

## Service Area and contact details

<b>Service Area:</b>	Education
<b>Contact Details:</b>	inclusion.enquiries@newport.gov.uk
<b>Privacy Notice Name:</b>	Education Psychology 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:

Your child's:

- Date of birth
- Gender
- Ethnicity
- Home language
- Health or medical information
- Information about additional learning needs
- Information about whether a child is looked after, or detained, and personal history
- School/ nursery/ college and year group
- Reason/s Educational Psychology involvement is being requested
- Parent/Guardian name and contact details

### We have obtained your information from:

An Education Psychology referral form received from your child's school.  
Local Authority panels who are requesting EP involvement once parental consent has been gained for this work

## 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:

We process data in accordance with:  
The Children and Families Act 2014  
The ALN Act Wales 2022

### 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:**

Without this information, we would be unable to deliver Education Psychology services to individuals.

**Special Category Data**

*(Only relevant if special category data is being processed)*

Sometimes we process special category 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

**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](mailto: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:**

Educational Psychology Team

Teacher Advisory service

Additional Learning Needs (ALN) officers

**We may share your information within Newport City Council:**

The Inclusion Enrichment team

**We may share your information with other, external organisations:**

Schools

Snap Cymru Special needs advisory panel

Flying Start/Early Years providers

ISCAN Panel

Newport SPACE panel

**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:**

None

**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](mailto: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](http://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](mailto: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](mailto: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 Council's 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 records for 25 years from date of birth