#### What is a Privacy Notice?

A Privacy Notice helps your GP surgery tell you how it uses information it has about you, like your name, address, date of birth and all the notes the doctor or nurse makes about you in your healthcare record.

### Why do we need one?

Your GP surgery needs a Privacy Notice to make sure it meets the legal requirements which are written in a new document called the General Data Protection Regulation (or GDPR for short).

#### What is a GDPR?

The GDPR is a new document that helps your GP surgery keep the information about you secure. It's new and was introduced on the 25<sup>th</sup> May 2018, making sure that your doctor, nurse and other staff at the practice follow the rules and keep your information safe.

#### How do you know about our Privacy Notice?

At the surgery we have posters and leaflets in our waiting room, letting you know what kind of information we have about you and how we use this information.

## What information do we collect about you?

Don't worry, we only collect the information we need to help us keep you healthy – such as your name, address, information about your parents or guardians, records of appointments, visits and telephone calls and your clinical notes.



# Privacy Information Leaflet for Children

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