

# **Child Safeguarding Privacy Notice**

#### Introduction

This privacy notice explains how the Council uses your data to safeguard children at risk of physical, emotional or sexual harm or neglect.

# Who will be using your data?

Nottinghamshire County Council will be the data controller for the data you provide to us.

We may also contract third party organisations to process your data on our behalf.

## What personal data do we use?

- Name and Contact Details
- Age
- Date of Birth
- Gender
- Images
- NHS number
- NI number
- Address
- Social Care ID
- Other ID numbers
- Education information
- Family details
- Housing needs
- Parent/carer details
- Emergency contacts
- Personal appearance and behaviour
- Case file information

## What types of special category personal data do we need from you?

- Racial or ethnic origin
- Social care support outcomes
- Physical and mental health details
- Data concerning sex life or sexual orientation
- Religious, philosophical or other beliefs of a similar nature

# Why do we use your data?

To protect individuals from serious harm

- For safeguarding, child protection and to promote child welfare
- To provide social care services
- For service planning/improvement
- For the prevention and detection of crime/fraud
- To obtain legal advice or for legal proceedings

## What legal reasons allow us to use your data in this way?

Our legal basis for processing your personal data is that it is necessary to perform our public tasks as a local authority and to protect your or another person's vital interests.

Our legal basis for processing your special category personal data is that it is necessary to protect the vital interests of the child or another person.

The legal basis is also supported by (including but not limited to):

- Children Act 1989
- Children and Families Act 2014
- Children and Social Work Act 2008
- Education Act 2002
- Safeguarding Vulnerable Groups Act 2006

## Who may we share your data with or receive it from?

- NHS agencies (GPs, Hospitals)
- Health organisations
- Welfare organisations
- Voluntary and charitable organisations
- Care Providers
- Service Providers
- Schools & Academies
- Education providers
- Government organisations
- The Police
- Fire and rescue service
- Prisons and probation services
- Courts
- Parent/Carer or other individuals such as family members that may be relevant to the safeguarding investigation or social services' enquiries
- Other Public Bodies
- Disclosure and Barring Service
- Child Safeguarding Practice Review Panel for England or other review bodies

#### May personal data be transferred overseas?

The Council may for operational purposes transfer personal data overseas. In these cases, we will ensure that your personal data is protected and there are safeguards

for the protection of your rights. Please refer to the <u>County Council's privacy</u> statement for further details.

## How long is your data kept for?

This information is held in accordance with the Council's retention schedule – see <a href="here.">here.</a>

## What will happen if you do not provide or we cannot obtain the data needed?

We could not undertake our statutory duty to safeguard children from physical and emotional harm.

# Does the service make decisions using fully automated processes?

No.

## What rights do you have over this use of your data?

- To be informed about how we use your data
- To access a copy of your data that we process
- To have us rectify or correct your data that we process
- To restrict our processing of your personal data
- To object to the use of your data
- To have your personal data erased
- To request that we transfer your information to you or another organisation
- To object to fully automated decision making
- To withdraw your consent (if it the legal reason why we use your data).

Some of these rights are subject to exceptions. Please refer to the <u>County Council's</u> <u>privacy statement</u> part 10 for further details.

#### Contact the Data Protection Officer:

If you have any concerns about how the Council is using your data, you can contact the Council's Data Protection Officer by writing to:

#### DPO@nottscc.gov.uk

Or

Data Protection Officer
Nottinghamshire County Council
County Hall
West Bridgford
Nottingham
NG2 7QP

Please see the County Council's privacy statement for further information: <a href="http://www.nottinghamshire.gov.uk/global-content/privacy">http://www.nottinghamshire.gov.uk/global-content/privacy</a>

#### Contact details of the Information Commissioner's Office:

If you are unhappy with how your data has been processed by the Council or you feel your data protection rights have been breached, you have the right to complain to the Information Commissioner's Office at:

# www.ico.org.uk

Or

Wycliffe House Water Lane Wilmslow SK9 5AF

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