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NEW GUIDANCE

- Background
- Work undertaken to date
- Next Steps

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- Current Guidance
 - Key circulars date back to 1958 and 1993
- Legislative Change
 - Data Protection Act 1998, Freedom of Information (Scotland) Act 2002
- Developments
 - Professional and technological

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WORK COMPLETED

- Public Consultation on the Retention and Disposal of Personal Health Records Autumn 2005
- New Health Department Letter (HDL) on Retention and Disposal of Administrative Health Records Spring 2006
- Draft Retention Schedule for Personal Health Records distributed for comments January 2007

