

## BUTLER COUNTY HEALTH DAVID CITY NE

## **CONFIDENTIALITY & HIPAA PLEDGE**

As a student, volunteer or acting in any other capacity in connection with Butler County Health, I pledge that I am committed to protect the confidentiality of each patient, his/her medical records, and all other private information/documents I may encounter in the course of my study or association with Butler County Health. This includes all HIPAA Rules & Regulations.

I will make certain that all charts, notes and other written, pictorial or computer information is safely stored and secured when not in use.

I will hold all discussions regarding patients and their families or BCH personnel only with authorized staff and only in areas that assure privacy and will encourage others to do the same.

I will not release any written, oral, pictorial or computer information to a patient's family, friends or to other agencies without proper authorization from the patient and the hospital.

I will not gossip about employees or discuss patients or their families outside the Hospital.

I acknowledge that I am morally bound by this pledge and by all relevant state laws and professional practice acts.

I have received training and education on Confidentiality and HIPAA Compliance.

YES		NO	
If Yes, please explain location/source of training			
Printed Name			
Signature	Date		