

# **Privacy Policy**

DIGITAL PRIVACY POLICY

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TheAnswerPage uses the information we collect for the sole purpose of customizing and improving the service we offer to our readers. For example, we may send readers identifying themselves as interested in our CME program an e-mail message notifying them of developments in that program. In connection with your use of TheAnswerPage products and services, we may send your personal information to state medical societies, departments of health and to the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education, Accreditation Council for Pharmacy Education, American Academy of Nurse Practitioners, American Nurses Credentialing Center-ANCC), and/or American Psychological Association. In addition, TheAnswerPage may provide basic information about its CME users and their use of the Website to our accrediting body, according to ACCME (Accreditation Council on Continuing Medical Education) requirements.

# CHILDREN'S PRIVACY

From our web pages, we do not knowingly collect personal information from individuals under the age of 13. We request that such individuals do not provide personal information through the services.

# POLICY UPDATES AND EFFECTIVE DATE

We reserve the right to update this Policy at any time. You will be able to note the updated Policy by the revision dated noted on the Policy. All updates to the Policy will be effective when the policy is posted unless indicated otherwise. Your continued use of our Website constitutes your agreement to this policy and any updates.

# ABOUT "COOKIES" AND THIRD PARTY SITES

Cookies are pieces of data stored on your device. Browser cookies are assigned by a web server to the browser on your device. When you return to a site you have visited before, your browser gives this data back to the server. Mobile applications may also use cookies. We use cookies and information gathered through their use to make your experience with TheAnswerPage, Inc. more

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#### GOOGLE ANALYTICS

We use "Google Analytics" in order to collect information about the use of this Website. Google Analytics is a service that collects information such as how often users visit the Website, what pages are visited and what other websites users visited before navigating to this Website. Google Analytics does not collect your name or other identifying information, but instead, only collects the IP address used by you when visiting this Website. Your IP address will only be used by us for the purpose of improving this Website and is never combined with personally identifiable information. When visiting our Website, Google Analytics places a cookie on your web browser in order to identify you as a unique user the next time you visit, and that cookie can only be used by Google. Google's ability to use and share information collected by Google Analytics is limited by the Google Analytics Terms of Use as well as the Google Privacy Policy. If you wish to prevent Google Analytics from recognizing you as a unique visitor when you return to this Website, you may disable cookies on your browser.

# GENERAL DATA PROTECTION REGULATION

TheAnswerPage complies with the General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR) in connection with the collection of personal data from EU residents ("Data Subjects"). For the purposes of the GDPR, we are considered the "controller" of all personal data about which we collect through this Website. You can find more information on the GDPR from the Information Commissioner's Office at <u>https://ico.org.uk/</u>.

TheAnswerPage has implemented generally accepted administrative, technical and physical safeguards in order to protect personal information from unauthorized use, access, theft or destruction. We will notify you in the event of any breach of your personal information that we control which could expose you to risk of identity theft. In addition, we do not sell personal information, nor will we share it with any third parties without your prior consent except where we are required to do so by law.

We may provide the personal data of Data Subjects to third parties who are our service providers for the purposes providing services to you on our behalf. We will only disclose the personal information that is necessary for the third party to deliver the service requested, and will have an agreement with them which requires them to keep your personal information secure and not use it for their own purposes.

Data Subjects have certain rights pursuant to the GDPR, including the right to obtain, from us, confirmation as to whether or not their personal information is being processed. The GDPR defines "processing" as any operation or set of operations which is performed on personal data or on sets of

personal data, whether or not by automated means, such as collection, recording, organization, structuring, storage, adaptation or alteration, retrieval, consultation, use, disclosure by transmission, dissemination or otherwise making available, alignment or combination, restriction, erasure or destruction. Data subjects have the right to obtain from us, (i) the purposes of the processing; (ii) the categories of personal information concerned; (iii) the recipients or categories of recipient to whom the personal information has been or will be disclosed; (iv) where possible, the envisioned period for which the personal information will be stored, or, if not possible, the criteria used to determine that period; (v) and the right to request from us rectification or erasure of your personal information or restriction of processing of your personal information, as well as the right to object to such processing; (vi) the right to lodge a complaint with a supervisory authority.

All inquiries concerning the foregoing may be directed to <u>feedback@theanswerpage.com</u>.