CARER IDENTIFICATION AND PROFESSIONAL REFERRAL FORM

Carers in Hertfordshire is countywide providing unpaid carers with information and advice on caring, support services, training sessions and workshops, newsletters and the opportunity to influence service providers. *Carers in Hertfordshire* services are free of charge, please feel free to telephone our Carer Support Advisors on 01992 58 69 69 for advice and support

Carers are important partners in patient care, but caring takes its toll and can have an impact on the carer's own health. If a carer's health suffers, patients suffer too. This is avoidable, with the right support.

GP Surgeries: Please ensure that the carer is on your carer register.

Please complete the following sections in BLOCK CAPITALS

Carer's details will be added to Carers in Hertfordshire's database.

Is this form being completed by:

- The carer themselves YES ◯ NO ◯ (please tick)
- Someone else on the carer's behalf YES ◯ NO ◯ (please tick)

Would the carer like Carers in Hertfordshire to inform their GP of their caring role enabling them to access health checks, flu vaccines, and appointments that meet their caring needs? YES ◯ NO ◯ (please tick)

Title:	**Forename/s:**	**Surname:**	**DOB:**
Carers own health/conditions:			
Address: No or name of house: Road Name: Town: County: Postcode:		**Contact Telephone Number:** Home: Work: Mobile: Email:	
Ethnicity:	**Primary Language Spoken:**	**Name of GP Surgery :**	
Employment Status: (please tick) Working full-time ◯ Working part-time ◯ Retired ◯ Student ◯			
Tell us how you support the person you care for:			
When did the caring role start? Month Year	**GP's authority for 'Make a Difference for carers'** ☐		
Carer's signature to confirm consent for referral: Date:	If you are not seeing the carer face to face please tick this box to confirm the carer has consented to this referral ☐ Date:		

Consent must be given by the carer for the referral to be accepted.

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Name & Address of referrer organisation: (required for referral to be accepted).