

NHS Summary Care Record – your emergency care summary.

The NHS in England is introducing the Summary Care Record, which will be used in emergency care.

The record will contain information about any medicines you are taking, allergies you suffer from and any bad reactions to medicines you have had to ensure those caring for you have enough information to treat you safely.

Your Summary Care Record will be available to authorised healthcare staff providing your care anywhere in England, but they will ask your permission before they look at it.

This means that if you have an accident or become ill, the doctors treating you will have immediate access to important information about your health.

This practice is now part of this project. If you have not opted out, a summary care record will be created for you.

You have a choice whether or not to have a Summary Care Record. If you do not wish to have one please complete an opt out form (see below) and hand in to the surgery. If you have previously completed an opt out form you do not need to complete another one. We recommend that you make an informed choice.

[Click on this link to an information leaflet.](#)

For further information please:

- Phone the NHS Care Records Service Information Line on 0845 603 8510
- Log onto www.nhscarerecords.nhs.uk for more detailed information
- Visit the website www.nottspct.nhs.uk/scr
- Email the SCR team at notts.scr@nhs.net

Copies of the opt-out form can be collected from the GP practice, printed from the website www.nhscarerecords.nhs.uk or requested from the dedicated NHS Summary Care Record Information Line on 0845 603 8510. You can also ask for more information, leaflets in easy read format and other languages.