

GP Practices in Bradford – Fair Processing Notice

This practice shares data with Bradford Teaching Hospitals NHS Trust as part of the Connected Bradford programme. Connected Bradford aims to use anonymised health, social care and the wider determinants of health data about the population to drive new and improved treatments and services. Further information on Connected Bradford is available on the website <https://www.bradfordresearch.nhs.uk/our-research-teams/connected-bradford/>

Information about your health and care held in your health records is confidential and is not routinely shared. Connected Bradford will use anonymised (de-personalised) data where the information that identifies you has been removed or replaced. The data will be used in new and innovative ways to determine how ill the population is in your area, whether the services meet your needs and to explore how they can be improved.

Connected Bradford will be working on all care pathways approved by the programme including child obesity, child mental health, diabetes, epilepsy, emergency care, medically unexplained symptoms, and healthy ageing patient care pathways. Connected Bradford is committed to protecting your privacy at all times and will only use data ethically and lawfully.

Connected Bradford may want to share the data they hold about you with your own practice to support your health. Even though Connected Bradford cannot identify you, those that are treating you in your practice will be able to unscramble the identifying information to review your data.

The anonymised data (data that does not allow you to be identified) that Connected Bradford shares with other NHS and partner organisations will help them to improve local services, carry out research or audits, and improve public health.