

STUDENT DATA PROTECTION AMENDMENTS

2017 GENERAL SESSION

STATE OF UTAH

Chief Sponsor: Jacob L. Anderegg

House Sponsor: _____

LONG TITLE

General Description:

This bill modifies provisions of the Student Data Protection Act.

Highlighted Provisions:

This bill:

- ▶ repeals an incorrect cross reference; and
- ▶ makes technical corrections.

Money Appropriated in this Bill:

None

Other Special Clauses:

None

Utah Code Sections Affected:

AMENDS:

53A-1-1406, as enacted by Laws of Utah 2016, Chapter 221

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the state of Utah:

Section 1. Section **53A-1-1406** is amended to read:

53A-1-1406. Collecting student data -- Prohibition -- Student data disclosure statement -- Authorization.

(1) An education entity shall comply with this section beginning with the 2017-18 school year.



28 (2) An education entity may not collect a student's:

29 (a) social security number; or

30 (b) except as required in Section 78A-6-112, criminal record.

31 (3) An education entity that collects student data into a cumulative record shall, in
32 accordance with this section, prepare and distribute to parents and students a student data
33 disclosure statement that:

34 (a) is a prominent, stand-alone document;

35 (b) is annually updated and published on the education entity's website;

36 (c) states the necessary and optional student data the education entity collects;

37 (d) states that the education entity will not collect the student data described in

38 Subsection (2);

39 (e) states the student data described in Section 53A-1-1409 that the education entity
40 may not share without a data authorization;

41 ~~[(f) states that students and parents are responsible for the collection, use, or sharing of~~
42 ~~student data as described in Section 53A-1-1405;]~~

43 ~~[(g)]~~ (f) describes how the education entity may collect, use, and share student data;

44 ~~[(h)]~~ (g) includes the following statement:

45 "The collection, use, and sharing of student data has both benefits and risks. Parents
46 and students should learn about these benefits and risks and make choices regarding student
47 data accordingly.";

48 ~~[(i)]~~ (h) describes in general terms how the education entity stores and protects student
49 data; and

50 ~~[(j)]~~ (i) states a student's rights under this part.

51 (4) An education entity may collect the necessary student data of a student into a
52 cumulative record if the education entity provides a student data disclosure statement to:

53 (a) the student, if the student is an adult student; or

54 (b) the student's parent, if the student is not an adult student.

55 (5) An education entity may collect optional student data into a cumulative record if
56 the education entity:

57 (a) provides, to an individual described in Subsection (4), a student data disclosure
58 statement that includes a description of:

- 59 (i) the optional student data to be collected; and
60 (ii) how the education entity will use the optional student data; and
61 (b) obtains a data authorization to collect the optional student data from an individual
62 described in Subsection (4).
63 (6) An education entity may collect a student's biometric identifier or biometric
64 information into a cumulative record if the education entity:
65 (a) provides, to an individual described in Subsection (4), a biometric information
66 disclosure statement that is separate from a student data disclosure statement, which states:
67 (i) the biometric identifier or biometric information to be collected;
68 (ii) the purpose of collecting the biometric identifier or biometric information; and
69 (iii) how the education entity will use and store the biometric identifier or biometric
70 information; and
71 (b) obtains a data authorization to collect the biometric identifier or biometric
72 information from an individual described in Subsection (4).

Legislative Review Note
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