

**THE UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS SYSTEM ADMINISTRATION  
HIPAA PRIVACY MANUAL**

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**POLICY**

The HIPAA Privacy Standards require Covered Entities and Business Associates to cooperate with privacy investigations initiated by the Secretary. System is also required to implement certain procedures designed to ensure System's compliance with the HIPAA Privacy Standards, including training Workforce Members regarding the provisions of this Manual, safeguarding PHI maintained by System and responding adequately to discovered privacy violations.

This Policy 8 consists of the following Sections:

- Section 8.1: Cooperation with the Secretary's Investigation
- Section 8.2: Training
- Section 8.3: Safeguarding Protected Health Information
- Section 8.4: Mitigation of Known Privacy Violations
- Section 8.5: Sanctions for Personnel Violations of Privacy