

Breach Notices Received by the FTC

The FTC's Health Breach Notification Rule requires vendors of personal health records and PHR related entities to notify the FTC if they experience a breach of security involving unsecured health information. For breaches involving the health information of 500 or more individuals, entities must notify the FTC as soon as possible, and in any case no later than ten business days after discovering the breach. Breaches involving the health information of fewer than 500 individuals may be reported in an annual submission that includes all breaches within the calendar year that fall within this category. The following annual submissions and breaches involving more than 500 individuals have been reported to the FTC.

Microsoft Corporation – Annual submission for 2009
City and State: Redmond, WA
Approximate # of Individuals Affected: 15
Type of Breach: Incidents involving individuals' lost or stolen credentials utilized in connection with multiple Microsoft services
Type of Information Involved: Lost or stolen credentials

Intuit, Inc.
City and State: Mountain View, CA
Approximate # of Individuals Affected: 2094
Date Breach was Discovered: 09/24/2010
Type of Breach: Misdirected automated confirmation email
Type of Information Involved: Health insurance information, other

Microsoft Corporation – Annual submission for 2010
City and State: Redmond, WA
Approximate # of Individuals Affected: 3
Type of Breach: Incidents involving individuals' lost or stolen credentials utilized in connection with multiple Microsoft services
Type of Information Involved: Lost or stolen credentials

Microsoft Corporation – Annual submission for 2011
City and State: Redmond, WA
Approximate # of Individuals Affected: 2899
Type of Breach: Incidents involving individuals' lost or stolen credentials utilized in connection with multiple Microsoft services
Type of Information Involved: Lost or stolen credentials

Microsoft Corporation – Annual submission for 2012

City and State: Redmond, WA

Approximate # of Individuals Affected: 4167

Type of Breach: Incidents involving individuals' lost or stolen credentials utilized in connection with multiple Microsoft services

Type of Information Involved: Lost or stolen credentials

Intuit Inc. – Annual submission for 2012

City and State: Mountain View, CA

Approximate # of Individuals Affected: 8

Type of Breach: Single incident involving technical problem that allowed viewing of personal health records

Type of Information Involved: Name, address, basic health information, disease or medical conditions, medications, treatments or procedures, test results

Microsoft Corporation – Annual submission for 2013

City and State: Redmond, WA

Approximate # of Individuals Affected: 4869

Type of Breach: Incidents involving individuals' lost or stolen credentials utilized in connection with multiple Microsoft services

Type of Information Involved: Lost or stolen credentials

Microsoft Corporation – Annual submission for 2014

City and State: Redmond, WA

Approximate # of Individuals Affected: 18,069

Type of Breach: Incidents involving individuals' lost or stolen credentials utilized in connection with multiple Microsoft services

Type of Information Involved: Lost or stolen credentials