

## FERPA Release for Students & Faculty

The Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA) is a Federal law that protects the privacy of student education records. Schools may disclose, without consent, "directory" information such as a student's name, address, telephone number, date and place of birth, honors and awards, and dates of attendance. Generally, schools must have written permission from the student to release any information from a student's education record. Through the TCPS Student Onboarding program, key information will be available to faculty and facility leadership as it relates to my clinical learning experiences with partner facilities within the TCPS system.

Healthcare regulatory agencies require all facilities to document that students have completed a general and facility specific orientation, and that they meet a variety of health requirements and personal background information to ensure the safety of patients and of the student while within the facility. These requirements must also be met by all employees in each facility.



If my school is using the TCPS PlacementPro Student Information tool to document completion of the facility's requirements for students, I also understand that **ONLY** the **review/expiration dates** of my required health information and requirements will be posted for my assigned facility(ies) to review as needed.

Results from criminal background flags and/or drug screen results that are not within acceptable guidelines by my assigned facility will be addressed **by my school leadership** using school protocols. Once a decision has been made by my assigned facility related to the background or drug screen; only the approval or rejection will be posted in TCPS PlacementPro. No other facility will see the decision of a rejecting facility and no details will be available through PlacementPro.



I understand that my name, username/studentID, school, email address, and quiz completion(s) and subsequent scores will be viewable by faculty and facility leadership as it relates to my clinical rotations at a partner facility within the TCPS partnership.

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