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§ 170.403 Communications

Please be informed of the following information below.

Data Tec, Inc. does not prohibit or restrict any communication regarding usability, interoperability, security, user experiences, business practices related to exchanging EHI, and how a user of the health IT used such technology unless such prohibition or restriction was permitted under § 170.403(a)(2)(ii).

Data Tec, Inc. does not prohibit communication of any information whatsoever when the communication is about one or more of the subject matters listed in § 170.403(a)(1) and is made for any of the following purposes:

Making a disclosure required by law;

- Communicating information about adverse events, hazards, and other unsafe conditions to government agencies, health care accreditation organizations, and patient safety organizations;
- Communicating information about cybersecurity threats and incidents to government agencies;
- Communicating information about information blocking and other unlawful practices to government agencies; or
- Communicating information about Data Tec, Inc.'s failure to comply with a Condition of Certification requirement, or with any other requirement of this part, to ONC or an ONC-ACB.

Data Tec, Inc. notifies all customers annually starting in 2020 that any communication or contract/agreement provision that violates the Communications Condition of Certification will not be enforced by the Data Tec, Inc.

Data Tec, Inc. notifies all customers annually up to and until the Data Tec, Inc. amends any contract or agreement that violates the Communications Condition of Certification to remove or void the contravening contractual provisions.