# CROCHET CONNECTIONS

## **Crochet Connections Customer Privacy Notice**

This privacy notice tells you what to expect us to do with your personal information.

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### 1. Contact details

#### **Email**

crochetconnectionsuk@outlook.com

## 2. What information we collect, use, and why

We collect or use the following information to provide services and goods, including delivery and third party referrals:

• Names and contact details

## 3. Lawful bases and data protection rights

Under UK data protection law, we must have a "lawful basis" for collecting and using your personal information. There is a list of possible lawful bases in the UK GDPR. You can find out more about lawful bases on the ICO's website.

Which lawful basis we rely on may affect your data protection rights which are in brief set out below. You can find out more about your data protection rights and the exemptions which may apply on the ICO's website:

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- Your right of access You have the right to ask us for copies of your personal information. You can request other information such as details about where we get personal information from and who we share personal information with. There are some exemptions which means you may not receive all the information you ask for. You can read more about this right here.
- Your right to rectification You have the right to ask us to correct or delete
  personal information you think is inaccurate or incomplete. You can read more
  about this right here.
- Your right to erasure You have the right to ask us to delete your personal information. You can read more about this right here.
- Your right to restriction of processing You have the right to ask us to limit how we can use your personal information. You can read more about this right here.
- Your right to object to processing You have the right to object to the processing of your personal data. You can read more about this right here.
- Your right to data portability You have the right to ask that we transfer the personal information you gave us to another organisation, or to you. You can read more about this right here.
- Your right to withdraw consent When we use consent as our lawful basis you
  have the right to withdraw your consent at any time. You can read more about
  this right here.

If you make a request, we must respond to you without undue delay and in any event within one month.

To make a data protection rights request, please contact us using the contact details at the top of this privacy notice.

Our lawful bases for the collection and use of your data

Our lawful bases for collecting or using personal information to **provide services and** goods, including delivery and third party referrals are:

 Consent - we have permission from you after we gave you all the relevant information. All of your data protection rights may apply, except the right to object. To be clear, you do have the right to withdraw your consent at any time.

## 4. Where we get personal information from

• Directly from you

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### 5. How long we keep information

This retention schedule, is a tool used to assist us in making decisions on whether a particular document should be retained or disposed of. In addition, it takes account of the context within which the personal data is being processed and our business practices.

Decisions around retention and disposal are to be taken in accordance with this policy.

As and when the retention period for a specific document has expired, a review is always to be carried out prior to the disposal of the document. This does not have to be time-consuming or complex. If a decision is reached to dispose of a document, careful consideration is to be given to the method of disposal.

Crochet Connections must ensure that personal data is securely disposed of when it is no longer needed. This will reduce the risk that it will become inaccurate, out of date or irrelevant.

The methods of disposal are to be appropriate to the nature and sensitivity of the documents concerned and include:

- Non-Confidential records: place in waste paper bin for disposal
- Confidential records: shred documents
- Deletion of Computer Records
- Cloud storage

The table below contains the retention period assigned to each type of record. This will be adhered to wherever possible, although it is recognised that there may be exceptional circumstances which require documents to be kept for either shorter or longer periods.

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#### **Retention Schedule**

Type of record	Retention period	Where is it stored?	Reason	Method of deletion
Customer order forms	12 months after submission	Password protected on internal cloud	To process and ship orders	Digital records deleted

### 6. How to complain

If you have any concerns about our use of your personal data, you can make a complaint to us using the contact details at the top of this privacy notice.

If you remain unhappy with how we've used your data after raising a complaint with us, you can also complain to the ICO.

#### The ICO's address:

Information Commissioner's Office

Wycliffe House

Water Lane

Wilmslow

Cheshire

SK9 5AF

Helpline number: 0303 123 1113

Website: https://www.ico.org.uk/make-a-complaint

## 7. Last updated

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