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# Data

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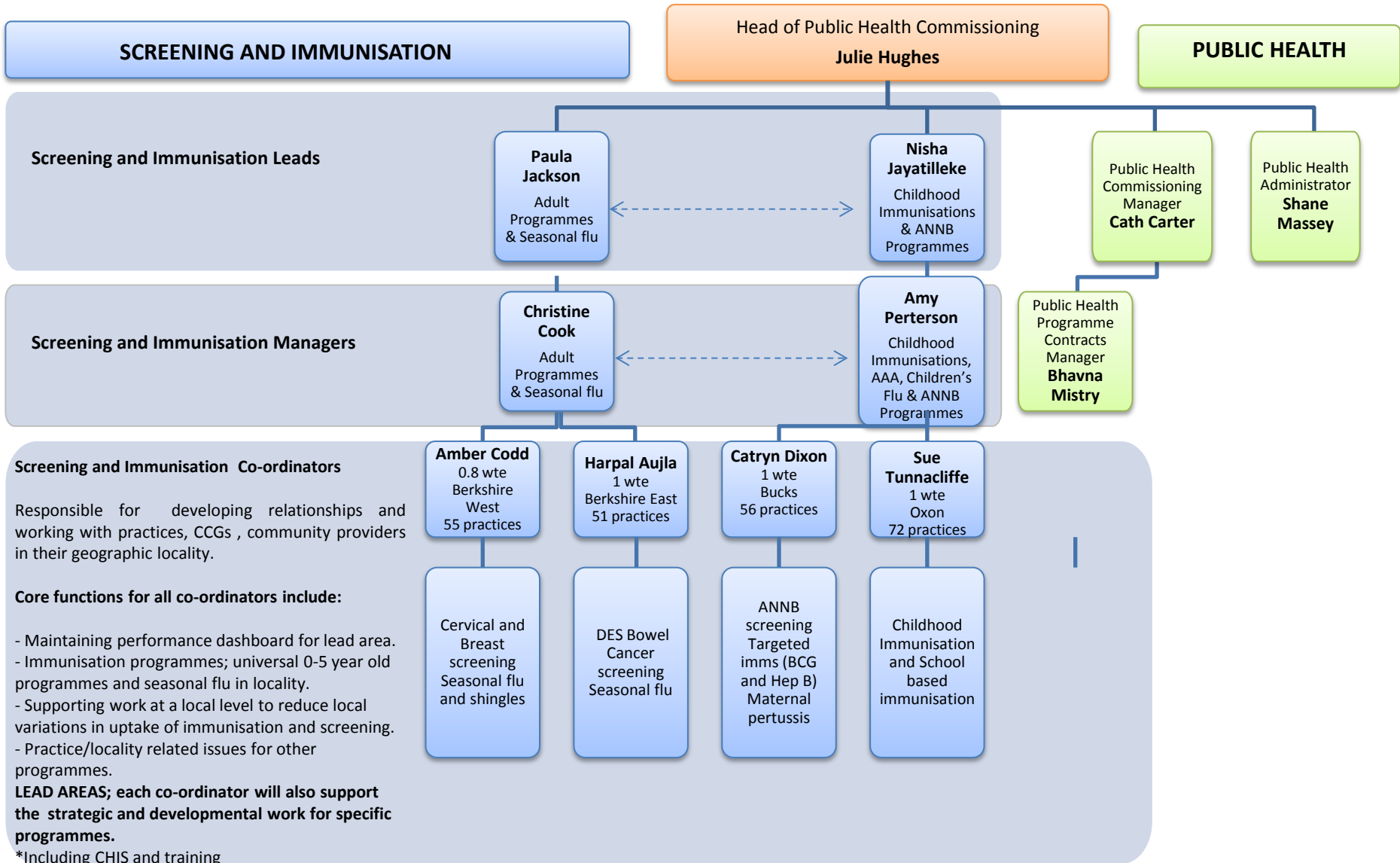
Screening & Immunisation Coordinator

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## Learning objectives

- Describe the Screening and Immunisation team structure and roles
- Define data
- Apply best practice for documentation of immunisation records
- Describe legislation pertaining to documentation and why accurate recording is essential



