



TIMMINS AND DISTRICT HOSPITAL

YOUR HEALTH INFORMATION

A Summary of Our Facility's Privacy Responsibility to Patients

- Timmins and District Hospital collects, uses, releases, and keeps personal health information to be used in:
 - Direct patient care (i.e. as it relates to this hospital visit);
 - Administration and management of the health care system (i.e. to administer/track tests or procedures which are then filed in your medical record chart);
 - Research, statistics; and,
 - Obeying legal and regulatory requirements (i.e. Personal Health Information Protection Act, Coroner's Act, Vital Statistics Act)

- Your personal health information will be used with Timmins and District Hospital's Privacy policy (which is available at your request). If you wish to learn more about how your personal information will be used and the security measures being taken to protect your privacy, please click on the links below:
 - ◆ **TDH Privacy Pamphlet**
 - ◆ **TDH Privacy Policy**

- Your request for health care services means that you are agreeing to allow us to use your personal health information for specific, related health care purposes.

- Your request for health care services means that you are agreeing to allow the hospital to share your personal health information with your Family Physician/Referring Doctor/Consulting Doctor(s), all health care professionals within the NEON, NORrad, CRLP, and eCHN Hospital partnerships, who will be directly/indirectly involved in your care (see TDH Privacy Pamphlet for description of partnerships).

- Timmins and District Hospital has specific guidelines and procedures for the safe keeping and destroying of personal health information, details available from the Manager of Health Data.

- You can ask to see and correct your own personal health information. The hospital can give you a report on how your information has been used and with whom it has been shared. (the TDH Privacy Pamphlet will explain how to make this request)

- Question or complaints about privacy may be addressed to our Privacy Officer at (705) 267-2131 x6005 or e-mail at privacy@tadh.com