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[News Article: Different decade, same healthcare privacy and security problems?](#)

As we approach the end of not only another year, but another decade, there are still way too many outstanding “old” issues related to cybersecurity and privacy in the health sector.

[News Article: Putting trust at the heart of \(patient\) personal data](#)

Following on from reports US healthcare provider Ascension was providing Google with access to 50 million private medical records, why does trust need to be at the heart of data sharing agreements in healthcare?

[ICO News: London pharmacy fined after “careless” storage of patient data](#)

The Information Commissioner’s Office (ICO) has fined a London-based pharmacy £275,000 for failing to ensure the security of special category data.

[News Article: Social Work Support Officer Prosecuted Over Data Protection Breaches](#)

A social services support officer has been prosecuted by ICO for data protection after being caught illegally accessing social care records.

[News Article: Alexa should be banned from the bedroom, privacy expert says](#)

A privacy expert has warned against allowing Amazon’s voice assistant Alexa into the bedroom as she did not use the smart speaker in upstairs rooms of her house due to revelations that it was eavesdropping on private conversations.

[News Article: Adtech and the data protection debate – where next?](#)

In June, the ICO issued their Adtech Update Report with a clear message to industry that they had six months to read, internalise and act upon our report. Six months on, the ICO reviews their findings.

The Wales Accord on the Sharing of Personal Information (WASPI) have published their December 2019 newsletter. [Please click here to view](#) / [Cliciwch yma i weld](#)

Am rhagor o ddiweddardau ynglyn â Diogelu data ewch i wefan Swyddfa Comisiynwdd Gwybodaeth. [Cliciwch yma.](#)

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