United Way of Southern Chester County (UWSCC) Website Privacy Policy

United Way of Southern Chester County is committed to protecting your privacy and developing technology that gives you the most powerful and safe online experience. This Statement of Privacy applies to the United Way of Southern Chester County website and governs data collection and usage. By using the United Way of Southern Chester County website, you consent to the data practices described in this statement.

Collection of Your Personal Information

United Way of Southern Chester County collects personally identifiable information, such as your e-mail address, name, home or work address, or telephone number. United Way of Southern Chester County also collects anonymous demographic information, which is not unique to you, such as your zipcode, age, gender, preferences, interests, and favorites.

There is also information about your computer hardware and software that is automatically collected by United Way of Southern Chester County. This information can include: your IP address, browser type, domain names, access times and referring website addresses. This information is used by United Way of Southern Chester County for the operation of the service, to maintain quality of the service, and to provide general statistics regarding use of the United Way of Southern Chester County website.

Please keep in mind that if you directly disclose personally identifiable information or personally sensitive data through United Way of Southern Chester County public message boards, this information may be collected and used by others. Note: United Way of Southern Chester County does not read any of your private online communications.

United Way of Southern Chester County encourages you to review the privacy statements of websites you choose to link to from United Way of Southern Chester County so that you can understand how those websites collect, use, and share your information. United Way of Southern Chester County is not responsible for the privacy statements or other content on websites outside of the United Way of Southern Chester County and United Way of Southern Chester County family of websites.

Use of your Personal Information

United Way of Southern Chester County collects and uses your personal information to operate the United Way of Southern Chester County website and deliver the services you have requested. United Way of Southern Chester County also uses your personally identifiable information to inform you of other products or services available from United Way of Southern Chester County and its affiliates. United Way of Southern Chester County may also contact you via surveys to conduct research about your opinion of current services or of potential new services that may be offered.

United Way of Southern Chester County does not sell, rent, or lease its customer lists to third parties. United Way of Southern Chester County may, from time to time, contact you on behalf of external business partners about a particular offering that may be of interest to you. In those cases, your unique personally identifiable information (e-mail, name, address, telephone number) is not transferred to the third party. In addition, United Way of Southern Chester County may share data with trusted partners to help us perform statistical analysis, send you email or postal mail, provide customer support, or arrange for deliveries. All such third parties are prohibited from using your personal information except to provide these services to United Way of Southern Chester County, and they are required to maintain the confidentiality of your information.

United Way of Southern Chester County does not use or disclose sensitive personal information, such as race, religion, or political affiliations, without your explicit consent.

United Way of Southern Chester County keeps track of the websites and pages our customers visit within United Way of Southern Chester County, in order to determine what United Way of Southern Chester County services are the most popular. This data is used to deliver customized content and advertising within United Way of Southern Chester County to customers whose behavior indicates that they are interested in a particular subject area.

United Way of Southern Chester County websites will disclose your personal information, without notice, only if required to do so by law or in the good faith belief that such action is necessary to: (a) conform to the edicts of the law or comply with legal process served on United Way of Southern Chester County or the site; (b) protect and defend the rights or property of United Way of Southern Chester County; and, (c) act under exigent circumstances to protect the personal safety of users of United Way of Southern Chester County or the public.

Donor Personal Information

United Way of Southern Chester County considers personal information received from donors or shared by third parties with United Way of Southern Chester County about their donation important to protect. Such donor personal information is collected and maintained for internal use only and is retained only as long as necessary to comply with federal and state record retention regulations and legitimate business needs. To the extent any donations are processed through a third-party service provider, our donors' personal information will only be used for purposes necessary to process the donation. When personal information (such as a credit card number) is transmitted to other websites, it is protected through the use of encryption, such as the Secure Socket Layer (SSL) protocol.

United Way of Southern Chester County may, from time-to-time, publish names and donation levels as a way of publicly thanking its donors. Donors may choose to be anonymous in all publications by letting United Way of Southern Chester County know on the response forms. Personal information about donors who designate their United Way donation to other non-profit agencies will be sent to the agency receiving the donation. This privacy statement does not bind United Way Partner Agencies. United Way of Southern Chester County cannot guarantee the privacy of donors who choose to designate their donations to other agencies.

Use of Cookies

The United Way of Southern Chester County website uses "cookies" to help you personalize your online experience. A cookie is a text file that is placed on your hard disk by a webpage server. Cookies cannot be used to run programs or deliver viruses to your computer. Cookies are uniquely assigned to you and can only be read by a web server in the domain that issued the cookie to you.

One of the primary purposes of cookies is to provide a convenience feature to save you time. The purpose of a cookie is to tell the Web server that you have returned to a specific page. For example, if you personalize United Way of Southern Chester County pages or register with United Way of Southern Chester County site or services, a cookie helps United Way of Southern Chester County to recall your specific information on subsequent visits. This simplifies the process of recording your personal information, such as billing addresses, shipping addresses, and so on. When you return to the same United Way of Southern Chester County website, the information you previously provided can be retrieved, so you can easily use the United Way of Southern Chester County features that you customized.

You have the ability to accept or decline cookies. Most Web browsers automatically accept cookies, but you can usually modify your browser setting to decline cookies if you prefer. If you choose to decline cookies, you may not be able to fully experience the interactive features of the United Way of Southern Chester County services or websites you visit.

Security of your Personal Information

United Way of Southern Chester County secures your personal information from unauthorized access, use, or disclosure. United Way of Southern Chester County secures the personally identifiable information you provide on computer servers in a controlled secure environment, protected from unauthorized access, use, or disclosure. When personal information (such as a credit card number) is transmitted to other websites, it is protected through the use of encryption, such as the Secure Socket Layer (SSL) protocol.

Changes to this Statement

United Way of Southern Chester County will occasionally update this Statement of Privacy to reflect company and customer feedback. United Way of Southern Chester County encourages you to periodically review this Statement to be informed of how United Way of Southern Chester County is protecting your information.

Contact Information

United Way of Southern Chester County welcomes your comments regarding this Statement of Privacy. If you believe that United Way of Southern Chester County has not adhered to this Statement, please contact United Way of Southern Chester County at info@unitedwayscc.org. We will use commercially reasonable efforts to promptly determine and remedy the problem.