



Declaration of Hybrid Entity Status and Designation of Health Care Components

Since the primary function of Pacific University is not to provide health care, Pacific University is permitted to designate itself as a “hybrid entity,” which allows it to apply the HIPAA Privacy Rule only to those parts of Pacific University that, if standing alone, would be a Covered Entity. As a hybrid entity, Pacific University must identify in writing its health care components.

Health Care Components at Pacific University are the:

- Pacific University Optometry Clinics
- Pacific University Psychological Service Center.
- Pacific University Physical Therapy Clinic
- Pacific University Athletic Department
- Pacific University Student Health Clinic
- Pacific University Student Counseling Center
- OICEBT (Oregon Independent Colleges Employee Benefits Trust)
- Kaiser Health Plans
- Regence Blue Cross
- Willamette Dental
- Employee Assistance Services Enterprises
- Flexible Spending Account