

ADAMHS BOARD FOR MONTGOMERY COUNTY	BP # 520	
TITLE: Evaluation of Policies and Procedures	SUBJECT HIPAA SECURITY	
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PURPOSE: The ADAMHS Board for Montgomery County has adopted policies and procedures pursuant to the HIPAA Security Rule to ensure that the security, confidentiality and integrity of EPHI are reasonably and appropriately protected from threats identified in its Risk Assessment. It is necessary to periodically evaluate the technical and non-technical aspects of the Board's security efforts to demonstrate and document compliance with these policies and procedures and that they are currently reasonable and appropriate for the data the Board maintains.

POLICY: The Board will periodically review its security policies and procedures and their continued applicability in response to environmental and operational changes. Where reasonable and appropriate, the Board will contract with an external entity to perform this evaluation.

REFERENCES:

HIPAA Final Security Rule, 45 CFR Parts 160, 162, and 164, Department of Health and Human Services, <http://www.cms.hhs.gov/hipaa/hipaa2/regulations/security/default.asp>, February 20, 2003. § 164.308(a)(8).