

Details of information used for specific purposes

Medicines Management

Data Controller(s)	NENC ICB
Purpose	The ICB has a duty to secure continuous improvement in the quality of services provided to individuals for or in connection with the prevention, diagnosis or treatment of illness. Taking that into account, The medicines management team supports the ICB with commissioning services that make best use of available medicines. Your personal data will be used to fulfil this duty in respect of promoting cost-effective use of medicines as well as implementing projects or actions to optimise the use of medicines to improve outcomes, enhance patient safety and improve capacity within the local health economy.
Type of information Used	Identifiable: Personal (such as name, address, date of birth) and Special Category (health information)
Legal basis	GDPR Article 6(1)(e) processing is necessary for the performance of a task carried out in the public interest or in the exercise of official authority, GDPR Article 9 (2)(h) processing is necessary for the purposes of the provision of health or social care or treatment or the management of health or social care systems and services.
How we collect (the source) and use the information	Data used to fulfil the above duties is received directly from the primary and secondary healthcare providers for which the ICB has responsibility for.
Data Processors	The ICB does not use external data processors for this function.
Your Rights	With regards to Medicines Management Reviews under GDPR you have the right: To be informed about the processing of your information (this notice) Of access to the information held about you To have the information corrected in the event that it is inaccurate To restrict or stop processing To object to it being processed or used Not to be subject automated decision-taking or profiling To be notified of data breaches
How long we will keep the information	The organisation has adopted the retention periods for health and non-health care records as set out in the Records Management Code of Practice 2021. The retention schedule is in line with the Records Management Code of Practice 2021.
Who we will share the information with (recipients)	Personal data is shared between the ICB and local healthcare providers, including GP practices. They do this to facilitate the implementation of recommendations by the medicines management team.