

January 11, 2021

Sent via email: SecurityBreach@atg.wa.gov

Office of the Washington State Attorney General
1125 Washington Street SE
PO Box 40100
Olympia, WA 98504-0100

Re: Security Incident Notification

Dear Attorney General Ferguson:

This letter is to inform you of a recent data security incident involving information maintained by Jefferson Healthcare, a public hospital district in Port Townsend, Washington. This letter describes the incident, what Jefferson Healthcare's investigation has revealed so far about the information involved and potentially affected individuals, and the measures Jefferson Healthcare has taken in response to the incident.

On November 12, 2020, Jefferson Healthcare first discovered unauthorized access to an employee's email account by unidentified third parties who had obtained the employee's email login credentials through an email phishing attack. Upon learning of the incident, Jefferson Healthcare immediately took steps to halt the unauthorized access to the employee's email account and prevent further unauthorized access. These steps included temporarily suspending access to all systems for the affected employee, removing the affected computer from the network and engaging a forensics team to scrub the PC. Additional steps included requiring all employees to immediately change their email login passwords, requiring multi-factor authentication to log in when outside of the Jefferson Healthcare network, increasing cybersecurity training requirements for all employees, reminding employees to remain vigilant about phishing attacks, and increasing the number of sanctioned phishing attempts. Additional security enhancements are also underway, including a planned implementation of identity management and Single Sign-On as an added layer of authentication protection, as well as enhanced analytics to identify potential issues before they occur.

At the same time, Jefferson Healthcare also began an investigation to determine the nature and extent of the unauthorized access. This investigation determined that unauthorized access to the employee's email account began on November 9, 2020 and ended on November 12, 2020. Based on Jefferson Healthcare's investigation and security practices, we have no reason to believe that there was any unauthorized access to any other employee email accounts or to Jefferson Healthcare's electronic medical record system (which was protected by 2-factor-authentication at the time of the incident), billing systems, or other systems outside of the affected email account.

Based on the investigation, we reasonably believe that relatively few documents were likely actually viewed by the unauthorized parties during their access to the one affected email account. However, we could not definitively determine that the unauthorized parties did not access certain information and documents stored in the affected email account. We engaged outside forensic consultants to conduct a thorough review of information and documents in the email account. Following this detailed review and analysis, Jefferson Healthcare was able to determine that the email account contained the following types of information about patients of Jefferson Healthcare and other individuals: full names, dates of birth, phone numbers, home addresses, health insurance information, certain health information (such as dates of service, diagnosis and treatment information related to care received at Jefferson Healthcare), social security numbers, certain financial information, and certain online account information. The investigation determined that data stored in the affected email account included "personal information" as that term is defined by RCW 42.56.590.

Based on our investigation, we reasonably believe that approximately 2,543 individuals are potentially affected by the incident, of which approximately 2,496 individuals are Washington residents. In accordance with the requirements of the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (HIPAA) and implementing regulations, and in accordance with RCW 42.56.590, Jefferson Healthcare provided written notification of the data security incident to all affected individuals on January 11, 2020. This notification offered no-cost access to credit monitoring services for the limited number of individuals whose social security numbers were potentially exposed and provided contact information for a dedicated call center established for all affected individuals to contact with questions about the incident. Additionally, the notification provided guidance on how individuals can protect themselves against identity theft and fraud. Sample notification letters are enclosed with this letter. On January 11, 2020, Jefferson Healthcare also issued a press release about the incident to prominent print media outlets serving the geographic areas where affected individuals likely reside, posted a notice about the incident on its website, and provided notice to the U.S. Secretary of Health and Human Services.

Jefferson Healthcare has taken and will continue to take steps to prevent this type of incident from happening again, including implementing additional technology safeguards, requiring and providing additional training for staff members on preventing phishing attacks and securing login credentials, and other cybersecurity risk prevention measures. We have also reviewed our policies and procedures to ensure that they sufficiently protect against further incidents of this type.

We will update the information in this letter as necessary under RCW 42.56.590. For additional information, please contact Brandie Manuel, Chief Patient Safety & Quality Officer, at bmanuel@jeffersonhealthcare.org, or by calling (360) 385-2200 ext. 2002.

Sincerely,



Mike Glenn
Chief Executive Officer

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What We Are Doing?

Jefferson Healthcare has taken and will continue to take steps to prevent this type of incident from happening again, including implementing additional technology safeguards, conducting additional training for staff members on preventing phishing attacks, securing login credentials, and other cybersecurity risk prevention measures. We have also reviewed our policies and procedures to ensure that they sufficiently protect against further incidents of this type.



What You Can Do.

Due to the nature of your information which may have been accessed by the third parties, Jefferson Healthcare has arranged for you to enroll in a credit monitoring service through Experian at no cost to you. Please see the Experian enrollment instructions attached to this letter. This service monitors the creation of a credit file in your name and includes identity theft insurance.

In addition, please review the enclosed *Information about Identity Theft Protection* section included with this letter. This section describes steps you can take to help protect your identity, including recommendations by the Federal Trade Commission regarding identify theft protection and details on how to place a fraud alert or a security freeze on your credit file if you wish to do so.

For More Information.

We sincerely regret any inconvenience or concern caused by this incident. We take our responsibility to protect the personal information of patients and other individuals very seriously, and we are committed to full transparency. If you have further questions or concerns, please call (877) 584-0360. Be prepared to provide engagement [REDACTED] for assistance.

