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PRIVACY POLICY

DEFCON DAD collects no data. Nothing you enter leaves your phone. This page says exactly what the app stores, where, and what happens to it.

THE SHORT VERSION

- There is no account, no sign-in and no server. The app has nothing to send anything to.
 - The app contains no analytics, no advertising and no third-party software development kits.
 - Everything the app remembers is kept in the app's own storage on your device and is deleted with the app.
 - We never see your due date, your partner's name or anything else you type in.
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WHAT THE APP STORES ON YOUR DEVICE

The app keeps a small amount of information so it can show you the right week. All of it lives in the app's local settings on your phone. None of it is transmitted anywhere.

DUE DATE	Entered during setup, or changed in Settings. It is the only thing the weekly clock runs on.
A FIRST NAME	Optional. If you enter the mother's first name, the briefings use it instead of "she". Leave it blank and nothing changes.
NOTIFICATION PREFERENCE	Whether the weekly briefing notification is on or off.
JOURNEY STATE	Whether setup is complete, whether you have recorded that the baby arrived or that the pregnancy ended, which milestone celebrations have already played, and the last week you opened.
SNAKE HIGH SCORE	A number.
RATING PROMPT BOOKKEEPING	When the app last asked you to rate it and how many times, so it does not ask again.

Deleting the app deletes all of it. Choosing "Start a new pregnancy" or "The pregnancy ended" in Settings also clears it.

PERMISSIONS THE APP MAY ASK FOR

NOTIFICATIONS

The app can send you a local notification the morning a new week turns over, and a reminder of the week's job a few mornings later. These are scheduled on your phone by your phone. There is no push server. You can decline the permission, or turn the notifications off in the app's Settings, at any time.

PHOTOS, ADD ONLY

If you save a week's share card, the app asks for permission to add the image to your photo library. The permission is add-only: the app cannot see, read or browse anything already in your library.

SHARING A WEEK

The share button hands a picture of the week's card to the iOS share sheet, and, if you choose, to Instagram or Facebook to post as a story. That is you sending an image from your phone through an app you already have. Once the card is handed over, what happens to it is governed by that app's privacy policy, not this one. DEFCON DAD does not know whether you shared it or with whom.

THE APP STORE

Buying the app, sending it as a gift, and any rating or review you leave are handled by Apple through the App Store. The app uses Apple's built-in rating prompt, which is run by iOS. Apple's handling of that information is described in [Apple's privacy policy](#). Apple does not share your identity with us; we can see the same aggregate download and sales counts every developer sees, and nothing about who you are.

HEALTH INFORMATION

A due date is health-adjacent, so to be plain about it: the app does not read from or write to Apple Health, does not share the due date with anyone, and does not use it for anything other than working out which week to show you.

CHILDREN

DEFCON DAD is written for expecting fathers and is not directed at children under 13. It collects no personal information from anyone, of any age.

TRACKING

The app does not track you across other apps or websites and does not ask for permission to. There are no cookies, identifiers, fingerprints or advertising IDs anywhere in it.

CHANGES TO THIS POLICY

If the app ever starts doing something this page does not describe, this page changes first and the date at the top moves. The current version always lives at this address.

CONTACT

Questions about privacy go to hudsonxwolf@gmail.com. The honest answer to most of them is "the app does not have that information", but ask anyway.
