



General Assembly

Substitute Bill No. 1079

January Session, 2009

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AN ACT CONCERNING THE CONNECTICUT HEALTH INFORMATION NETWORK.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

1 Section 1. (NEW) (*Effective October 1, 2009*) Notwithstanding any
2 provision of chapter 14, 319, 319b, 319o, 319t, 319v, 368a or 368z of the
3 general statutes, or any regulation adopted pursuant to said chapters,
4 the state agencies that participate in the Connecticut Health
5 Information Network, subject to federal restrictions on disclosure or
6 redisclosure of information, may disclose personally identifiable
7 information held in agency databases to the administrator of the
8 Connecticut Health Information Network and its subcontractors for
9 the purposes of (1) network development and verification, and (2) data
10 integration and aggregation to enable response to network queries. No
11 state agency that participates in the Connecticut Health Information
12 Network shall disclose personally identifiable information to the
13 Connecticut Health Information Network if such disclosure would
14 constitute a violation of federal law, including, but not limited to, the
15 Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996 (P.L. 104-
16 191) (HIPAA), as amended from time to time, and the Family
17 Educational Rights and Privacy Act of 1974, 20 USC 1232g, (FERPA),
18 as amended from time to time, and any regulations promulgated
19 thereunder at 34 CFR Part 99. The administrator of the Connecticut
20 Health Information Network and its subcontractors shall not disclose

21 personally identifiable information.

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:		
Section 1	<i>October 1, 2009</i>	New section

PH *Joint Favorable Subst.*