

Privacy Notice Prison In-reach Sexual Health Clinics

Privacy and Confidentiality Statement

Your Sexual Health Record:

Your confidentiality is important to us. Anything you share with the Sexual Health Team will be recorded on our patient record system, Inform, which is completely separate to the prison Healthcare record system, SystmOne. That means that no one except Sexual Health staff will have access to information given either by yourself or the results of tests we have taken in our clinic. However, please be advised that there are particular situations in which we are required to share a minimal amount of information, in order to ensure continuity of care and your safety. Further details are given below.

Your Appointment:

Please note that your attendance at our Sexual Health clinic is logged on the prison healthcare system (in their role as your current GP), so the rest of the prison healthcare system will know you have been seen by us. This is to support your attendance at the clinic.

A note indicating your attendance or non-attendance will be added to the appointment within the prison healthcare system. They will not be informed of anything you share with us during your appointment without your consent, except where information is relevant to your clinical care. For example, when you are diagnosed with a new HIV or Hepatitis B/C infection, in order to support you with accessing your treatment.

Where you have been referred into the sexual health clinic by the prison healthcare team (your GP) we will provide information to them in response to the referral.

We will also share information if we believe that by not doing so there is risk of harm to you or others. We will inform you if we need to share information without your consent.

Your Medication

Medication prescribed for sexually transmissible infection (STI) treatment will be issued by the prison pharmacy, via the prison healthcare system called SystmOne. This means that the wider prison healthcare team will be aware of the medication you have been prescribed.

Medication for HIV care will be provided by Lloyds Pharmacy (HMP Winchester) or Healthnet (HMP Isle of Wight) and delivered to the prison pharmacy to be dispensed to you. This means that the wider prison healthcare team will know what you have been given.