

# Learn About Your HealthInfoNet Record





#### What Is HealthInfoNet?

HealthInfoNet is a **secure computer system** that is used by the providers who care for you.

The system consolidates information about your health care events into a **single electronic record** so that you and your providers are informed about the care you receive.

HealthInfoNet's computer system makes it **easier**, **faster**, **and safer** for your providers to share your health records compared to traditional methods such as fax, email, and mail.



#### How Is My Record Safe?

HealthInfoNet takes every precaution to keep your record **safe and secure**.

Your health information that is stored in HealthInfoNet's computer system is **never sold or added to mailing lists** and is only accessible to the providers who care for you.

You can always **request a report** of which providers viewed your HealthInfoNet record by completing a Patient Record Access Request form found online.



### What Is In My Record?

Your HealthInfoNet record contains information recorded by your providers during your care visits.

Depending on the reason for your visits, that may include your diagnoses, procedures, medications, allergies, test results, and other important documentation.

Your record also includes your demographics, like your name, date of birth, and primary address, so that your providers can best identify you upon presenting for care.



## Why Should I Share My Information?

Your HealthInfoNet record is used by your providers to help them focus on **what matters most** to get you well again – especially in the case of an emergency.

While your HealthInfoNet record may help your providers make fewer mistakes, request fewer repeat tests, and find other improvements in the care you receive, your choice to share your information with HealthInfoNet is **voluntary**.



If you **do not want** your health information included in a HealthInfoNet record, you may choose to not share your health information with HealthInfoNet by filling out an "Opt-Out Consent Form for General Medical Information" that can be found online by visiting <a href="https://www.hinfonet.org/for-patients">www.hinfonet.org/for-patients</a>.