



eConsent under the Vaccination Subsidy Scheme

1. “eConsent” means the informed consent given by the Eligible Person by inserting the Eligible Person’s Hong Kong Identity Card to the Smart ID Card Reader provided by the Government to the Enrolled Doctor’s Clinic to read the card face data to replace the signing of the paper “Consent to Use Vaccination Subsidy” form.
2. “eConsent” means the Eligible Person gives consent to the doctor to transfer his personal data and any information related to this consultation to the Government, its agents, or other persons authorised by the Government for the purposes of points 3 to 5. The Department of Health may contact the Eligible Person to verify whether he has received vaccination by using the Government subsidy.
3. The personal data provided in the eConsent will be used by the Government for one or more of the following purposes:
 - (i) for creation, processing and maintenance of an eHealth (Subsidies) account, payment of subsidy, and the administration and monitoring of the Vaccination Subsidy Schemes, including but not limited to a verification procedure by electronic means with the data kept by the Immigration Department;
 - (ii) for statistical and research purposes;
 - (iii) for receiving vaccination information provided by the Government; and
 - (iv) any other legitimate purposes as may be required, authorised or permitted by law.
4. The vaccination record made for the purpose of this consultation will be accessible by health care personnel in the public and private sectors for the purpose of determining and providing necessary health care service to the recipient.
5. The personal data you provided are mainly for use within the Government but the information may also be disclosed by the Government to other organisations, and third parties for the purposes stated in points 3 and 4 above, if required.