



## Storage and use of surplus samples and associated information for research



When you come to hospital, you might have blood tests. You might need to give a wee or poo sample.



If you have an operation, the doctor might take a bit of skin or tissue to test in our laboratory.



If there is any sample left over, we usually throw it away safely.



We want to ask if we can keep these leftover samples instead.



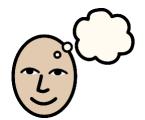
This will help us find out more about childhood illness. It might help us know what causes it. It might help us find a new way of making it better.



Sometimes we might share the sample with other people. We will not tell them your name or where you live. We will tell them about your illness.



Sometimes it takes a very long time to find something new. This will help children like you in the future.



Thank you for thinking about whether we can keep your leftover samples.



Please ask us if you have any questions