

Stanford Hospital and Clinics
Lucile Packard Children's Hospital

CONFIDENTIALITY
Biennial Statement Of Compliance
For Medical Staff Members

Confidentiality

As a member of the Medical Staff at Stanford Hospital and Clinics (SHC) and/or Lucile Packard Children's Hospital (LPCH), I am involved in the evaluation and improvement of the quality of care rendered at SHC and/or (LPCH). I recognize that confidentiality is vital to the free and candid discussions necessary for effective Medical Staff peer review activities. Therefore, I agree to respect and maintain the confidentiality of all discussions, deliberations, records, and other information generated in connection with these activities, and to make no voluntary disclosures of such information except to persons authorized to receive it in the conduct of Medical Staff affairs.

Furthermore, my participation in peer review and quality improvement activities is in reliance on my belief that the confidentiality of these activities will be similarly preserved by every other member of the Medical Staff, every member of Medical Staff Committees, or any other individuals involved.

I understand that Stanford Hospital and Clinics and/or Lucile Packard Children's Hospital and the Medical Staff(s) are entitled to undertake such action as is deemed appropriate to ensure that this confidentiality is maintained, including application to a court for injunctive or other relief in the event of a threatened breach of this agreement.

This agreement and obligation of strictest confidence shall survive the term of my medical staff membership, any type of involvement with Medical Staff Committees, or any medical staff leadership responsibilities.