

## **General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR)**

**Privacy Policy** 

## General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR) Overview

The General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR) went into effect on 25 May 2018. It is meant to unify data privacy requirements and increase transparency across the European Union (EU); however, the Transportation Public Health Link (TPH Link) is implementing the policy to protect our international community of professionals. Details of GDRP can be found at https://www.eugdpr.org/

## Data Retention

The TPH Link maintains a record of the contact details of its members, intellectual licensees, advisers, consultants and the organizations (herein referred to as "data subjects"), which it administers, namely IPATH (International Professional Association for Transport & Health) and the International Conference on Transport & Health (ICTH). It uses these data for its own internal administration and also to circulate information about the body of knowledge on transport and health with regard to activities, which its members and interested professionals may engage in to further the cause of a healthy transport system.

The TPH Link also maintains information about the particular aspects of transport and health, which data subjects have expressed an interest in. It uses this for the constitution of working groups and the supply of information to those especially interested in it.

The TPH Link also maintains information about the status of members in relation to the payment of their membership subscriptions and/or conference registration fees. It uses these data specifically for internal and financial tracking purposes. The legal basis for all this processing are "legitimate requirements".

## **Data Removal**

The TPH Link will delete data when a data subject ceases to be in the categories of people for whom information is held and/or a request is made to delete it or the data subject has been outside said categories for at least three (3) years at last TPH Link data deletion review. The TPH Link will conduct an annual data deletion review.

The TPH Link will not supply the identity of its members without their consent to any other organization, other than those, which it administers and its related organizations, namely the Transport & Health Study group (THSG). It supplies these data to related organizations only for the purposes of joint activities and dual membership.

The TPH Link does not engage in activity, which is intended to constitute marketing; if this policy changes, the TPH Link will inform data subjects to seek informed consent. However some of TPH Link activities may technically amount to marketing and to that end, your will have the right to opt out of the following categories of information, but this may lead to you not being informed of certain organizational activities or information:

- Information from organizations other than TPH Link and its partner organizations (currently IPATH, ICTH and THSG)
- Information from ICTH
- Information from THSG
- Information about events for which a charge is made

Data subject may also object to their details being shared with the following organizations, but this may lead to not being informed of joint activities or not being offered membership and/or activity discounts.

- ICTH
- IPATH
- THSG

If data subject subjects have questions, objections, requests or complaints, they should address them to the TPH Link, Executive Director. Data subjects have a right to access their data held by the TPH Link and/or correct it. If the TPH Link does not deal with objections, requests or complaints adequately, a data subject has the right to complain to the Information Commissioner in the United Kingdom (UK). The UK has been identified as our lead regulatory authority for the purposes of GDRP (https://www.eugdpr.org/).

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