Unilever respects the privacy of all individuals including employees and consumers and their personal data, including digital information Unilever holds about them. We will collect and use personal data in accordance with our values, applicable laws and with respect for privacy as a human right.

This Code Policy sets out what steps employees must take to ensure personal data is handled appropriately.

**Musts**

When collecting, using or storing personal data employees **must**:

- Only collect data that is adequate and relevant and use it solely for the purpose for which it is collected
- Be transparent with individuals in relation to how their personal data is used in alignment with Unilever privacy notices
- Obtain consent from individuals in accordance with local law
- Keep personal data up to date correcting inaccurate information when requested and respecting individual legal rights
- Keep personal data confidential and secure
- Act responsibly and ethically, upholding Unilever’s core values, always considering the risk to individuals in using their personal data and take steps to mitigate such risk

**Must nots**

When collecting, using or storing personal data, employees **must not**:

- Retain personal data for longer than necessary to achieve the business objective or meet minimum legal requirements
- Transfer personal data outside the country in which it is collected without advice from their Legal business partner, as there may be legal restrictions/requirements relating to the transfer
- Collect and use personal data for purposes that are not reasonably expected by our consumers and employees

If in doubt, employees must seek advice from their line manager and/or Legal business partner.