

Privacy Notice



Service Area and contact details	
Service Area:	Adult Services
Contact Details:	CentralAdmin.Adults@newport.gov.uk
Privacy Notice Name:	Adult Services

Source and categories of information being processed

This section is only relevant if personal data has been obtained from a source other than yourself (the data subject).

Newport City Council has obtained the following categories of your personal data:

Newport City Council’s Adult Services will capture and record details relating to your situation and provide suitable care and support, for those with an identified need.

This section will explain the categories of personal data that could be shared with us and the type of individuals and organisations that may provide us with information

Categories of personal data obtained by Adult and Community Services are:

- Name
- Address
- DOB
- Gender
- Email Address
- Contact Details
- NHS Number
- Next of Kin

Adult Services may also obtain and retain more specific information required for:

- Care and support needs
- Assessment, Care Planning and Reviewing
- Case Management
- Your personal outcome and goals
- Information about your Wellbeing
- Safeguarding
- Domestic Abuse
- Physical Health
- Mental Health and Capacity
- Financial Information
- Medical Information
- Criminal Record
- Deprivation of Liberty
- Tenure / Homelessness
- Immigration
- South East Wales Emergency Duty Team (out of hours services)

We have obtained your information from:

Newport City Council's Adult Services receives and records information provided from a range of sources

- Your family/friends/advocate/carer
- General Practitioners
- Medical Professionals
- Other Local Authorities
- Health Boards
- Independent Care Providers
- Residential and Nursing Care Homes
- Housing Associations / Registered Social Landlords
- Partner Agencies
- Police and other emergency services
- Disclosure and Barring Services
- Care Inspectorate Wales (CIW)
- Education Providers
- Legal Representatives
- Home Office
- General Public
- DWP
- Prison / Probations Services
- Council Tax
- Housing Benefit

If you would like further information on the source of information we hold, please contact Newport City Council. This may require you to apply for a Subject Access Request under Data Protection Legislation

Purpose and legal basis for using your information

Here, we will explain the reason why we have collected your personal data and the reasons for processing.

Our legal basis for processing your information:

We have a statutory obligation to process your personal data

Further details about our legal basis for using your information and the purpose of processing:

In order to provide the support that you may require Newport City Council, Adult Services will need to gather, record and share your information. We will record details such as your name, contact details and the nature of the advice we have provide you. As your enquiry progresses we will collect further information about you in order to offer the right support to enable you to meet your identified objectives.

Adult Services is governed by a range of legislation that provides the legal basis for processing your information, which may include the following legislation, depending on the reason for your referral.

- Social Services and Well-being Act. This came into force on the 6th April 2016 and provides the legal framework for improving the well-being of people who need care and support, including the needs of Carers
- The Mental Capacity Act 2005
- All Wales Safeguarding Procedures
- The Mental Health Act 1983

The right to withdraw consent

If we are relying on your consent to process your data, you have the right to withdraw your consent to this processing at any point. To do so, please contact the person named at the top of this privacy notice.

(Only relevant to consent based processing)

You must provide us with the information we need to deliver the service, if there is either:

- a) A contractual obligation to do so, or
- b) A statutory obligation to do so.

(Only relevant if the lawful basis for processing is the performance of a contract or Public duty/task obligation)

The consequences of not providing the information are as follows:

If you do not provide us with your information we will not be able to provide you with appropriate information, advice and assistance.

Special Category Data

(Only relevant if special category data is being processed)

Sometimes we process special category data which is afforded more protection under the Data Protection Act. This is because special category data is deemed to be more sensitive. If we are processing your special category data then we need to establish a further lawful basis for processing, and we have highlighted this below:

There is substantial public interest

Special category data is data about an individual's race, ethnic origin, politics, religion, trade union membership, genetics, biometrics, health, sex life or sexual orientation. It is likely that we will process data that relates to your health and medical history and there is substantial public interest in doing this. The processing of this data will be proportionate to the aim pursued and respect the essence of the right to data protection. We will provide for suitable and specific measures to safeguard your fundamental rights and interests.

Automatic decision making/profiling

(Only relevant if we are making an automated decision on a data subject)

Sometimes we use computers or technology to help us make decisions about the service we offer you. Below are the details of what decision making or profiling systems we have used, and how the decision was made:

Not Applicable

Who will have access to your personal information?

