



HIPAA Privacy Complaint Form

This complaint form concerns protected health information maintained by HWMG and related Business Associates subject to the HIPAA Privacy Rules.

To: **Privacy Officer - HWMG**

Date: _____

From: _____ Member ID: _____ Date of Birth: _____
(Name of Member or Individual) (If applicable) (mm/dd/yy)

Address: _____

City, State Zip: _____ Phone: _____

Who do you believe violated your (or someone else's) health information privacy rights or committed another violation of the Privacy Rule?

Workforce Member or Department Name Violation Date: _____
(mm/dd/yy)

What right was violated?

- Access to Records Request Denied
- Confidential Communications Request Denied
- Accounting of Disclosures Request Denied
- Other
- Amendment of Health Request Denied
- Restriction of Use and Disclosures Request Denied
- Breach of Confidentiality

Describe the Privacy violation: (Required; Attach additional pages if necessary)

What action, if any, do you believe will correct the problem?

Member or Legal Representative's Signature

Date

Member or Legal Representative's Name (please print)

Relationship of Representative to Member
(A Written Authorization Form may be requested.)

You have the following rights if you are filing a privacy complaint:

- The privacy complaint must be filed within 180 calendar days of when you knew that the identified act or omission occurred. This time period may be extended if you can show good cause.
- Any alleged violation must have occurred after April 14, 2003.

You have the right to file a privacy complaint:

- Individuals may file privacy complaints with HMAA or the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Office of Civil Rights. You will not be penalized for filing a complaint.

Privacy complaints may be directed to either of the following.

Privacy Officer - HWMG
737 Bishop Street, Suite 1200
Honolulu, HI 96813
Phone: (808) 591-0088
Toll-Free: (800) 621-6998
Fax: (808) 591-0463

OR

Region IX, Office of Civil Rights
U.S. Department of Health and Human Services
50 United Nations Plaza- Room 332
San Francisco, CA 94102
Phone: (415) 437-8310
Fax: (415) 437-8329
TDD: (415) 437-8311
Email: OCRComplaint@hhs.gov

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Date Received: _____