



Why you need an Enhanced Summary Care Record



Your emergency care summary

- Most people in England have a basic NHS Summary Care Record which contains key health information about you, however additional information can be added that could be **important to your treatment. This is called an Enhanced Summary Care Record.**
 - This means that if you have to call an **ambulance**, contact **111**, the **Out of Hours** service or go to **hospital** anywhere in England, they will be able to access vital health information about you, which could help them treat you more quickly and effectively (see overleaf for inclusions).
 - Having an **Enhanced Summary Care** record means you don't have to remember all of the details of your past care.
 - It is quick, secure and safe for health staff to access your **Enhanced Summary Care Record**. Access to this information could make a real difference to your care as clinicians will have all the information they need.
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How do you get an Enhanced Summary Care Record?

- Complete your details on the tear off slip overleaf and hand in at your GP Reception.

Basic Summary Care Record

Recent Medication
Allergies
Sensitivities to medicines



Enhanced Summary Care Record

Long Term Health Conditions
Relevant Medical History
Healthcare Needs and Personal Preferences
Immunisations

Please note: specific sensitive information such as any fertility treatments, sexually transmitted infections, pregnancy terminations or gender reassignment will not be included, unless you specifically ask for any of these items to be included.

More information on Enhanced Summary Care Records for Norfolk and Waveney can be found at: <http://bit.ly/summarycarerecord>

I would like an Enhanced Summary Care Record

Full Name (BLOCK CAPITALS)

Date of Birth Postcode