Newport City Council is the data controller and the Data Protection Officer is:

Digital Services Manager

Email: information.management@newport.gov.uk

Tel: 01633 656656

Other data controllers may also be responsible for your information, depending on the specific circumstances. Please contact the service area for further information.

The main users of your personal information are:

These departments are the main users of your information

NCC Contact Centre
First Contact (this team will deal with your initial enquiry and record your information, if appropriate)
Neighbourhood Networking (NCN)
Mental Health
Hospital Interface
Occupational Therapy
Contracts & Commissioning
Community Reablement
Performance Information / WCCIS Support
Supporting People
Supported Living
Substance Misuse
ExtraCare
Residential/Nursing Homes
Day Opportunities
Safeguarding / POVA / Police
Direct Payments
Community Connectors
Carers Support
Shared Lives
Home First
Visual Impairment Service

We may share your information within Newport City Council:

We share your information with the following internal departments on a 'need to know' basis

Departments within Social Services
Financial Services
Legal Services
Insurance Services
Housing Services
City Service (Complaints and Information)
Education
Internal Audit
Health & Safety
Environmental Health
Passenger Transport

We may share your information with other, external organisations:

We also share your information with other agencies and organisation on a 'needs to know' basis

Health Boards
Other Local Authorities
Police
Independent Care Providers
General Practitioners
Medical Professionals
Residential and Nursing Care Homes
Housing Associations / Registered Social Landlords
Partner Agencies
Disclosure and Barring Services
Care Inspectorate Wales (CIW)
Older Person Commissioner
Welsh Government
Welsh Audit Office

Education Authorities
Legal Representatives
South East Wales Emergency Duty Team (EDT out of hours)
Court of Protection
MP's / AM's / Ombudsman
Universities (for research purposes)
External Consultants
Welsh Local Government Association
Regional Social Work Teams
TCES – Medequip
Worcester Telecare
GDAS – (Gwent Drug and Alcohol Service)
Carer(s)

Newport City Council may share your data with other organisations for the purpose of the prevention and detection of fraud. For further information about the National Fraud Initiative please click here;

<https://www.newport.gov.uk/our-council/about-council/data-and-sharing/information-sharing>

Sometimes we use the specialist help of other organisations/companies to process your data on our behalf. These companies are known as 'data processors'. In processing your data, we use the following data processors:

Care work data is hosted on the Welsh Community Care Information System (WCCIS). We also use the following computer systems to process care work data;

Civica
Severlec (Abacus)
Access
Powerbase

If you would like further information about how we use these systems to process your data, please contact us using the email address at the top of this privacy notice.

Details of any international transfers of your personal information:
(if applicable)

Not applicable

Requests for information

All recorded information held by Newport City Council may be subject to requests under the Freedom of Information Act 2000, Environmental Information Regulations 2004 and the Data Protection Act.

If you would like to request a copy of the personal information that we hold about you, you can request to have a copy of our **Personal Information Request Form** here:

Information.management@newport.gov.uk

If you would like to submit a Freedom of Information Request/Environmental Information request to us, you can submit your request to us here:

www.newport.gov.uk/FOI

Your Rights

The Data Protection Act gives you a number of rights. Please note that not all of these rights are absolute and we will need to consider your request upon receipt. You have the right to request:

- a) to have your data rectified if it is inaccurate or incomplete;
- b) to have your data erased;
- c) to restrict the processing of your data;
- d) to exercise your right to data portability;
- e) to object to the processing for the purposes of direct marketing, profiling and automated decision making.

In all instances, please submit your request to:

information.management@newport.gov.uk

Complaints Procedure

If you are unhappy with the way Newport City Council is using your data, you have the right to complain to us. If you would like to do this, please contact us by sending an e-mail to this address;

Information.management@newport.gov.uk

If you are not content with the subsequent outcome of your complaint, you may apply directly to the Information Commissioner for a decision. Generally, the ICO cannot make a decision unless you have exhausted the Councils complaints procedure. The Information Commissioner can be contacted at:

The Information Commissioners Office,
Wycliffe House, Water Lane,
Wilmslow,
Cheshire
SK9 5AF.

How long will we retain your information?

Details of retention period

We will retain your information in line with our Information Retention and Disposal Policy and will keep your information only for as long as it is needed, after which it will be deleted or destroyed.