

#### **FEP-9 PRIVACY POLICY**

**FIRE EMT PTY LTD** is committed to providing quality services and this policy outlines our ongoing obligations to you in respect of how we manage your Personal Information.

We have adopted the Australian Privacy Principles (APPs) contained in the Privacy Act 1988 (Cth) (the Privacy Act). The NPPs govern the way in which we collect, use, disclose, store, secure and dispose of your personal information.

A copy of the Australian Privacy Principles may be obtained from the website of The Office of the Australian Information Commissioner at www.aoic.gov.au.

### What is Personal Information and why do we collect it?

Personal Information is information or an opinion that identifies an individual. Examples of Personal Information we collect include names, addresses, email addresses, telephone, and mobile numbers.

This Personal Information is obtained in many ways including correspondence by telephone and email, via our website www.fireemt.com.au, from media and publications, from other publicly available sources and from third parties. We don't guarantee website links or policy of authorised third parties.

We collect your Personal Information for the primary purpose of providing our services to you, providing information to our clients, and marketing. We may also use your Personal Information for secondary purposes closely related to the primary purpose, in circumstances where you would reasonably expect such use or disclosure. You may unsubscribe from our mailing/marketing lists at any time by contacting us.

When we collect Personal Information, we will, where appropriate and where possible, explain to you why we are collecting the information and how we plan to use it.

#### Sensitive Information

Sensitive information is defined in the Privacy Act to include information or opinion about such things as an individual's racial or ethnic origin, political opinions, membership of a political association, religious or philosophical beliefs, membership of a trade union or other professional body, criminal record, or health information.

It is unlikely that such information will be collected by **FIRE EMT PTY LTD**, however in accordance with the Privacy Act, our commitment includes that sensitive information will be used by us only:

- For the primary purpose for which it was obtained
- For a secondary purpose that is directly related to the primary purpose
- With your consent, or where required or authorised by law.

#### **Third Parties**

Where reasonable and practicable to do so, we will collect your Personal Information only from you. However, in some circumstances we may be provided with information by third parties. In such a case we will take reasonable steps to ensure that you are made aware of the information provided to us by the third party.

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#### **Disclosure of Personal Information**

Your Personal Information may be disclosed in a number of circumstances including the following:



Third parties where you consent to the use or disclosure; and



Where required or authorised by law.

Fire EMT will not disclose personal information to overseas recipients.

## **Security of Personal Information**

Your Personal Information is stored in a manner that reasonably protects it from misuse and loss and from unauthorised access, modification, or disclosure.

#### **Disposal Schedule**

When your Personal Information is no longer needed for the purpose for which it was obtained, we will take reasonable steps to destroy or permanently de-identify your Personal Information. In accordance with the Australian Privacy Principles guidelines, we will dispose of client files and any other personal information collected on an annual basis in the following manner;

- All hard copy files will be shredded prior to being disposed of
- All electronic files will be deleted from all devices with the Recycling Bin being 'emptied' on a periodic basis

# Access to your Personal Information

You may access the Personal Information we hold about you and to update and/or correct it, subject to certain exceptions. If you wish to access your Personal Information, please contact us in writing.

**FIRE EMT PTY LTD** will not charge any fee for your access request but may charge an administrative fee for providing a copy of your Personal Information. To protect your Personal Information, we may require identification from you before releasing the requested information.

# **Maintaining the Quality of your Personal Information**

It is important to us that your Personal Information is up to date. We will take reasonable steps to make sure that your Personal Information is accurate, complete, and up to date. If you find that the information we have is not up to date or is inaccurate, please advise us as soon as practicable so we can update our records and ensure we can continue to provide quality services to you.

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## **Privacy Policy Complaints and Enquiries**

If you have any queries or complaints about our Privacy Policy, please contact us at:

The Privacy Officer

Fire EMT Pty Ltd

Unit 7A, 41 - 45 Cessna Drive, Caboolture QLD 4510

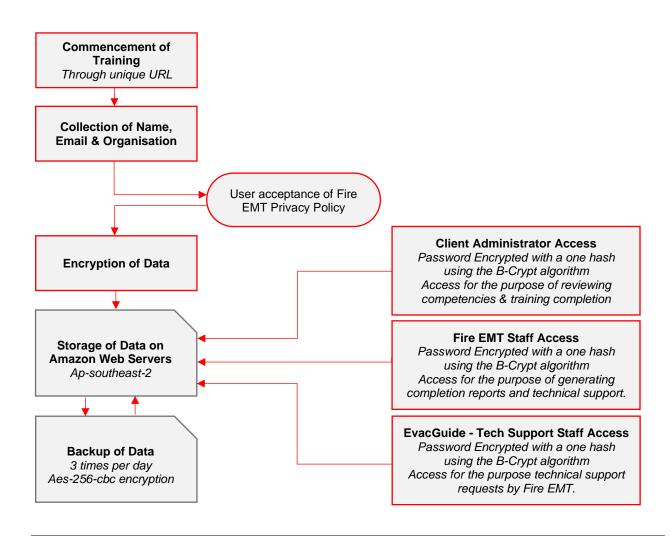
In the instance that an individual is not satisfied with the outcome of a complaint made to Fire EMT, the Office of the Australian Information Commissioner (OAIC) can be contacted directly on:

1300 363 993 or via email on foi@oaic.gov.au

## **Policy Updates**

This Policy may change from time to time and is available on our website at <a href="https://fireemt.com.au/privacy-policy/">https://fireemt.com.au/privacy-policy/</a>. Policy Date: April 2022. Review Date: October 2023.

#### **Data Handling Flowchart – Training Records**



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