

## **Plain English explanation**

The partners of Lancaster Medical Practice are also the shareholders of Lancaster Medical Group Limited, which incorporates Rosebank Pharmacy, Highland Brow, Galgate, LA2 ONB.

The Pharmacy and Practice therefore work closely together to ensure the best care for Patients and, as such, the Pharmacy Team may, on occasion, access your GP record.

The Pharmacy Team are bound by the Rosebank Pharmacy, Lancaster Medical Practice and NHS Confidentiality Agreements and will only access your record where there is a genuine need to do so.

The primary purpose of accessing your record would be to answer queries around the issue of repeat medication or to perform a medication review.

The basic data accessed would be current medication, allergies and details of any previous bad reactions to medicines, the name, address, date of birth and NHS number of the patient.

1) Data Controller contact details	Lancaster Medical Practice
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	Lancaster
	LA1 1PN
2) Data Protection Officer	Lesley Cassar - Head of Quality and Performance
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3) <b>Purpose</b> of the processing	Patient care in regards to medication
4) Lawful basis for processing	The processing of personal data in the delivery of direct care and is supported under the following Article 6 and 9 conditions of the GDPR:
	Article 6(1)(e) 'necessary for the performance of a task carried out in
	the public interest or in the exercise of official authority'.
	Article 9(2)(h) 'necessary for the purposes of preventative or
	occupational medicine for the assessment of the working capacity of the
	employee, medical diagnosis, the provision of health or social care or
	treatment or the management of health or social care systems and
	services"
5) Recipient or categories of	The data will be shared with Rosebank Pharmacy.
recipients of the processed data	
6) Rights to object	You have the right to object to some or all the information being processed
	under Article 21. Please contact the Data Controller or the practice. You should
	be aware that this is a right to raise an objection, that is not the same as having
	an absolute right to have your wishes granted in every circumstance.
7) Right to access and correct	You have the right to access the data that is being shared and have any
	inaccuracies corrected. There is no right to have accurate medical records
	deleted except when ordered by a court of Law.
8) Retention period	The data will be retained in line with the law and national guidance.
•	https://digital.nhs.uk/article/1202/Records-Management-Code-of-Practice-for-
	Health-and-Social-Care-2016 or speak to the practice.
9) Right to Complain.	You have the right to complain to the Information Commissioner's Office, you
	can use this link <u>https://ico.org.uk/global/contact-us/</u> or calling their helpline
	Tel: 0303 123 1113 (local rate) or 01625 545 745 (national rate). There are
	National Offices for Scotland, Northern Ireland and Wales, (see ICO website)