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We can care for you better by working together

What is the Leeds Care Record?



It is a way of sharing important information about you with the people who care for you.

Who would see this information?



The people who look after you.

This could be your

Doctor



Social Care Services





Mental Health Services



Hospital

Hospice



So how does it work?



An example might be:

You are out and about in Leeds and become unwell.

You manage to get help and get to hospital but are too poorly to be able to tell the doctors and nurses everything they need to know.

By using your name they are able to find your Leeds Care Record.

Using your record they are able to



- Find out about your needs so they can give you the right care
- Make sure that other people know what has happened so they can help you get better

Why would I want to do this?



It can help:

- Make it easy for everyone to work together to get your care right
- To save time so that people can spend more time with you
- Less paperwork and forms to fill in
- You may not be asked the same questions again and again
- By keeping all your information safely in one place

Would anyone be able to see this information?



No.

Only the people involved in your care. Your information would still be safe and kept private from anyone else.

What would they know about me?



How would I know this information is safe?



Information is kept in a private and safe system only the people involved in your care are able to see it.

What if I don't want to?



You can tell us you don't want to have your information shared by calling 0113 20 64102.

However if people involved in your care ever need to see your information to give you safe care they are still allowed to look at it.

How can I find out more?



If you have any questions or would like to object to your Leeds Care Record being shared, please contact:



0113 20 64102 Or you can write to:



Leeds Care Record, Leeds Teaching Hospitals NHS Trust, St James University Hospital, Lincoln Wing/Chancellor Wing Link Corridor, Beckett Street, Leeds, LS9 7TF



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