

Modelling the Frailty Patient Pathway

Research Privacy Notice
1. Who 'we' are
The University of Warwick is conducting a study on behalf of the Shrewsbury and Telford Hospital Trust under the University of Warwick Collaborative Postgraduate Research Scholarship Scheme. This research collaboration provides a unique opportunity for the PhD student and supervisors to collaborate with healthcare professionals at the Shrewsbury and Telford Hospital NHS trust to undertake applied and methodological research to improve health service delivery for older patients.
2. What information do we collect about you?
The University of Warwick seeks to utilise Hospital Episode Statistics for use in the modelling of in-hospital patient pathways for older patients with complex needs. The data requested consists of the Hospital Episode Statistics Accident and Emergency, Admitted Patient Care and Outpatients datasets. The University of Warwick aims to utilise pseudo-anonymised (key-coded) Hospital Episode Statistic data sets on individuals aged 65 years and above between the years 2011/12-2016/17. There will be no requirement or attempt to re-identify individuals from the data or linked to other record level data that would re-identify the individuals in the dataset.
3. What do we do with the information collected about you and why may we do this?
The University of Warwick aims to conduct a quantitative retrospective study based on routinely collected administrative data. This research aims to utilise this secondary source of data to extract the patterns of care that represent the actual snapshot of a patient journey and uncover unknown workflows. Hospital administrative records include data fields that define a patients previous and subsequent healthcare contacts. Therefore, it is possible to build patient's care trajectories spanning from the main points of entry to inpatient acute care and finally discharge.
4. What is the lawful basis for the processing?
Article 6(1)(e) Task in the public interest
5. Who do we share your personal information with and why do we do it?
The University of Warwick will have sole access to the record level data requested of/supplied by NHS Digital. The data will not be made available to any third parties other than in the form of aggregated outputs with small numbers suppressed in line with the HES Analysis Guide.
6. Will we send you personal information overseas?
All data is processed within the United Kingdom and no personal data is transferred to countries outside the United Kingdom without your explicit consent.
7. How long may we keep your personal information?
The data will be kept for 5 years from the date of any publication based upon the data. This arrangement is based on the University of Warwick guidelines in order to allow for replications studies that challenge the research findings. However specific regulation from NHS Digital will prevail.
8. What are the rights available to individuals in respect of the processing?
The University of Warwick will receive data that is not identifiable therefore data subject rights are limited as the individual data subjects cannot be identified. However, data subjects have the right to lodge a complaint with supervisory authority. Contact details are supplied in section 11
9. How can you ask us to stop using your information?
The University of Warwick will receive data that is not identifiable. As NHS Digital is not allowed to re-identify those who opt out, the University of Warwick is not required to remove anyone from already received data. Right to opting out is applied from the point of the Opt out which is at NHS Digital .
10. In which circumstances is my data used in automated decisions?
The data received from NHS Digital will not be used for automated decision making.
11. More Information
For more information: Please click here for the University of Warwick Research Privacy Notice

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12. How to contact us about this Privacy Notice?	
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