

‘SAY NO TO HATE’
Safer Croydon Partnership Pledge
Privacy Notice

Stand Against Hate Crime

The Council’s goal is to strengthen our community and work with you to make Croydon a safe and welcoming borough. The Mayor of London’s definition for a hate crime is defined as:

"any criminal offence which is perceived, by the victim or any other person, to be motivated by a hostility or prejudice based on a personal characteristic, specifically race, religion/ faith, sexual orientation, disability and transgender identity".

This may include an offence motivated by the perception that a victim has one of personal characteristics stated above, even if this is not the case.

The “Say No to Hate” Safer Croydon Partnership pledge has been created so individuals and organisations can reinforce our commitment to reduce and tackle hate crime in our borough by taking a zero tolerance approach to hate in Croydon.

The Safer Croydon Partnership will treat and respond to all hate crimes equally by working closely with our community safety partners and passing on specific details to the Police, and ask that you to join us to sign the “Say No to Hate” Safer Croydon Partnership pledge.

You have the right to withdraw your Consent to be part of the Pledge at any time by contacting the Safer Croydon Partnership Team on Safer.Croydon@croydon.gov.uk.

This Privacy Notice explains how if you agree and provide your Consent to provide your personal information to take part in the Pledge. Your personal information will be used and your privacy will be protected your privacy in compliance with our requirements under the Data Protection Act 2018 and the General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR) 2018. By personal information, we mean information which, by itself or with other data is available to Croydon Council, can be used to identify you. This notice applies to any activity involving our use of your personal data, for example, collecting, storing, sharing and destroying it.

For more general information about how the Council uses your information and your data rights, please refer to the Corporate Privacy Notice at www.croydon.gov.uk/privacy.

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What information we collect

You will be asked to provide the following information:

- Name;
- Contact details (Address, telephone and/or Email);
- Name of organisation/company/business (if appropriate);
- How many people are in your organisation/company/ Business (if appropriate);
- Is the organisation/company/business based in the London Borough of Croydon;
- How you found out about the “Say No to Hate” Safer Croydon Partnership pledge;
- Would you like to receive via email any future correspondence related to the ‘Say No to Hate’ pledge? and
- Do you consent for your organisation/company/business details published on our list of those who have signed the “Say No to Hate” Pledge?

Why we collect your information

We use your data to:

- We will use the information provided to publish the names of organisation/company/business’s on the Council’s website where Consent has been provided;
- Information about individuals who have signed the Pledge **will not**, be published on the Council’s website; and
- The Council will contact you from time to time with information on advice, news and events related to tackling hate crime in the Borough.

We do not send any information we collect about you outside the United Kingdom.

Who will have access to your information and how will it be shared

The information you provide will be shared:

- Only the Council’s Safer Croydon Partnership Team will have access to the information provided.

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- The Council will not distribute your information to any third party without your Consent.

Storing this information

Personal data will not be retained for longer than necessary, and will be held for the duration of the Pledge’s existence. You will be contacted annually and asked to confirm if you still wish to be part of the Pledge. If you wish to have, your information removed from the Pledge list please contact the Safer Croydon Partnership Team.

Requesting access to your personal data

Under GDPR and the Data Protection Act 2018, you have the right to request access to information that we hold about them. To make a request for your personal information, please contact the Council’s Information Management Team at SAR@croydon.gov.uk.

Further information

The GDPR and the Data Protection Act 2018 give you a number of rights to control what personal information is used. Information about your individual data rights is listed in the Council’s Corporate Privacy Notice available at www.croydon.gov.uk/privacy.

If you have any questions or concerns about the way we collect, store or use your personal information, please contact the Safer Croydon Partnership Team on Safer.Croydon@croydon.gov.uk.

For independent advice about data protection issues, you can contact the Information Commissioner’s Office at www.ico.org.uk.

We reserve the right to amend this Privacy Notice at any time and will keep it under review. If we do make any changes, we will post the current version to our website at this address.

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