



## DSHS HIPAA Covered Programs

As a covered entity, DSHS must notify affected clients of Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (HIPAA) [privacy rights](#). (45 CFR 164.520). DSHS is a “hybrid covered entity,” meaning that some DSHS client programs are covered by HIPAA, but others are not. Only the client programs listed as Health Care Components (HCC) below are covered by HIPAA. Programs listed as Non-Health Care Components (Non-HCC) are not covered by HIPAA but are still subject to other state and federal confidentiality requirements.

**Health Care Components (HCC) listed in alphabetical order by Administration.**

**These programs are covered by HIPAA.**

ALTSA	Aging and Long-Term Support Administration (ALTSA)	
HCS	Advanced Home Care Aide Specialist Training	HCC
	Adult Day Services	HCC
	Community First Choice	HCC
	Community Options Program Entry System (COPES)	HCC
	Health Homes	HCC
	Home and Community Based Setting (HCBS)	HCC
	Individual Providers	HCC
	Medicaid Alternative Care (MAC)	HCC
	Medicaid Personal Care	HCC
	New Freedom Consumer Directed Program	HCC
	Nurse Delegation	HCC
	Nursing Facility Case Management and Relocation	HCC
	Nursing Services	HCC
	Private Duty Nursing	HCC
	Program of All Inclusive Care for the Elderly (PACE)	HCC
	Residential Support Waiver	HCC
	Roads to Community Living (RCL)	HCC
	Skilled Nursing	HCC
	Specialized Dementia Care Program (SDCP)	HCC
Tailored Support for Older Adults (TSOA)	HCC	
MSD	Management Services Division	HCC
RCS	Residential Care Services	HCC
BHA	Behavioral Health Administration (BHA)	
	BHA Headquarters	HCC
	Child Study Treatment Center (CSTC)	HCC
	Columbia Residential Treatment Facility (RTF)	HCC
	Eastern State Hospital (ESH)	HCC
	Olympia Heritage Behavioral Health (OHBH)	HCC
	Oak Cottage Residential Treatment Facility (RTF)	HCC
	Western State Hospital (WSH)	HCC

<b>DDA</b>	<b>Developmental Disabilities Administration (DDA)</b>	
	All Administration programs	HCC
<b>ESA</b>	<b>Economic Services Administration (ESA)</b>	
	Division of Disability Determination Services (DDDS) Non-Grant Medical Assistance	HCC
	Division of Finance and Financial Resources	HCC
	Division of Program Integrity and Quality Assurance	HCC
	Medical Assistance Programs	HCC
	Medical Care Services (MCS)	HCC
	Office of Assistant Secretary (OAS) Administrative Program Support	HCC
	Refugee Cash and Medical Assistance (RCA/RMA)	HCC
<b>FFAA</b>	<b>Facilities, Finance and Analytics Administration</b>	
	Consolidated Institutional Business Services 1, 2, and 3	HCC
	Office of Financial Recovery	HCC
	Office of Fraud and Accountability	HCC
RDA	Research and Data Analysis	
	Analytic Data Integration Office	HCC
	Business Analytics and System-wide Initiatives Section	HCC
	Enterprise GIS Unit	HCC
	Management Information & Survey Research	HCC
	Office of the Director	HCC
	Office of the Deputy Director	HCC
	PRISM Support Unit	HCC
	Research and Evaluation Centers	HCC
<b>OOS</b>	<b>Office of the Secretary</b>	
	Office of the Secretary Executive Management	HCC
	Audits	HCC
	Office of Communications and Government Affairs	HCC
	Office of Equity, Diversity, Access, and Inclusion (OEDAI)	HCC
	Emergency Management	HCC
	Enterprise Risk Management Office (ERMO)	HCC
	External Audit Compliance	HCC
	Office of Information Governance (OIG)	HCC
	Office of Justice and Civil Rights (OJCR)	HCC
HRD	OOS Human Resources Division	
	HR Business Partners	HCC
	Labor Relations	HCC
	Public Records and Discovery	HCC
<b>TIA</b>	<b>Technology Innovation Administration</b>	
	All Administration programs	HCC

