

PRIVACY POLICY

In order to comply with the General Data protection Regulations (GDPR), your explicit consent is required in order for me to keep your physiotherapy and personal data.

Physiotherapists have a professional and legal obligation to keep an accurate record of their interaction with patients. In order to give the best possible treatment and care, your medical information may be shared with other health professionals directly involved with your care such as your general practitioner or specialist medical practitioners. I will always seek to ensure that you are aware of the communication with other health professionals. No other third parties will have access to this information.

I am lawfully bound to keep hold of your medical records for eight years from the date of last treatment for adult records, and for children eight years after their 18 birthday or until 25 years of age. Once the retention period has expired your records will be securely destroy and dispose of.

Please note that you have the right to refuse consent and the right to prevent the sharing of your information. Once consent is given you have the right to withdraw this consent at any time without reason.

Further information on consent and medical record keeping can be found on the CSP website. <http://www.csp.org.uk/publications/record-keeping-guidance-0>