
45 C.F.R. § 164.528

Accounting of disclosures of protected health information.

- (a) *Standard: Right to an accounting of disclosures of protected health information.* (1) An individual has a right to receive an accounting of disclosures of protected health information made by a covered entity in the six years prior to the date on which the accounting is requested, except for disclosures:
- (i) To carry out treatment, payment and health care operations as provided in § 164.506;
 - (ii) To individuals of protected health information about them as provided in § 164.502;
 - (iii) Incident to a use or disclosure otherwise permitted or required by this subpart, as provided in § 164.502;
 - (iv) Pursuant to an authorization as provided in § 164.508;
 - (v) For the facility's directory or to persons involved in the individual's care or other notification purposes as provided in § 164.510;
 - (vi) For national security or intelligence purposes as provided in § 164.512(k)(2);
 - (vii) To correctional institutions or law enforcement officials as provided in § 164.512(k)(5);
 - (viii) As part of a limited data set in accordance with § 164.514(e); or
 - (ix) That occurred prior to the compliance date for the covered entity.
- (2)
- (i) The covered entity must temporarily suspend an individual's right to receive an accounting of disclosures to a health oversight agency or law enforcement official, as provided in § 164.512(d) or (f), respectively, for the time specified by such agency or official, if such agency or official provides the covered entity with a written statement that such an accounting to the individual would be reasonably likely to impede the agency's activities and specifying the time for which such a suspension is required.

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