



**ENCRYPT IT!**

## ENCRYPTION

Data encryption translates data into another form, or code, so that only people with access to a secret key or password can read it. Encryption protects our data. It protects our privacy and anonymity.

### What are the benefits of encryption?

- S**tolen or lost devices are protected from data theft.  
Once encrypted, no one can use or access your device or its contents without entering a password.
- A**ccess and transmit data securely.
- F**ollows HIPAA regulations.
- E**nsures data integrity and maintains privacy.

**IT Security offers encryption solutions** for portable drives. Please contact the Service Desk at x4400 with any questions.

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