

Guidelines and Standards for the DATA for CARE Open Ecosystem

Welcome to the DATA For CARE (DfC) ecosystem! By participating in the Crane Project and using the DATA for GOOD (DfG) Personal mobile application, you are stepping into a space designed to empower you with greater control over your personal health and behavioural data while contributing to a collaborative and secure digital health environment. Here's what this means for you:

1. **Your Data, Your Control:** With the DfG Personal app, you can easily manage your personal health and behavioural data and decide who can access it. All your consents are stored securely using blockchain technology, ensuring transparency and trust. You can review, update, or revoke your consents at any time through the app.
2. **Effortless and Secure Integration:** The DfG Personal app brings together various services, from health trackers to self-monitoring tools, all within a unified platform. This allows you to access valuable health insights while keeping your data private and secure. For example, you can integrate wearables like fitness bands or health apps such as Fitbit and MySmaCa, providing a seamless way to track your health.
3. **Privacy First:** The DfC ecosystem uses advanced technologies like Secure Multi-Party Computation (MPC) to process your data in the DfG platform. This ensures that your personal information remains encrypted and anonymous, even when used to generate helpful insights. Your data will never be shared without your explicit consent.
4. **Support for Self-Management:** The DfG Personal app includes tools such as the My Data module to help you monitor and manage your data from different services (like **MySmaCa**) and third party data sources (like **Fitbit**).
5. **A Growing Ecosystem:** As new services and tools join the DfC ecosystem, you'll gain access to even more options that make managing your health easier and more effective. These services are designed to work together, providing insights that are personalized to your unique needs. Before welcoming any new service provider, DfG will with their Good governance model ensure that any services in the ecosystem can and will follow the highest technical and ethical standards that are required for being part of this future-proof, user-centered new paradigm of using health data.
6. **Bring Your Own Data:** The DfC ecosystem also allows you to integrate services and devices currently outside its network, such as Google Fitbit. With this feature, you can include data from third-party providers into your Personal Data Space (PDS) and enjoy the same level of security and trustability as with native services. This capability is made possible through our collaboration with trusted partners like Enversion, which ensures seamless integration and adherence to the highest standards of data governance. Whether it's fitness data or health insights, the platform empowers you to leverage these sources while maintaining full control over your personal information. Start immediately to take advantage of this with the Fitbit Inspire 3 wristband provided with your kit!

By choosing to use the DfG Personal app, you are part of a groundbreaking movement toward ethical, citizen-centric digital health innovation. Thank you for contributing to this vision of better health for all!