

How will my data be used?

Dear My Kanta pages user, This page provides important information about data stored in the Kanta Services and how it may be used in social welfare and healthcare services. Read the text and confirm that you have familiarised yourself with it and have therefore received information about the Kanta Services. After this, you can decide how your data can be used and, for example, give your consent to data sharing.

A professional can see your data if they have your consent to do so

Healthcare and social welfare professionals can offer you the best possible care and service if they can access sufficient and up-to-date information about you. For this reason, your data is stored in the Kanta Services. The Kanta Services enable the movement of your data between professionals attending to your care.

Your data entered in the Kanta Services is always available to the healthcare and social welfare service provider onto whose register it is recorded. Healthcare professionals attending to your care can also use your prescription data and data that has been recorded in the regional patient register in public healthcare without your separate consent to data sharing. Other healthcare professionals attending to your care may also use your medical records entered in the Kanta Services if you have given your consent to sharing it.

Your data is also entered in the Kanta Services when you visit the social welfare services. Currently, this data can only be viewed where it has been recorded. At a later date, the Kanta Services will also introduce the option to consent to the viewing of this data by other professionals in social services you use. This consent to sharing data in the social welfare services is separate from the consent to sharing healthcare data.

You decide on the use of your data

You can decide for yourself which of your data in Kanta Services can be shared with professionals. You can manage the use of your data on the My Kanta Pages or in connection with a visit to a social welfare or healthcare services.

You have the right to refuse consent to sharing your data, whereupon it cannot be viewed outside the service provider onto whose register it is recorded. You can limit the use of your data by refusing consent to the viewing of a specific prescription, visit, or treatment period.

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You can view your own data and where it has been used on the My Kanta Pages.

Find out more about how client data is used

[Further details on the information about the Kanta Services can be found on the website kanta.fi.](https://kanta.fi)