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<b>SUBJECT:</b> HIPAA COMPLIANCE	<b>Effective Date:</b>  9-20-16	<b>Policy Number:</b>  1.18	
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	<b>Responsible Authority:</b> Chief Compliance & Ethics Officer		

**APPLICABILITY:**

This policy applies to the University's Covered Components and departments or divisions working closely with the Covered Components.

**DEFINITIONS:**

- (i) the HIPAA Privacy Rule, which protects the privacy of individually identifiable health information;
- (ii) the HIPAA Security Rule, which sets national standards for the security of electronic protected health information; and
- (iii) the HIPAA Breach Notification Rule, which requires “covered entities” and