

# Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (HIPAA)

Under Federal HIPAA guidelines section 164.310 (D)(2)(i) requires that a covered entity must prevent the abuse of personal health information including unauthorized access of your patients confidential information stored on your IT assets.

*Is Your Data  
At Risk?*

## Is your company a covered entity?

Covered entities include all organizations or individuals who retain or collect health-related information.

## Why should you act now?

- Patient confidence
- Minimize risk and future liabilities
- Audit compliance

## Can your recycler provide?

- ISO 14001 certification
- Auditable records
- Copies of permits, insurance
- 24/7 CCTV internal/external surveillance
- Witnessed destruction
- Facility tours

Sims Recycling Solutions can answer yes.

## About Us

Sims Recycling Solutions is the electronics recycling division of Sims Metal Management, an \$8B global business traded on the NYSE. In California alone, Sims processes 100M pounds of e-waste annually. Utilizing Sims Recycling Solution's advanced processes via shredding or data erasure, will protect your company and your patients information from any unwarranted data exposure. Don't trust your companys' end-of-life electronics to just any recycler; choose the industry leader.

*How can we  
Help?*

## Our Services

### Data Security

If authorized by the customer for remarketing, all hard drive data is cleared following NIST SP 800-88, Guidelines for Media Sanitization. Our professional staff can provide comprehensive serial number reporting for your dispositioned IT assets.

### Secure Shredding

- Data hardware is recycled through our state of the art metals separation plant.
- Physical shredding of your product into 1" sized pieces ensures your data is non-retrievable
- Certificates of destruction provided down to asset serial number if requested