

# HHS Office for Civil Rights in Action



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## **New CME Training to Educate Providers about the HIPAA Right of Access**

The U.S. Department of Health and Human Services (HHS) Office for Civil Rights (OCR) has launched a new video training module for health care providers on patients' right of access under the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (HIPAA) Privacy Rule.

The [video module](#) provides an in-depth review of the components of the HIPAA right of access and ways in which it enables individuals to be more involved in their own care. The module provides helpful suggestions about how health care providers can integrate aspects of the HIPAA access right into medical practice.

Upon completion of this activity, participants will receive free Continuing Medical Education (CME) credit for physicians and Continuing Education (CE) credit for health care professionals.

The module is available via Medscape at: <http://www.medscape.org/viewarticle/876110> or via OCR's Training and Resources webpage at <https://www.hhs.gov/hipaa/for-professionals/training/index.html>