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<p><b>Request for information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000</b></p> <p>1) The reason(s) why the deprecated SCR opt-out code 93C3 (currently only used by INPS practices) prohibits extraction of GP data and uploading to the SHCR, but the current 9Ndo SCR opt-out code seemingly does not. <a href="#">See Graphnet TechNote 23:</a> <a href="#">Graphnet implementations do not upload to the national <i>Summary Care Record</i> (SCR) and therefore the consent criteria (and the Read2/CTV3 relevant codes: 9Ndl./XaXbX; 9Ndm./XaXbY; 9Ndn./XaXbZ and 9Ndo./XaXj6) applying specifically to the SCR are not relevant to Graphnet implementations.</a></p> <p>2) Does the presence of the 9Ndo SCR opt-out read code automatically prohibit extraction of GP data and uploading to the SHCR for any patient whose GP surgery uses EMIS Web? <b>No</b></p> <p>3) Does the presence of the 9Nd1 read code in the GP record automatically extraction of GP data and uploading to the SHCR? <a href="#">This question seems to have a typographical error, but we presume that the question is, does the 9Nd1. code prohibit extraction of GP data and uploading to the SHCR? The answer to this question is yes</a></p> <p>4) Who is the data controller for the SHCR? <a href="#">NHS Stockport CCG</a></p> <p>5) Is data uploaded to the SHCR additionally processed, or planning to be processed, for secondary purposes, such as providing/disseminating information to the CCG, or other third parties (e.g. NHS Trusts), for purposes unrelated to direct medical care (e.g. research, audit, healthcare planning, commissioning)? <b>Yes</b></p>			

- 6) When a patient opts-out of the SHCR, is any and all GP-sourced information held by the SHCR automatically deleted (i.e. does the patient have the “right to be forgotten”)?

See Graphnet TechNote 23:

If, during the course of a GP extract upload into the repository, the process detects that a patient has an Opt-Out code and that code has not been superseded by an Opt-In code in the same record, it will perform the following:

- 1) Remove all documents that come from the GP practice
  - 2) Store the knowledge of this opt-out in the journal table (where possible)
  - 3) Update the patients PMI record in Graphnet to reflect the change in preference. When the process removes the data, it will physically remove it. It will not move it, hide it or archive it. It is permanently destroyed forever. It is not possible to retrieve this data without performing a new extract at that practice.
- 7) If not automatically deleted, how does a patient, who no longer wishes to allow their GP data to be extracted and uploaded to the SHCR, get their previously uploaded data permanently deleted?

The data will not show within the SHCR but will be retained by Graphnet in line with retention policies for electronic records.

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