

## Your NHS Summary Care Record

When you register at Price's Mill Surgery you need to tell us if you want to have a SCR or not, and how much information you want it to contain. Even if you made this decision at your previous surgery we need you to tell us.

An SCR has important information about your health in it:



- **Medicines** you take
- **Allergies** you have
- Any bad reactions to medicines in the past

If you have an accident or fall ill, you might need to see a doctor or nurse in places like accident and emergency departments and GP out of hours who do not know you. They will be better equipped to treat you if they have this information.

If they do not know about your care, your SCR could:



- Stop them making a mistake, because they can see your medicines, allergies or what medicines make you ill
- Help them see your information straight away on a computer

Your SCR will be available to authorised healthcare staff whenever and wherever you need treatment in England. Healthcare staff treating you will ask if they can look at your SCR before they look at it, except in an emergency situation.

### SCR with Additional Information



You can choose to have other useful information added to your SCR, including:

- Your **illnesses** and any **health problems**



- **Operations and vaccinations** you have had in the past
- **How you would like to be treated** - such as where you would prefer to receive care
- What **support you might need**
- **Who should be contacted** for more information about you

The more information doctors and nurses treating you have about you the better equipped they are to provide you with safe and effective care.

## You need to make a decision

On your New Patient Registration Form you must choose one of the following options:

- A. Yes, I want a SCR with information about my medicines, allergies and past bad reactions only, or
- B. Yes, I want a SCR with additional information included, or
- C. No, I do not want a SCR.

You are free to change your decision at any time by informing us.

## For more information

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