself by completing the National Data Opt-out online or ask for a leaflet.

Name Date of birth

Signature Date

You can change your mind at any time by updating your preferences at the practice.