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[Purpose limitation and data minimisation: key considerations for AI training in the life sciences sector](#)

As artificial intelligence (AI) continues to revolutionise the life sciences sector, the use of real-world evidence data to train AI models is becoming a critical component in advancing research, drug development, and healthcare solutions. However, when dealing with personal data, life sciences companies must pay close attention to two core principles of the General Data Protection Regulation ([GDPR](#)): ‘purpose limitation’ and ‘data minimisation’.

[UK ICO Fires GDPR “Warning Shot” Over Use of Children’s Data](#)

The UK’s data protection watchdog has warned that a new investigation into TikTok and others over their use of children’s data should be viewed as a “warning shot” by smaller digital firms. Information commissioner John Edwards made the remarks at the International Association of Privacy Professionals (IAPP) Data Protection Intensive UK 2025 conference in London yesterday. He said that organizations of all sizes should see the regulator’s latest investigations as “a sign to get your own house in order,” and not wait for it to come knocking before ensuring business processes are compliant with data protection laws.

[New York Sues Allstate Over Data Breach and Security Failures](#)

New York attorney general, Letitia James, has filed a lawsuit against Allstate’s National General unit, alleging the company failed to adequately protect consumer data and neglected to report data breaches that exposed thousands of driver’s license numbers. The lawsuit, filed in a Manhattan state court on Monday, seeks financial penalties and improved security measures.

**Relevance: New York, USA**

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