

## Privacy Notice:

# Medical Data Shared with Health Care Professionals & Organisations

Pelham Medical Practice keeps medical records confidential and complies with the General Data Protection Regulation.

Pelham Medical Practice holds the medical records of its patients so that we can provide you with safe care and treatment.

This information will also be used so that we can check and review the quality of the care we provide. This helps us to improve our services to you.

- We will share relevant information from your medical record with other health or social care staff or organisations when they provide you with care. For example, your GP will share information when they refer you to a specialist in a hospital. Or your GP will send details about your prescription to your chosen pharmacy.
- Healthcare staff working in A&E and out of hours care will also have access to your information. For example, it is important that staff who are treating you in an emergency know if you have any allergic reactions. This will involve the use of your Summary Care Record. For more information see: <https://digital.nhs.uk/summary-care-records>, see the Summary Care Records information tab on our website or alternatively speak to your Surgery.
- You have the right to object to information being shared for your own care. Please speak to the practice if you wish to object. You also have the right to have any mistakes or errors corrected.
- More information on how your health care data can be used can be found at <https://www.nhs.uk/using-the-nhs/about-the-nhs/your-health-records/> or <https://www.nhs.uk/your-nhs-data-matters/> and Summary Care Opt Out Form can be found using the following link: <Website\scr-dataopt-out.pdf>