

Checklist



- Two methods for data at rest: encrypt or destroy PHI
- All mobile devices must be encrypted
- Dispose of any PHI properly (shred)
- Dispose of digital media containing PHI (shred/destroy/erase)
- Any PHI on paper needs to be locked up when unattended
- Every computer (laptops) must have a password-protected login
- Your login should time out after inactivity, lock your PC if you leave
- No PHI in email including internal emails
- Educate employees and Business Associates
- Breach Team
- Include the new requirements into your Policy and Procedures with specific guidelines and action steps
- 60 days notice to report a breach for covered entities and business associates
- >500 report needs to be made to HHS
- Covered Entities must maintain log of data security breaches - annual submission to HHS
- Business Associates report breach to the covered entity, the covered entity notifies individuals