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AMENDMENT TO REGULATIONS GOVERNING THE CONTROL OF COMMUNICABLE AND NONCOMMUNICABLE  
DISEASES AND CONDITIONS.

The above amendment promulgated by the Health Department was filed with the  
Department of Records on March 27, 1969.

Inasmuch as there were no requests for hearings this amendment became effective  
April 25, 1969.

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DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH  
Board of Health

Amendment to Regulations Governing the Control of  
Communicable and Noncommunicable Diseases and Conditions

(Approved by the Board of Health March 7, 1969)

- 3(d) Reporting and Disclosure of Records Pertaining to Cancer Cases in Connection with the Third National Cancer Survey of the National Cancer Institute,
- (1) All superintendents of hospitals or other persons in charge of any institution for the treatment of disease and all physicians shall notify, in writing, the Department of all diagnosed cases of cancer. The report shall be on a standard form as supplied by the Department. The report shall state the patient's name and other information required by the Department for identification purposes.
  - (2) Having reported to the Department, all such physicians and superintendents and other persons are further required to make available to the Department all medical records and billing records of such patients.
  - (3) All reports shall be confidential and not open to public inspection or be inspected by any persons other than the official custodian of such reports in the Department of Public Health, and such other persons as may be authorized by law to inspect such reports or records. The Health Commissioner, or his authorized representative may, at his discretion, release confidential information concerning patients with cancer when it is his considered opinion that such release of information is in the interest of the public health and welfare. With this sole exception, the custodian of such reports or records, the said Health Commissioner or any other persons shall not divulge any part of any such report or record which would disclose the identity of the person to whom it relates.