



Medical Information Privacy Notice

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Biogen is committed to providing medicines of the highest standard and to answering enquiries in relation to our products. This Privacy Notice describes how **Biogen International GmbH**, a Swiss entity with its registered address at Neuhofstrasse 30, 6340 Baar, Switzerland, having a technical scientific office with its registered address at 28th floor, Kingdom Tower, P.O. Box 230888, Riyadh 11321, Saudi Arabia ("**Biogen**") collects and processes your "**personal data**" (meaning any information relating to an identified or identifiable natural person) in performing its medical information services. Unless a legal exception applies in your country, your data will not be used for any other purpose, other than the purposes set out in this Privacy Notice.

Personal data that we collect and how we use it

In the course of maximising patient safety in using Biogen products, Biogen provides a medical information service to respond to enquiries from consumers, patients, and healthcare professionals relating to any aspect of use or information surrounding a Biogen product. The personal data that we process will usually include:

- name;
- contact details, such as address, e-mail address and/or phone number;
- details of the enquiry; and
- additional physician professional information (for example, in order to verify that we are liaising with a qualified doctor).

We usually receive the data from someone directly (for example, when someone e-mails or phones us) or from a third party which passes this information on to us, such as a distributor, homecare programme, or contact centre which takes calls on our behalf.

If an enquiry reveals an adverse event (meaning an unwanted, untoward, unintended or harmful event associated with the use of a Biogen medicinal product) or a complaint in relation to a Biogen product, we are required to process additional personal data in relation to this in order to comply with safety reporting laws. We process this data in accordance with our Safety Reporting Privacy Notice which you can find on our website (by clicking on "Privacy Policy" and then "Safety Reporting Privacy Notice").

Our legal basis for processing personal data

We process personal data, and in some cases sensitive personal data, when addressing general enquiries in our medical information service, in order to ensure high standards of quality and safety of health care and of Biogen products, as a responsible pharmaceutical company. We do this on the basis of your implied consent when you provide us with this information, and to protect public health and safety. You may withdraw your consent at any time, without any detriment to you. This does not, however, affect the lawfulness of the data processing before your withdrawal of consent.

How we share personal data with others and international transfers

Biogen shares personal data with third parties in providing medical information services. We may disclose personal data to our group companies for the purposes described in this notice. Biogen may use third parties to provide services to us which may require disclosure of personal data to them, including service providers which assist Biogen with our data processing activities, e.g., by providing cloud technology and data storage facilities. Such transfers may include transfers outside your country to countries which implement an adequate level of protection for personal data under your national data protection law. In



cases where transfers are made to countries which do not implement an adequate level of data protection, Biogen takes appropriate steps to ensure your data is adequately protected if transferred to such countries, such as having contractual clauses in place where necessary to provide an adequate level of data protection.

How we store personal data

Biogen retains personal data for no longer than is necessary for the purposes for which it has been collected and in accordance with any specific retention periods required by the applicable law. In general, we keep personal data for medical information purposes for up to 6 years. Personal data will be permanently deleted at the end of the applicable retention period(s) where no other lawful basis to retain the data exists.

Your rights

You may contact Biogen at any time if you would like to access your personal data or require information about the personal data that we hold about you. You may object to the processing of your personal data for legitimate reasons, and you may also request the correction or erasure of it as well as withdraw your consent at any time, without any detriment to you. This does not, however, affect the lawfulness of the previous data processing activities. Please note that some of these rights are limited by applicable data protection law and, to the extent permitted by applicable law, we have the right to collect, process and store personal data to perform our legal obligations under safety reporting laws. Notably, if you do not agree to us processing your personal data in accordance with the terms of this Privacy Notice, or you withdraw your consent for any reason, we may be unable to provide you with one or more of the available services described in this Privacy Notice.

Contact information

Under your national data protection law, a "data controller" is the legal entity that is responsible for protecting your personal data and helping you to exercise your data protection rights. Biogen is the data controller of your personal data. If, at any time, you have questions or concerns about this Privacy Notice or the processing of your personal data, or would like to exercise your rights as outlined above, you can contact Biogen's Data Protection Officer at privacy@biogen.com. You may, should you feel it necessary, lodge a complaint with your local data protection authority if you feel your privacy rights have been infringed.