

# WHAT ARE THE 8 CALDICOTT PRINCIPLES?

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JUSTIFY THE PURPOSE(S) OF USING CONFIDENTIAL INFORMATION.

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USE CONFIDENTIAL INFORMATION ONLY WHEN IT IS NECESSARY

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USE THE MINIMUM NECESSARY CONFIDENTIAL INFORMATION

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ACCESS TO PRIVATE INFORMATION MUST BE ON A STRICT NEED-TO-KNOW BASIS

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EVERYONE WITH ACCESS TO CONFIDENTIAL INFORMATION SHOULD BE AWARE OF THEIR RESPONSIBILITIES

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COMPLY WITH THE LAW

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THE DUTY TO SHARE INFORMATION FOR INDIVIDUAL CARE IS AS IMPORTANT AS THE DUTY TO PROTECT PATIENT CONFIDENTIALITY

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INFORM PATIENTS & SERVICE USERS ABOUT HOW THEIR CONFIDENTIAL INFORMATION IS USED

