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BABY & CHILD NEW PATIENT REGISTRATION (UNDER 12)

About You

Surname:

Forename(s):

Date of Birth (dd/mm/yyyy):

Gender:

Contact Information

Telephone:

Mobile:

Do you live in a residential home?

Yes No

Do you live in a supported home?

Yes No

Ethnicity

Having information about patients' ethnic groups would be helpful for the NHS so that it can plan and provide culturally appropriate and better services to meet patients' needs. If you do not wish to provide this information you do not have to do so.

Please indicate your ethnic origin:

Country of Birth:

Main spoken language:

Interpreter Needed:

Yes No

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Accessible Information Standards

As a practice we want to make sure that we give you information that is clear to you. For that reason we would like to know if you have any communication needs.

Do you have any special communication needs?

Yes No

If **yes**, please state your needs:

Carer

Are you a carer?

Yes No

Who do you care for?

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Do you have a carer?

Yes No

If **yes**, please state Carer's details (name and telephone number):

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Next of Kin

Name:

Relationship to Patient:

Telephone Number:

Consent

We will use your mobile to send reminders about appointments, reviews and other services which may be of benefit in your medical care.

Do you consent to the Surgery sending text messages to your mobile?

Yes No

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Do you consent to the Surgery sending messages to you by email?

Yes No

Data Sharing

Please see information on Data Sharing at the back of this form

Data for Research

If you wish to opt out, please visit <https://www.nhs.uk/your-nhs-data-matters/>

Summary Care Record

I express **CONSENT** to have a core Summary Care Record

I express **CONSENT** to have a core and additional Summary Care Record

I **DO NOT** wish to have a Summary care Record

(N.B. this will mean NHS Healthcare staff caring for you may not be aware of your current medications, any allergies or reactions to previous medication.)

Electronic Prescribing Service (EPS)

The EPS allows prescribers – such as GPs and practice nurses to send prescriptions electronically to a dispenser (such as a pharmacy) of the patient's choice. This makes the prescribing and dispensing process more efficient and convenient for patients and staff. The NHS aim that by 2020 they will hopefully be paper free or a paper-lite service. To help achieve this The As a practice, we would encourage all patients to opt for electronic prescribing.

I **DO** give consent for my prescriptions to be sent electronically to the pharmacy

I **DO NOT** give consent for my prescriptions to be sent electronically to the pharmacy

PLEASE SPEAK TO YOUR LOCAL PHARMACY TO GET SIGNED UP

Height/Weight

What is your weight (KG):

What is your height (CM):

General Information

Are you registered blind?

Yes No

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Are you partially sighted?

Yes No

Do you have hearing difficulty?

Yes No

Are you deaf?

Yes No

Are you dependent on a wheelchair?

Yes No

Any other disability:

Allergies

Please list any drug or food allergies that you have:

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What You Need To Know About Your GP Online Records

Wouldn't it be great if you could look at your GP records online?

Well, you can! You can also book and cancel appointments at your GP surgery and order repeat prescriptions online. You can already see some of the information in your GP online records, including your medications and allergies. During the next year, you will be able to see even more. This will include illnesses, immunisations and test results. Each GP surgery will make this information available at different times, as their computer systems become ready.

Just like online banking, you can look at your GP records on a computer, a tablet or a smartphone, using a website or an app. If you would like to start using online services, see the Getting Started with GP Online Services guide for more information. Information on how to get started is also available online at: www.nhs.uk/patientonline or from your surgery or on their website.

What's in it for you?

You can look at your records whenever you choose to, without needing to print them. Online records are up to date and more secure than a printed paper record which could get lost or seen by others.

People who have long term conditions, for example diabetes, hypertension or coronary heart disease, have found that looking at their test results online helps them make positive changes to improve their health. They can see if their condition is improving or getting worse by looking at past test results. Adam, a patient at University Health Centre said 'Record access is useful for those, like me, who need to have more regular contact with their GP'.

You can look at your medical records before your appointment to see if there is anything you need to discuss with your doctor or nurse. This could be your test results, illnesses you have had in the past or any new information added to your records. This would help you discuss any concerns you may have and help you benefit more from your appointment.

Sometimes when you see your doctor, you are given a lot of information and might not be able to remember it later. You may also want further information once you have had time to think about what was said. You can look at your online records after your appointment to make sure you understood what your doctor or nurse said.

One of the most useful things patients have found is that you can make sure your medical information is accurate. For example, you will be able to let your doctor know if you have an allergy to a medicine and it is not recorded.

Before you go on holiday, you can check if your vaccinations are up to date without having to go to your surgery.

Understanding Your Records

Your records are written to help medical people look after you and so in some cases, you may not understand everything you see. If you find anything difficult to understand, as well as talking to your doctor or nurse, you can go to the NHS Choices website by using this link www.nhs.uk. NHS Choices is the NHS website for patients so you can look for information on illnesses, improving health and to find NHS services in your local area.

