

### What is the project?

This is a **national project**. All hospitals have to take part in this project.

Hospitals **collect information** about the **care** stroke patients receive.

This information will help find where **improvements** need to be made.

Participation shows that this organisation is committed to **improving stroke care**.

### What information does SSNAP collect?

SSNAP collect data from **hospital** and **community** stroke care **teams**.

SSNAP collect data about the **care** stroke patients receive for the first **6 months** after their stroke.

From **April 2020**, SSNAP has been asking if the patient had **COVID-19**.

## Does SSNAP collect my personal information?

Information that identifies you is **not collected** in Northern Ireland.

## How is data kept safe?

There are **strict rules** for keeping information **safe**.

**Hospital staff** collect the information.

Only staff involved in **your stroke care** can see the information.

The hospital staff are **chosen by the hospital**.

The hospital staff **must be approved** by the hospital and by SSNAP.

Hospital staff send the information using a **secure website**.

Hospital staff must enter a **password** to see the information.

Hospital staff must **agree** to use the information properly.

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