

Glossary:
 PCI: <https://www.pcicomplianceguide.org/pci-faqs-2/>
 HIPAA: <http://www.hhs.gov/hipaa/for-professionals/faq>

Personally identifiable information (PII) is any data that could potentially identify a specific individual. Any information that can be used to distinguish one person from another and can be used for de-anonymizing anonymous data can be considered PII.

Protected Health Information (PHI). The HIPAA Privacy Rule protects most “individually identifiable health information” held or transmitted by a covered entity or its business associate, in any form or medium, whether electronic, on paper, or oral.

