

Freedom of Information
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Dear Dr Bhatia,

Request for Information Reference: FOI 0142-16

Please note: The email address for submitting FOI requests is: foi@fhft.nhs.uk please always use this email address.

Thank you for your request for information which was received on 9th March 2016, which is detailed below with the Trust's response. It has taken the Trust 2 hours to complete this request.

	Information Request	Trust Response
	I am interested in the relationship between your organisation and the Connected Care clinical data repository (Graphnet 3rd party database), which I will refer to as "CC" in this FOI request, and as mentioned in this article: http://www.digitalhealth.net/shared_care_records/47246/berkshire-to-share-patient-records-with-graphnet	
1	Please could you tell me whether your organisation is already extracting and uploading personal confidential data about patients/clients to the CC database?	No
2	If not commenced already, do you have plans to commence feeds into the CC database at anytime between now and 31st March 2017?	Yes
	If the answer to both of the above is no, then thank you very much, ignore the remainder of this request, and please consider my request closed. However, if your organisation is already uploading, or is planning to before March 31st 2017, then please can you provide me with the following:	
3	Any and all fair processing information (posters/leaflets/handouts) made available, or planning to be made available, to patients/clients informing them of this new use of their data	This information has not been created yet. Once it is, it will be available on the Trust website.
4	Any and all policies on the implementation of CC feeds by your organisation	

5	The types/nature of information that you are, or will be, extracting and uploading to the CC database	
	I am aware of the opt-out arrangements available at contributing GP surgeries. However, I am interested in how patients can (or if they cannot) prohibit your organisation from extracting and uploading information to the CC database in the first place (processing of their data which would have no purpose or justification if they have already opted-out at their GP surgery).	
6	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Please could you tell me process available to patients to express dissent to *you*, for this type of processing of their data, and so block extraction uploading of all their personal confidential data to the CC database by your organisation (in line with the DPA and NHS Constitution) 	This information has not been created yet.
7	Please could you tell me whether the data controller for the CC database informs you when patients have opted out of having a CC record (e.g. having opted out at their GP surgery), which would in theory allow you to switch of the feed to the CC database for that patient's information.	

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Yours sincerely,

Information Governance Office