**Non-Health Care Components (Non-HCC) listed in alphabetical order by Administration.**

**These programs are not covered by HIPAA.**

<b>ALTSA</b>	<b>Aging and Long-Term Support Administration (ALTSA)</b>	
APS	Adult Protective Services (APS)	Non-HCC
ODHH	Office of the Deaf and Hard of Hearing (ODHH)	Non-HCC
RCS	Residential Care Services (RCS) Behavioral Health Support Team	Non-HCC
HCS	Home and Community Services (HCS)	
	Alzheimer's Disease Program	Non-HCC
	Chore	Non-HCC
	Chronic Disease Self-Management Education (CDSME)	Non-HCC
	Congregate Nutrition	Non-HCC
	Family Caregiver Support Program	Non-HCC
	Fostering Well-Being	Non-HCC
	Home Care Referral Registry	Non-HCC
	HCS Kinship Caregivers Support Program (KCSP)	Non-HCC
	Kinship Navigator Program (KNP)	Non-HCC
	Long-Term Care Worker Training and Certification	Non-HCC
	Personal Needs Allowance	Non-HCC
	Rental Assistance	Non-HCC
	Volunteer Services	Non-HCC
	Washington Roads	Non-HCC
Wellness Education	Non-HCC	
<b>BHA</b>	<b>Behavioral Health Administration (BHIA)</b>	
	Office of Forensic Mental Health Services (OFMHS)	Non-HCC
	Special Commitment Center (SCC)	Non-HCC
<b>ESA</b>	<b>Economic Services Administration (ESA)</b>	
CSD	Community Services Division	
	Additional Requirements - Emergent Needs (AREN)	Non-HCC
	Aged, Blind, or Disabled (ABD)	Non-HCC
	Basic Food (BF) and Food Assistance Program (FAP)	Non-HCC
	Basic Food Employment and Training (BFE&T)	Non-HCC
	Consolidated Emergency Assistance Program (CEAP)	Non-HCC
	Disaster Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (D-SNAP)	Non-HCC
	Diversion Cash Assistance (DCA)	Non-HCC
	Housing and Essential Needs Referral (HENR)	Non-HCC
	Ongoing Additional Requirements (OAR)	Non-HCC
	Pregnant Women Assistance (PWA)	Non-HCC
	Promoting Refugee Integration Mobility and Empowerment (PRIME)	Non-HCC
	Refugee and Immigrant Assistance	Non-HCC
	State Family Assistance (SFA)	Non-HCC
	Supplemental Security Income/ State Supplemental Payment (SSI/SSP)	Non-HCC
Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF)	Non-HCC	
United States Repatriation Program	Non-HCC	

	Washington Combined Application Program (WCAP)	Non-HCC
	Working Family Support (WFS)	Non-HCC
	WorkFirst (WF)	Non-HCC
DDDS	Division of Disability Determination Services (DDDS) – Social Security Disability Insurance (SSDI) and SSI	Non-HCC
DCS	Division of Child Support (DCS) Child Support Services	Non-HCC
<b>DVR</b>	<b>Division of Vocational Rehabilitation (DVR)</b>	
	All division programs	Non-HCC
<b>FFAA</b>	<b>Facilities, Finance and Analytics Administration (FFAA)</b>	
	Capital Programs	Non-HCC
	Central Budget Office	Non-HCC
	Contracts, Legal and Background Check Services	Non-HCC
	Legislative Relations	Non-HCC
	Leased Facilities and Maintenance Operations	Non-HCC
	Management Services Office	Non-HCC
	FFAA Operations	Non-HCC
RDA	Research and Data Analysis	
	Human Research Review Section	Non-HCC
<b>OOS</b>	<b>Office of the Secretary (OOS)</b>	
	Economic Justice	Non-HCC
	Office of Indian Policy	Non-HCC
	Office of Innovation, Strategy, and Visual Communications	Non-HCC