

Ownership of medical record



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sure that if any request for cancellation or alteration is submitted, then the institute holding the record, must processed within a given time period usually ten days and if it is not then the institute may be fined. References Human Resources Management, HIPAA Privacy manual. < <http://www.utdallas.edu/hrm/fac-staff/hipaarevocation.php5>> Hahn, D. What is timely response mandate?, 2010. < http://aolanswers.com/questions/timely_response_mandate_627151675381423> HIM 2200, Release of Information. faculty. weber. edu/hmerkley/ROI%20power%20point%20slide. ppt