

# Care.Data

Confidential information from your medical records can be used by the NHS to improve the services offered so that the best possible care can be provided for everyone. This information, along with your postcode and NHS number but not your name, is sent to a secure system where it can be linked with other health information.

This allows those planning NHS services or carrying our medical research to use information from different parts of the NHS in a way which does not identify you.

You have a choice.

If you decide that you do not want your data to be used in this way, and have made sure you fully understand this project before reaching your decision please complete below:

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## REQUEST FOR MY CLINICAL INFORMATION TO BE WITHHELD FROM CARE.DATA

If you **DO NOT** want your personal confidential data to be included in the Care.Data programme please fill out the form and hand it to the receptionist at Balmoral Surgery.

Please complete in block capitals:

Title ..... Surname/Family Name.....

Forename(s) .....

Address .....

Postcode ..... Date of Birth .....

Signature .....

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If you are filling out this form on behalf of another person or child please complete their details in section A and yours in section B.

Your Name ..... Your signature .....

Your relationship to patient ..... Date .....

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Please indicate which parts of the programme you wish to withhold your information from by ticking appropriately:

**#9Nu0 Dissent from secondary use of GP patient identifiable data** (prevent personal confidential data leaving the Practice.)

**#9Nu4 Dissent from disclosure of personal confidential data by Health and Social Care Information Centre** (prevent personal confidential data leaving HSCIC.)