

Sutton Integrated Digital Care Record



**Sharing your information
to improve your care**

Easy Read

Providing your care in a better way

We are making health and social care services better in Sutton.



We want health and social care services to work together better.



We want all the different services to work with you as a team, keeping you well.



Sharing your health and social care information

We want to make sure that you are looked after in the best possible way.



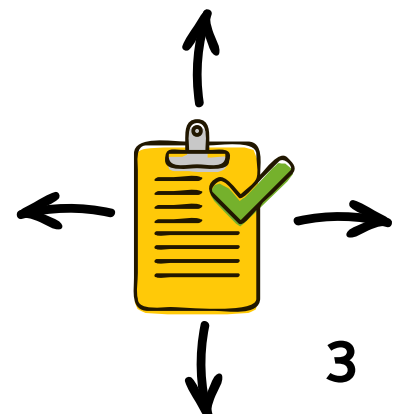
We can only do this if all the health and social care professionals involved in your care can share information about your health and care.



This means sharing your health and care records with all the professionals who are looking after your health and care.

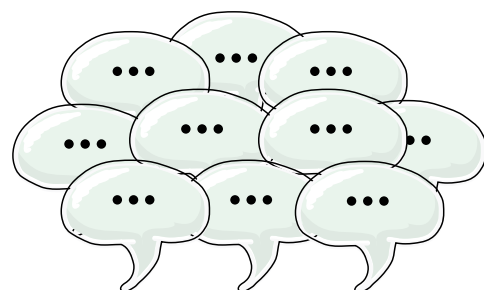


Your information will be shared between GP Practices, social services, hospital, community, mental health and GP out of hours services in Sutton.



This means:

You shouldn't have to repeat your health and social care information.



Care professionals should be able to find information when they need it.



You should be able to avoid unnecessary appointments and tests.



You'll be more involved in decisions about your care.



What information will be shared?

Only doctors, nurses, social workers and other health and care professionals who work with you will be able to see your records.

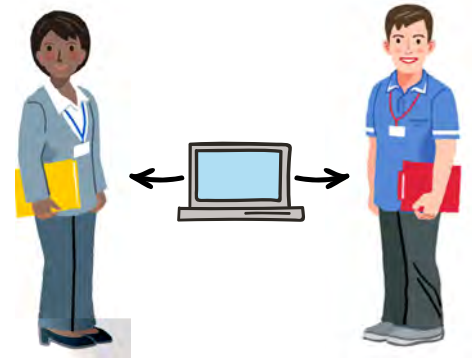


The Sutton Integrated Digital Care Record will include test results, medications, allergies and social, health and wellbeing information relevant to your care.



How will my information be used?

Your care information may be shared with other health and social care professionals.



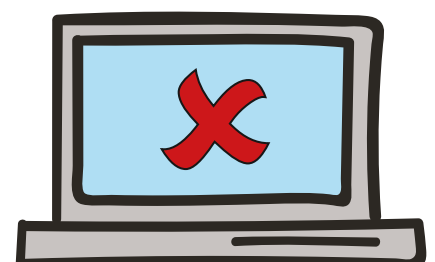
Your care plan may be discussed at meetings of health and social care professionals who are working with you.



Some information may be shared with other organisations to help them improve services across Sutton. We will take your name and personal details off this information so no-one will know it is your information.



You can “opt-out” at any time. If you would like to know more about your options, please tell your GP.



Is my information safe?

Your information will not be shared with anyone apart from health and social care professionals involved with your care and will not be sold to third parties. It will be held according to strict rules about security in the UK.



You have the choice about whether to share your information and who can see it.

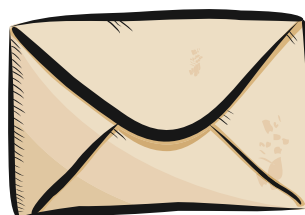
- yes**
- no**

How do I find out more?

If you would like to know more about the Sutton Integrated Digital Care Record please speak to your GP.

You can also contact NHS Sutton CCG by email to sutccg.office@nhs.net or writing to us at:

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