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3. PROVIDE the **Activation Code: ABCDEFGHI**

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** The Identity Theft Insurance is underwritten and administered by American Bankers Insurance Company of Florida, an Assurant company. Please refer to the actual policies for terms, conditions, and exclusions of coverage. Coverage may not be available in all jurisdictions

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Information about Identity Theft Protection

Monitor Your Accounts

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You may want to order copies of your credit reports and check for any medical bills that you do not recognize. If you find anything suspicious, call the credit reporting agency at the phone number on the report. Keep a copy of this notice for your records in case of future problems with your medical records. You may also want to request a copy of your medical records from your provider, to serve as a baseline. If you are a California resident, we suggest that you visit the website of the California Office of Privacy Protection at www.privacy.ca.gov to find more information about your medical privacy.

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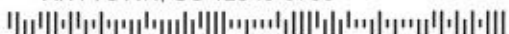


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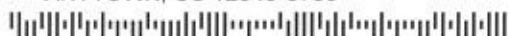
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RE: Important Security Notification. Please read this entire letter.

Dear Parent/Guardian of Sample A Sample:

This letter is to inform you of a recent data security incident that may have involved your child's personal information maintained by Jefferson Healthcare. This letter describes the incident, outlines measures we have taken in response, and provides information regarding additional steps you can take to help protect your child's information.

What Happened?

On November 12, 2020, Jefferson Healthcare first discovered that an email phishing attack resulted in unauthorized access to an employee's email account by unidentified third parties, who were able to obtain the employee's email login credentials. Upon learning of the incident, Jefferson Healthcare immediately took steps to halt the unauthorized access to the employee's email account and prevent further unauthorized access, in addition to other mitigation and security measures. At the same time, Jefferson Healthcare began an investigation to determine the nature and extent of the unauthorized access.

What Information Was Involved?

Our investigation determined that unauthorized access to the employee's email account began on November 9, 2020, and we reasonably believe that relatively few documents were likely actually viewed by the unauthorized parties during their brief access to the email account. However, our investigation could not definitively conclude that the unauthorized parties did not access certain information and documents stored in the affected email account which may have included some of the following information: your child's full name, date of birth, phone number, home address, health insurance information, and certain health information such as dates of service, diagnosis and treatment information related to care received at Jefferson Healthcare. Please be assured that your child's social security number and financial information were not stored in the email account and therefore were not involved in this incident. Further, based on our investigation and security practices, we have no reason to believe that there has been any improper access to Jefferson Healthcare's electronic medical record system, billing systems, or other systems outside of the employee's email account.

What We Are Doing?

Jefferson Healthcare has taken and will continue to take steps to prevent this type of incident from happening again, including implementing additional technology safeguards, conducting additional training for staff members on preventing phishing attacks, securing login credentials, and other cybersecurity risk prevention measures. We have also reviewed our policies and procedures to ensure that they sufficiently protect against further incidents of this type.

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What You Can Do.

Please review the enclosed *Information about Identity Theft Protection* section included with this letter. This section describes steps you can take to help protect your child's identity, including recommendations by the Federal Trade Commission regarding identify theft protection and details on how to place a fraud alert or a security freeze on your child's credit file if you wish to do so.

For More Information.

We sincerely regret any inconvenience or concern caused by this incident. We take our responsibility to protect the personal information of patients and other individuals very seriously, and we are committed to full transparency. If you have further questions or concerns, please call (877) 584-0360. Be prepared to provide engagement [REDACTED] for assistance.

Sincerely,



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Information about Identity Theft Protection

Monitor Your Accounts

We recommend that you regularly review statements from your accounts and periodically obtain your credit report from one or more of the national credit reporting companies. You may obtain a free copy of your credit report online at www.annualcreditreport.com, by calling toll-free 1-877-322-8228, or by mailing an Annual Credit Report Request Form (available at www.annualcreditreport.com) to Annual Credit Report Request Service, P.O. Box 105281, Atlanta, GA, 30348-5281. You may also purchase a copy of your credit report by contacting one or more of the three national credit reporting agencies listed below.

Equifax®
P.O. Box 740241
Atlanta, GA 30374-0241
1-800-685-1111
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P.O. Box 9701
Allen, TX 75013-9701
1-888-397-3742
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P.O. Box 1000
Chester, PA 19016-1000
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www.transunion.com

When you receive your credit reports, review them carefully. Look for accounts or creditor inquiries that you did not initiate or do not recognize. Look for information, such as home address and Social Security number that is not accurate. If you see anything you do not understand, call the credit reporting agency at the telephone number on the report.

Credit Freeze

You have the right to put a security freeze, also known as a credit freeze, on your credit file, so that no new credit can be opened in your name without the use of a Personal Identification Number (PIN) that is issued to you when you initiate a freeze. A credit freeze is designed to prevent potential credit grantors from accessing your credit report without your consent. If you place a credit freeze, potential creditors and other third parties will not be able to access your credit report unless you temporarily lift the freeze. Therefore, using a credit freeze may delay your ability to obtain credit. Pursuant to federal law, you cannot be charged to place or lift a credit freeze on your credit report. Should you wish to place a credit freeze, please contact all three major consumer reporting agencies listed below.

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Chester, PA 19016-2000
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