

Azure Dental Practice – Privacy Notice for Patients

This notice explains how we collect, use and protect your personal information when providing dental care.

About us

Azure Dental Practice operates from 121 Bawtry Road, Tinsley, Sheffield, S9 1UF. Our Data Protection Officer and Practice Manager is Sarah Rafiq. Contact: sheffield.azure dental@nhs.net | 0114 244 5278

Information we hold

We hold contact details, dental and medical records, appointment history and limited financial information required to provide safe dental care and meet legal obligations.

How we use your information

Your information is used to provide treatment, manage appointments, meet NHS requirements and ensure quality of care.

Sharing information

Information may be shared with NHS bodies, healthcare professionals, dental laboratories or authorities where legally required.

National data opt-out

You can choose whether your confidential information is used for research and planning. Visit www.nhs.uk/your-nhs-data-matters for more information.

Keeping your information safe

We use secure systems, restricted access, audit trails and encrypted backups. Records are kept for 15 years or until age 25, whichever is longer.

Your rights

You have the right to access, correct, restrict or transfer your information and withdraw consent at any time.

Concerns

If you have concerns, please speak to the practice or contact the Information Commissioner's Office.