**Objective**

1. This Record of Processing Activities (Record) describes how the practice processes personal data.
2. We recognise that Article 30 of the EU General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR) imposes documentation requirements on controllers and processors of data. This Record is company confidential information but we will provide it to the appropriate supervisory authority on request as required by Article 30.

**Data Controller Details**

1. The details of the practices data controller are: -

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**Categories of Data Subjects**

1. The practice collects personal data from the following categories of data subjects: -
   * + The Practice’s patients
     + The Practice’s customers or consumers
     + The Practice’s vendors or suppliers
     + The Practice’s employees and job applicants.

**Categories of Personal Data**

1. The Practice collects the following categories of personal data about its patients: -

* Address, legal representative, emergency contact details
* Any contact the surgery has had with the patient, such as appointments, clinic visits, emergency appointments, etc.
* Notes and reports about the patient’s health
* Details about the patient’s treatment and care
* Results of investigations such as laboratory tests, x-rays etc
* Relevant information from other health professionals, relatives or those who care for the patient
* The patient’s records will be retained in accordance with the NHS Code of Practice for Records Management

1. The Practice collects the following categories of personal data about employees and job applicants: -

* Personal details including name and contact information including name, title, address, telephone number, personal email address, date of birth, gender, employment history, qualifications.

**Categories of Personal Data Recipients**

1. The Practice discloses personal data to the following categories of recipients, some of which may be located in third countries or may be international organisations as defined in Article 4(26) of the GDPR: -

* Business partners
* NHS Trusts / Foundation Trusts
* GP’s
* NHS Commissioning Support Units
* Independent Contractors such as dentists, opticians, pharmacists
* Private Sector Providers
* Voluntary Sector Providers
* Charitable service providers Mind and British red cross)
* Ambulance Trusts
* Clinical Commissioning Groups
* Social Care Services
* NHS Digital
* Local Authorities
* Education Services
* Fire and Rescue Services
* Police & Judicial Services
* Third-party service providers, such as providers of IT system management, information security, human resources management, payroll administration

1. The Practice does not transfer personal data to countries outside the UK.
2. The Practice makes limited personal data transfers subject to the second subparagraph of Article 49(1) which are necessary for the practices compelling legitimate interests. The Practice will seek to ensure that appropriate safeguards are in place to protect personal information before making any such transfer.

**Personal Data Retention Periods**

1. Except as otherwise permitted or required by applicable law or regulation, the Practice only retains personal data for as long as necessary to fulfil the purposes the Practice collected it for, as required to satisfy any legal, accounting, or reporting obligations, or as necessary to resolve disputes. To determine the appropriate retention period for personal data, the Practice considers the amount, nature, and sensitivity of personal data, the potential risk of harm from unauthorised use or disclosure of personal data, the purposes for processing the personal data, whether the Practice can fulfil the purposes of processing by other means, and any applicable legal requirements.
2. The Practice typically retains personal data for the periods set out below, subject to any exceptional circumstances or to comply with laws or regulations that require a specific retention period: -
   1. GP records - 10 years after the patient's death or after the patient has permanently left the country, unless they remain in the European Union.
   2. Electronic patient records – indefinitely as they must not be destroyed or deleted for the foreseeable future.
   3. Children and young people - all types of records for children and young people should be retained until the patient is 25 (or 26 if they are 17 when treatment ends) or eight years after their death, if sooner. (Note that if a child's illness or death could be relevant to an adult condition or have genetic implications for their family, records may be kept for longer).
   4. Maternity records (including obstetric and midwifery records) must be retained for 25 years after the birth of the last child.
   5. Mental health records. Records of people who have been treated for a mental disorder will be retained for 20 years after the date of last contact between the patient and any healthcare professional employed by the mental health provider, or eight years after the death of the patient if sooner.

**Technical and Organisational Security Measures**

1. The Practice has implemented the following technical and organisational security measures to protect personal data:

* Encryption of personal data.
* Segregation of personal data from other networks.
* Access control and user authentication.
* Employee training on information security.
* Written information security policies and procedures.

**Changes to this Record of Processing Activities**

1. The Practice reserves the right to amend this Record of Processing Activities from time to time consistent with the GDPR and other applicable data protection requirements.