## SCREENING AND IMMUNISATION

Head of Public Health Commissioning  
**Julie Hughes**

## PUBLIC HEALTH

### Screening and Immunisation Leads

**Paula Jackson**  
Adult Programmes & Seasonal flu

**Nisha Jayatilleke**  
Childhood Immunisations & ANNB Programmes

Public Health Commissioning Manager  
**Cath Carter**

Public Health Administrator  
**Shane Massey**

### Screening and Immunisation Managers

**Christine Cook**  
Adult Programmes & Seasonal flu

**Amy Perterson**  
Childhood Immunisations, AAA, Children's Flu & ANNB Programmes

Public Health Programme Contracts Manager  
**Bhavna Mistry**

### Screening and Immunisation Co-ordinators

Responsible for developing relationships and working with practices, CCGs, community providers in their geographic locality.

#### Core functions for all co-ordinators include:

- Maintaining performance dashboard for lead area.
- Immunisation programmes; universal 0-5 year old programmes and seasonal flu in locality.
- Supporting work at a local level to reduce local variations in uptake of immunisation and screening.
- Practice/locality related issues for other programmes.

**LEAD AREAS; each co-ordinator will also support the strategic and developmental work for specific programmes.**

\*Including CHIS and training

**Amber Codd**  
0.8 wte  
Berkshire West  
55 practices

Cervical and Breast screening  
Seasonal flu and shingles

**Harpal Aujla**  
1 wte  
Berkshire East  
51 practices

DES Bowel Cancer screening  
Seasonal flu

**Catryn Dixon**  
1 wte  
Bucks  
56 practices

ANNB screening Targeted immms (BCG and Hep B)  
Maternal pertussis

**Sue Tunnacliffe**  
1 wte  
Oxon  
72 practices

Childhood Immunisation and School based immunisation



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## Screening and Immunisation Co-ordinators

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## The Screening and Immunisation team commission and performance manage services ensuring that:

- eligible cohorts have access to effective and safe Immunisation and Screening programmes and
- service data is used effectively to improve uptake and reduce local variation and health inequalities



