

Privacy Notice for Short Breaks



**Nottingham City Council
Information Compliance**

**Service Area: Lifelong Disability
Directorate: Children's & Adults
PN - 148**

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Short breaks are specialised services offered by Nottingham City Council, who are the data controllers for the personal data that we process about you.

Short breaks are specialist services for disabled children, young people and their families, to support caring and promote positive activities. They provide opportunities for disabled children and young people to spend time away from their carers to play and socialise.

When we process personal data relating to you, we will only do so when it is necessary and where we have a lawful reason to do so.

We will use the information provided by you for a number of reasons, depending on the service or reasons for interacting with you. This includes the following opportunities

- Day, evening, overnight or weekend activities, in the child's own home, the home of an approved carer, or in a residential or community setting.
- Youth groups,
- Weekend activities
- School holiday clubs;
- One-to-one 'befriending' support to enable disabled children and young people to access local parks, shops, libraries etc.

Disabled children, young people and their family choose the services they wish to access. In many cases, they will already be receiving services from the provider of those services who will already hold personal information about the family. In cases where the family want to receive services from a provider who is new to them, the Council will refer the child, young person and their family to the provider.

At point of referral, Nottingham City Council will disclose some or all of the following information

- The child or young person's name
- The name of parent or guardian,
- Contact details of parent or guardian,
- Date of birth of child
- General support needs and severity of need of the child or young person, including health and care needs, health information, medical condition or diagnosis.

When we process your personal data, we will comply with data protection legislation and enable you to exercise your rights contained within the legislation.

Lawful basis for processing

The basis under which the Council uses personal data for this purpose is that this is **necessary for the performance of a task carried out in the public interest by the Council or in the exercise of official authority vested in the Council.**

The information we process may include the following special categories of personal data:

- Physical or mental health

Information in these categories is used by the Council on the basis that such use is **necessary for reasons of substantial public interest** and in accordance with the provisions of the UK General Data Protection Regulation and the Data Protection Act 2018.

Do you need to provide the information?

You are not obliged by statute to provide some of the information that is specified here.

How long will NCC retain the data for?

The information that you have provided will be kept for 75 years.

The Council publishes an Information Asset Register (IAR), this will outline the retention periods for the personal data we process. You can find this IAR on our website <https://geoserver.nottinghamcity.gov.uk/information-asset-register/>

Can the information be used for any other purpose?

The information provided by you may also be used for the purpose of any other function carried out by the Council. Information about these functions and the legal basis on which information is used for them can be found at <http://www.nottinghamcity.gov.uk/privacy-statement/>

The information will only be used for another purpose where it is lawful to do so.

Information Rights

The UK General Data Protection Regulation provides for the following rights as prescribed by the legislation:

- A right to request a copy of your information
- A right to request rectification of inaccurate personal data
- A right to request erasure of your data known as 'the right to be forgotten'
- A right to in certain circumstances to request restriction of processing
- A right in certain circumstances to request portability of your data to another provider

- A right to object to processing of data in certain circumstances
- A right regarding automated decision making including profiling

However, Nottingham City Council can restrict the above rights in certain circumstances for example to avoid obstructing an investigation, avoid prejudicing the prevention, detection, investigation or prosecution of criminal penalties or to protect the rights and freedoms of others.

Data Protection Officer

You can contact the data protection officer at:

Loxley House,
Station Street,
Nottingham,
NG2 3NG

or at data.protectionofficer@nottinghamcity.gov.uk .

Information Commissioner's Office

The Information Commissioner's Office (ICO) website provides guidance on data protection and privacy matters, you can visit the website at www.ico.org.uk. You also have the right to complain to the ICO if you consider that the Council have processed your personal data incorrectly or that we have breached our obligations to you. You can contact the ICO at:

Wycliffe House,
Water Lane
Wilmslow,
Cheshire
SK95AF

www.ico.org.uk

Further Information

For more information about these rights please refer to our detailed privacy statement at <https://www.nottinghamcity.gov.uk/privacy-statement> .