Other websites frequently used to search for information on illnesses and test results are Patient – www.patient.info and Lab Test Online UK – www.labtestsonline.org.uk. Although these are not owned or checked by the NHS, other patients have found them useful.

A Few Things to Think About

There are a few things you need to think about before registering for online records. On very rare occasions:

Your GP may not think it in your best interest for you to look at your GP records online. If this happens, your GP will discuss their reasons with you. It is up to your GP to decide if you should be allowed access to your online record.

You may see your test results before your doctor has spoken to you about them. This may be when you cannot contact your surgery, or when your surgery is closed. This means you will need to wait until an appointment is available to talk to your doctor. Information in your medical records might need correcting. If you find something you think is not correct, you should contact your surgery. The staff will be able to answer your questions and set things right when needed. Please bear in mind that you cannot change the record yourself.

There may be information in your medical records that you did not know was there or that you had forgotten about, such as an illness or an upsetting incident. If you see anything you did not know about that worries you, please speak to your surgery and they will discuss this with you.

If you see someone else's information in your record, please log out immediately and let your surgery know as soon as possible.

If you have questions about any of the above points, please talk to your surgery and they will be able to advise you further.

Data Sharing

Introduction

This leaflet explains why information is collected about you, the ways in which this information may be used and who will be collecting it.

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Data Share

NHS England aims to link information from all the different places where you receive care, such as hospital, community service and us your GP Surgery. This will allow them to share the care you received in one area with other providers of your medical care.

Information will be held in a secure environment called NHS Digital. The role of NHS Digital is also to ensure that high quality data is used appropriately to improve patient care. NHS Digital has legal powers to collect and analyse data from all providers of NHS care. They are committed, and legally bound, to the very highest standards of privacy and confidentiality to ensure that your confidential information is protected at all times. You can object to your data being used in this way – see below

This data can also be used, with permission, for research purposes. If you do not wish to share data for research, you can opt out:

- You can object to information containing data that identifies you from leaving the Practice. This will prevent identifiable information held in your record from being sent to the Summary Care Record secure environment.
- You can also object to any information containing data that identifies you from leaving NHS Digital. This includes information from all places you receive NHS care, such as hospitals. If you object, confidential information will not leave NHS Digital and will not be used, except in very rare circumstances for example in the event of a public health emergency, for future service planning or for research. For more information visit: <https://www.nhs.uk/your-nhs-data-matters/>

The law requires Doctors to provide some very limited information about certain things. The law says, for example, that Doctors must provide information to local authorities about some infectious diseases, e.g. if you had food poisoning. Very rarely, Doctors may be required to disclose information in order to detect a serious crime. Likewise, a court order can require Doctors to disclose certain information during a court case.

We will never provide your information to anyone else without your explicit consent. Records which you wish to share with other people such as solicitors will be provided to you so that you can review them before you share them.

Summary Care Record (SCR)

If you decide to have a SCR, it will contain important information about any medicines you are taking, allergies you suffer from and any bad reactions to medicines that you have had it will also include basic information about your current diagnoses. Giving healthcare staff access to this information can prevent mistakes being made when caring for you in an emergency or when your GP practice is closed. Your Summary Care Record will also include your name, address, date of birth and your unique NHS Number to help identify you correctly. If you and your GP decide to include more information it can be added, but only with your express permission. **For more information:** Phone 0300 123 3020 or visit www.nhs.uk/nhs-care-records

Benefits of sharing information

Sharing information can help improve understanding, responses to different treatments and potential solutions. Information will also help to:

- Provide better information to out of hours and emergency services
- Prevent Prescribing of medication to which you may already have an allergy
- Make more informed prescribing decisions about drugs and dosages Avoid unnecessary duplication in prescribing
- Increase clinician confidence when providing care
- Results of investigations, such as X-rays and laboratory tests
- Reduce referrals, ambulance journey admissions, tests, time wastage and visits to healthcare premises
- Find out basic details about you, such as address and next of kind

Do I have a choice?

Yes. You have the right to prevent confidential information about you from being shared or used for any purpose other than providing your care, except in special circumstances. If you do not want information that identifies you to be shared outside this Practice, complete the sheet enclosed in this leaflet. This will prevent your confidential information being used other than where necessary by law.

Objecting on behalf of others

If you are a carer and have a Lasting Power of Attorney for Health and Welfare then you can object on behalf of the patient who lacks capacity. If you do not hold a Lasting Power of Attorney then you can raise your specific concerns with the patient's GP. If you have parental responsibility and your child is not able to make an informed decision for themselves, then you can make a decision about information sharing on behalf of your child. If your child is competent then this must be their decision.

Do I need to do anything?

Note your decisions on the enclosed form and return to Reception. You can change your mind at any time, just complete another form.