

# Policy

**BOARD OF EDUCATION  
HORTONVILLE AREA SCHOOL DISTRICT**

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## PRIVACY PROTECTIONS OF SELF-FUNDED GROUP DENTAL PLANS

The Board hereby appoints the Business Office official to serve as the Privacy Official of the group Dental Plans. The Privacy Official shall develop, propose to the Board, and implement policies and procedures for the group Dental Plans relating to the use and disclosure of Protected Health Information. The Privacy Official shall verify that the policies and procedures are current and comply with Federal Law.

The Board also acknowledges that the HIPAA Security Rule requires the group dental plans to implement various security measures with respect to electronic protected dental (health) information. The Board hereby appoints the Business Office official to serve as the Security Official of the group dental plans.