

Unless advised otherwise, this privacy statement applies to the Grass Roots Group UK Ltd who provide services under the care-4 scheme and process personal data in Europe, which are referred to in this statement either individually or collectively as "care-4", "we" or "us".

- care-4 may collect, hold, use and disclose ('process') information about individuals which may constitute personal data (including sensitive personal data) under the EU Data Protection Directive and implementing laws.
- **2.** The personal data may be processed for purposes including:
- Administering relationships and related services.
- Operational purposes,
- Conducting market or customer satisfaction research.
- Providing individuals with information concerning products and services which we believe will be of interest.
- Compliance with any requirement of law, regulation, associations, voluntary codes we decide to adopt, or good practice.
- Confirming and verifying an individual's identity and to conduct due diligence. We may also screen against publicly available government and/or law enforcement agency sanctions lists.
- The detection, investigation and prevention of fraud and other crimes or malpractice.
- For the purpose of, or in connection with, any legal proceedings (including prospective legal proceedings), for obtaining legal advice or for establishing, exercising or defending legal rights.
- 3. The personal data may be disclosed:
- To any organisation in our group of companies, their agents, auditors, service providers, regulators, governmental or law enforcement agencies or any person we reasonably think necessary for the processing purposes outlined above.

- To actual or potential purchasers of parts of our business, and their respective advisers and insurers, and in relation to the transfer of our contractual rights and/or obligations.
- If we or any person to whom we disclose personal data otherwise have a right or duty to disclose the personal data, or are allowed or compelled by law to do so.
 For example, financial institutions and payments and messaging service providers may from time to time be required, under subpoena or otherwise, to provide certain transaction information to authorities or other official bodies, to assist in the prevention of terrorism, money laundering and other crimes.
- 4. We may contact individuals by mail, e-mail, SMS, telephone and other electronic means to provide information on products and services that we believe will be of interest, unless we receive an objection to receiving such information. Anyone who does not wish to receive such communications from us should opt out of these communications.
- **5.** To the extent permitted by applicable law, we may record and monitor electronic communications to ensure compliance with our legal and regulatory obligations and internal policies and for the purposes outlined above.
- 6. Individuals about whom we process personal data may request a copy of the personal data held in relation to them by us. We may, where allowed by law, charge a fee for this. If any personal data is found to be wrong, the individual concerned has the right to ask us to amend, update or delete it, as appropriate. In some circumstances individuals also have a right to object to the processing of their personal data.
- This privacy statement may change from time to time and should be reviewed periodically.

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