

# HIPAA & NC Local Health Departments: 2026 Critical Updates

**WAKE AHEC**

**PART OF NC AHEC**

Wednesday, June 17, 2026

Registration and Light Breakfast: 8:30am

Program: 9:00am – 4:00pm

Co-sponsored with the NC Public Health HIPAA Alliance

The McKimmon Conference and Training Center, Raleigh, NC

Event #77289so

**Program Description:** This one-day workshop will provide training on HIPAA compliance issues for local health departments. The educational activity will address core topics including the responsibilities of a Privacy Officer and sharing protected health information for communicable disease control purposes. The program also includes a hot topics session and an activity tackling advanced, complex issues that arise for Privacy Officers working in local health departments. The day will conclude with a game-based refresher session that gives attendees an opportunity to review what they learned and ask questions.

## Location

The McKimmon Conference and Training Center  
1101 Gorman Street  
Raleigh, NC 27606

*Directions and parking information will be emailed with your confirmation letter.*

## Target Audience

This program is specifically tailored to North Carolina's local health departments and intended for staff members who are directly involved with HIPAA-related responsibilities. **Depending on space availability**, other health care professionals interested in the topics may attend.

## Objectives

At the conclusion of this educational program, participants should be able to:

1. Describe the role and responsibilities of a HIPAA Privacy Officer, including the policies that a Privacy Officer must maintain.
2. Explain how North Carolina laws and HIPAA work together to permit (or limit) certain information sharing in the context of communicable disease control work.
3. Locate additional resources for learning more about HIPAA.

## Speakers

**Kirsten Leloudis, JD, MPH**

Assistant Professor of Public Law & Government  
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Questions? Contact Sharri Oxendine at [soxendine@wakeahec.org](mailto:soxendine@wakeahec.org) or 919-350-0461.

## Agenda

8:30am	Registration and Light Breakfast
8:55	<b>Welcome and Announcements</b>
9:00	<b>HIPAA in Context: History and Legal Basics</b>
9:45	Break
10:00	<b>The Role and Responsibilities of a Privacy Officer</b>
11:00	<b>Disclosures of Protected Health Information (PHI) Communicable Disease Control</b>
12:00pm	Lunch (provided)
1:00	<b>Advanced Issues for Privacy Officers</b>
2:30	Break
2:45	<b>Hot Topics</b>
3:15	<b>Review Activity and Q&amp;A</b>
4:00pm	Adjourn

## Credit

Wake AHEC will provide 0.6 CEU to participants upon completion of this activity.

*A participant must attend 100% of the program to receive credit. Partial credit will not be awarded.*

Wake AHEC will provide up to 5.5 Contact Hours to participants.

## Registration Fee

Registration Fee - \$120. Vouchers will be accepted.

*Fee will include light breakfast, lunch, online handouts and certificate of completion.*

*To assure quality programming and safety for all participants, babies and children may not attend this program.*

Visit [www.wakeahec.org](http://www.wakeahec.org) for our ADA Statement and call 919-350-8547 for Inclement Weather updates.

## Cancellations and Refunds

Registrants cancelling between two weeks and five full business days prior to the first day of the event are refunded at 70% of the registration fee (minimum \$25 cancellation fee). No refunds or credits will be given for cancellations received after five full business days prior to the program.