

# **Privacy Policy**

ICOS Ecosystem Thematic Centre built the ETC Upkeep Tool APP as a free app and the service is provided by ICOS Ecosystem Thematic Centre at no cost and is intended for use as is and in the context of the ICOS network.

This document informs the service users regarding our policies with the collection, use, and disclosure of Personal Information when the APP is used.

If you choose to use this service, then you agree to the collection and use of information in relation to this policy. The Personal Information that we collect are used only and exclusively for providing and improving the services provided to the ICOS PIs and Teams. We will not use or share your information with anyone except what is defined to be shared in the ICOS Data Policy.

#### **Information Collection and Use**

For a better experience, while using our service, we may require you to provide us with certain personally identifiable information, including but not limited to photo, audio and text. The information that we request are needed only for the functionalities of the service and will be retained by us and used only in agreement with the ICOS Data Policy.

The app does use third party services that may collect information used to identify you (Android and Googly Play) and their privacy policy are available here: https://policies.google.com/privacy.

### **Log Data**

We want to inform you that whenever you use our service, in a case of an error we collect data and information (through third party products) on your phone called Log Data. This Log Data may include information such as your device Internet Protocol ("IP") address, device name, operating system version, the configuration of the app when utilizing our service, the time and date of your use of the Service, and other statistics.

#### **Service Providers**

We could employ third-party companies and individuals due to the following reasons:

- To improve the quality of our Service;
- To provide the Service on our behalf;
- To perform Service-related services; or
- To assist us in analyzing how our Service is used and where can be improved.

We want to inform users of our Service that these third parties would have access to your Personal Information only to perform the tasks assigned to them on our behalf. However, they would be obligated not to disclose or use the information for any other purpose.



## Security

We value your trust in providing us your Personal Information, thus we are striving to use commercially acceptable means of protecting it. But remember that no method of transmission over the internet, or method of electronic storage is 100% secure and reliable, and we cannot guarantee its absolute security.

## **Changes to This Privacy Policy**

We may update our Privacy Policy from time to time. Thus, you are advised to review this document periodically for any changes. We will notify you of any changes by posting the new Privacy Policy on the ETC website. These changes are effective immediately after they are posted.

## **Contact Us**

If you have any questions or suggestions about our Privacy Policy, do not hesitate to contact us at info@icosetc.eu.