

HEALTH SCIENCE CENTER HANDBOOK OF OPERATING PROCEDURES

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Policy 5.8.1	Information Security Function	Responsibility:	Vice President and Chief Information Officer

INFORMATION SECURITY FUNCTION

Policy

The mission of the Information Security function is to ensure a secure computing environment to support the institution's research, patient care, teaching, and public service missions. Consultation, coordination, and support services include:

1. Providing leadership for compliance with the Health Science Center and The University of Texas System security related policies and procedures, as well as, external regulatory mandates;
2. Establishing and maintaining an information security program;
3. Performing security investigations, analysis and monitoring;
4. Supporting policy and procedure development and recommending technology solutions, while minimizing any negative impact on University missions; and,
5. Maintaining a compilation of information protection resources in support of information security awareness, education, and training.

Additional security information may be obtained by visiting the following web site: <http://ims.uthscsa.edu/>.
