

The following information applies to Infection Control Service.

**Data Controller:**

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**Retention:**

Records are kept in accordance with the Council's disposal schedule and we will not keep your information for longer than necessary. Our Retention Schedule can be found at:

<https://www.tamworth.gov.uk/sites/default/files/privacy/Retention-Schedule.pdf>

**Rights:** You have certain rights under UK Data Protection law including:

- The right to be informed
- The right of access to your personal data
- The right of rectification (to have any inaccuracies corrected)
- The right of erasure (to have your records deleted)
- The right to restrict processing
- The right to data portability
- The right to object
- Rights in relation to automated decision making and profiling

All rights may not be available to you in all circumstances. Further information about your rights is available on our website at: <http://www.tamworth.gov.uk/privacy-notice> or the ICO

Website at: <https://ico.org.uk/for-organisations/guide-to-the-general-data-protection-regulation-gdpr/individual-rights/>

### **Information Collected**

Name  
Address  
Date of Birth  
Gender  
Contact Information

### **“Special” category Information Collected**

Health

### **Purpose Collected**

Registered Medical Practitioners have a statutory duty to notify the local council or local health protection team of suspected cases of certain infectious diseases

We use this information to investigate the reported case and to assist Public Health England to carry out their infection control function in relation to infectious and communicable diseases.

It allows us to take required action to be taken to prevent, protect against, or control risks to health and to record and investigate cases of food poisoning or suspected food poisoning.

We would also use this information to prevent and detect fraud or other criminal activity.

### **Legal Purpose**

We will only use your personal information when the law allows us to. Most commonly we will use your personal information under **Legal Obligation** as the processing is necessary for us to comply with the law namely:

Public Health (Control of Disease) Act 1984  
Health Protection (Notification) Regulations 2010  
Health Protection (Local Authority Powers) Regulations 2010  
Health Protection (Part 2A Orders) Regulations 2010

Some of your information may also be used:

- to safeguard adults, and children under the Children’s Act 1989
- for the prevention and detection of fraud under Digital Economy Act 2017 (Part 5)
- to assist with debt management or to assist with the collection of money owing to the borough council such as rent, council tax, or other sundry debts

- for the detection and prevention of crime under the Crime and Disorder Act 1998 (Reformed 2014)

### **Third Parties we might share information with**

We will share your personal information with third parties where required by law or where it is necessary to administer your Housing Benefit, Council Tax Reduction or Second Adult Rebate application. Examples of the organisations we may need to share information with are below, this list is not exhaustive:

Tamworth Borough Council Revenues Department  
Tamworth Borough Council Finance Department  
Tamworth Borough Council Audit Department  
Tamworth Borough Council Benefits Department  
Tamworth Borough Council Community Safety Team  
Other Government Bodies  
Police Authorities  
Public Health England  
General Practitioners  
Health Service Providers  
Your employer, educational or care institutions.

### **Third-Parties Service Providers – Which third parties process my personal information?**

Third-Party Service Providers are companies who process your information on Tamworth Borough Council's behalf.

The following third-parties process personal information about you for the following purposes:

**M3** – The Council's IT provider M3 may have to access to your personal information on occasions where there is a fault

### **How secure is my information with third-party service providers?**

All our third-party service providers are required to take appropriate security measures to protect your personal information in line with the GDPR regulations. Our third-party service providers are not permitted to use your personal data for their own purposes. We only permit them to process your personal data for specified purposes and in accordance with our instructions.

Your personal data is processed (including storage) within the European Economic Area only.

## **More information**

Tamworth Borough Council's Privacy Notice can be found at:

<http://www.tamworth.gov.uk/privacy-notice> or a hard copy provided upon request.

If you have a concern about the way that we are collecting or using your personal data, we ask that you contact us in the first instance. Alternatively, you can [contact the Information Commissioner's Office](#).

This Privacy Notice may change from time to time and will be subject to annual review. The last known update/review date can be located at the top of the page.

By regularly reviewing this page you will ensure that you are always aware of what information we collect, how we use it and under what circumstances, if any, we share it with others.