

## **Neurology**

The Neurology service provides assessment, advice, therapy, treatment and offers advice and support to family, carers and other professionals.

### **Purpose of processing**

Leeds community health care through the neurology service has these objectives:

- To provide specialist rehabilitation focused health interventions via interdisciplinary assessment and treatment programs.
- To alleviate or reduce impact of specific impairments or complications associated with neurological conditions
- To provide an appropriate level of support for people to gain, retain and/or regain independence and function
- To maintain an accurate clinical record

The objectives of the neurology service are achieved through the processing of referrals received, providing updates and review outcomes to the relevant health professionals and to produce a discharge report. A Bed state spread sheet is also produced. These would require the processing of patient data.

### **Source of data:**

- Other health professionals
- Directly from Patient

### **Categories of recipients**

- Patient
- GP Practice
- Referrer

### **Categories of Personal Data**

- Patient Name
- NHS Number
- Address
- Phone number
- Date of birth
- Clinical data
- Medication

### **Legal basis of processing**

For GDPR purposes Leeds community healthcare's lawful basis for processing is Article 6(1) e '...exercise of official authority...' and Article 6(1) (b) – '...for the performance of a contract to which the data subject is party...' and also Article 6(1)(c) – where processing is necessary for compliance with a legal obligation to which the controller is subject.

For the processing of special categories (health) data the basis is Article 9(2) (h) – ‘...health or social care...’ Where we process special categories data for employment or safeguarding purposes the condition is Article 9(2)(b) – processing is necessary for the purposes of carrying out the obligations and exercising specific rights of the controller or of the data subject in the field of employment and social security and social protection law...