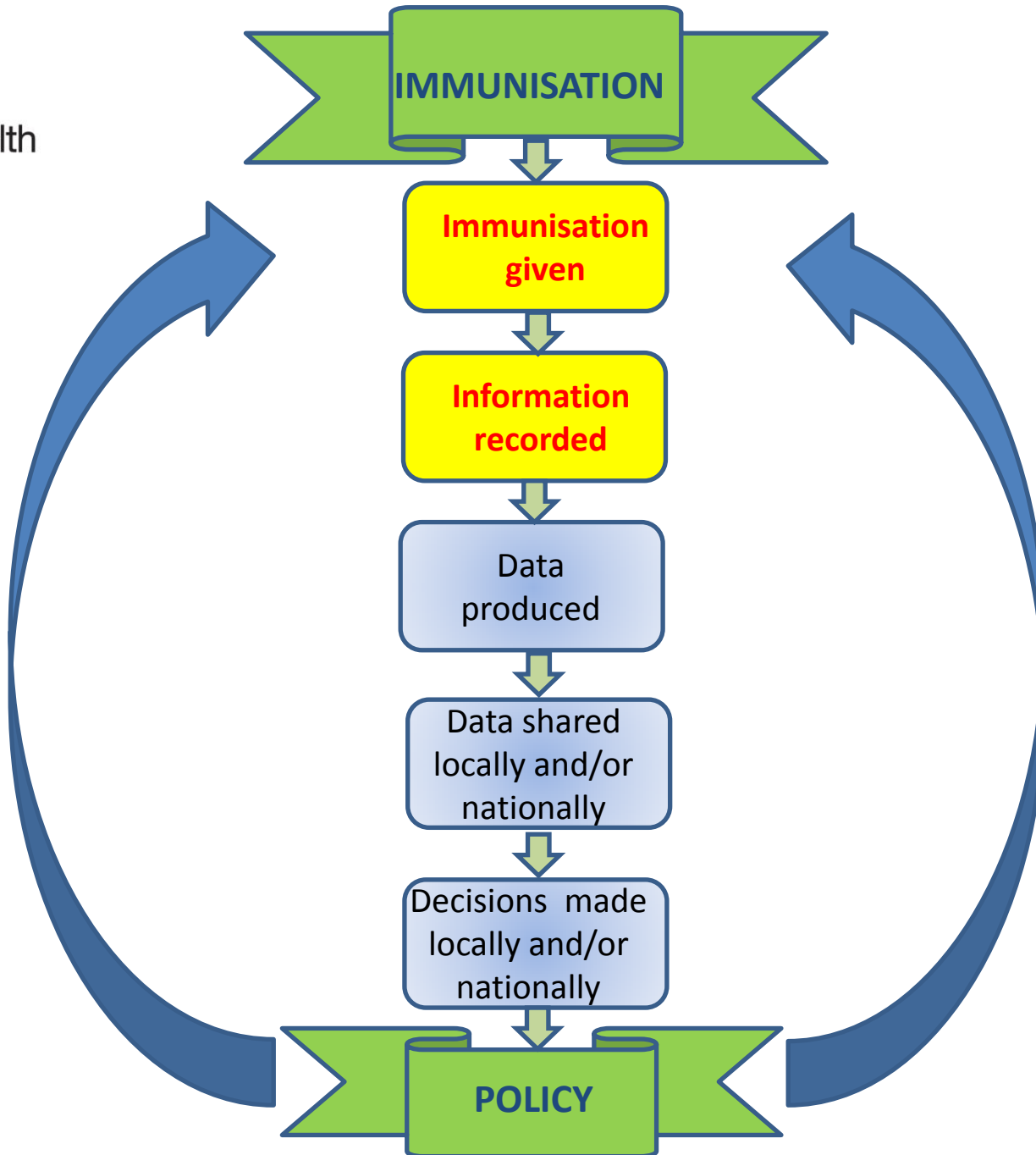
## Data is defined as...

‘information, especially facts or numbers, collected to be examined, considered and used to help decision-making’



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# Thames Valley Q1 2015-16 COVER Data

Immunisation	Newbury	Slough	NW Reading	RBWM	Bracknell Forest	Berks West	Bucks	Oxon
DTaP/IPV/Hib (1 year)	89.5	91.9	88.2	95.2	92.7	83.4	95.8	96.7
PCV (2 years)	85.9	85.7	89.8	92.3	88.4	89.5	95.0	95.6
Hib/MenC (2 years)	88.2	85.2	89.6	91.9	89.2	85.9	95.1	95.5
MMR (2 years)	88.5	85.2	91.1	92.3	89.8	88.2	95.1	95.1
DTaP/IPV Booster (5 years)	88.5	79.7	82.3	84.7	83.2	88.5	91.6	92.9
MMR Booster (5 years)	88.9	81.9	84.9	85.8	81.5	88.5	91.1	92.0

**What do these data show?**





## What is effective documentation??

- Vaccine name, product name, batch number & expiry date
- Dose administered
- Site used, and clear description of where they were given  
i.e. upper/lower if 2 in same limb
- Date
- Name & signature of vaccinator

### **Information recorded in:**

- Patient held record or Red Book (PCHR)
- GP / Clinic system
- Child Health Information System
- Unscheduled forms, if appropriate



## It's the LAW!

There are many different standards and legal rules that apply to information handling, including:

- The Data Protection Act 1998.
  - The common law duty of confidence.
  - The Confidentiality NHS Code of Practice.
  - The NHS Care Record Guarantee for England.
  - The Social Care Record Guarantee for England.
  - The international information security standard: ISO/IEC 27002: 2005.
  - The Information Security NHS Code of Practice.
  - The Records Management NHS Code of Practice.
  - The Freedom of Information Act 2000.
- Department of Health's Information Governance toolkit





## Final thoughts...

The **power of good data** can:

- Provide sound information on coverage and uptake
- Expand knowledge base by generating best practice to steer actions
- Measure service provision to ensure safe and accessible services
- Improve patient care and public health