

~~(1) (i) The State Medical Assistance Compliance Administration or any health occupational regulatory board requests the information in writing; or~~

~~(ii) The Secretary of the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services or the Secretary's designee is entitled to receive the information or have access to the information under 42 U.S.C. § 1396R-2.~~

~~(2) (i) The Board has issued an order under § 14-406 of this subtitle; or~~

~~(ii) An allegation is pending before the Board; and~~

~~(3) The Board determines that the requested information is necessary for the proper conduct of the business of that administration or board.~~

~~(k) If the Board determines that the information contained in a record concerns possible criminal activity, the Board shall disclose the information to a law enforcement or prosecutorial official.~~

~~(l) The Board may permit inspection of records for which inspection otherwise is not authorized by a person who is engaged in a research project if:~~

~~(1) The researcher submits to the Executive Director and the Board approves a written request that:~~

~~(i) Describes the purpose of the research project;~~

~~(ii) Describes the intent, if any, to publish the findings;~~

~~(iii) Describes the nature of the requested personal records;~~

~~(iv) Describes the safeguards that the researcher would take to protect the identity of the persons in interest; and~~

~~(v) States that persons in interest will not be contacted unless the Executive Director approves and monitors the contact;~~

~~(2) The Executive Director is satisfied that the proposed safeguards will prevent the disclosure of the identity of persons in interest; and~~

~~(3) The researcher makes an agreement with the Executive Director that:~~

~~(i) Defines the scope of the research project;~~

~~(ii) Sets out the safeguards for protecting the identity of the persons in interest; and~~

~~(iii) States that a breach of any condition of the agreement is a breach of contract.~~

~~(m) On the request of a person who has testified in a Board or Office of Administrative Hearings proceeding, the Board shall provide to the person who testified a copy of the portion of the transcript of that person's testimony.~~