

# FACTS

## WHAT DOES THE EDUCATION CREDIT UNION DO WITH YOUR PERSONAL INFORMATION?

**Why?** Financial companies choose how they share your personal information. Federal law gives consumers the right to limit some but not all sharing. Federal law also requires us to tell you how we collect, share, and protect your personal information. Please read this notice carefully to understand what we do.

**What?** The types of personal information we collect and share depend on the product or service you have with us. This information can include:

- Social Security number and overdraft history
- credit scores and payment history
- transaction history and wire transfer instructions

When you are *no longer* our member, we continue to share your information as described in this notice.

**How?** All financial companies need to share members' personal information to run their everyday business. In the section below, we list the reasons financial companies can share their members' personal information; the reasons The Education Credit Union chooses to share; and whether you can limit this sharing.

Reasons we can share your personal information	Does The Education Credit Union share?	Can you limit this sharing?
<b>For our everyday business purposes –</b> such as to process your transactions, maintain your account(s), respond to court orders and legal investigations, or to report to credit bureaus	Yes	No
<b>For our marketing purposes –</b> to offer our products and services to you	Yes	No
<b>For joint marketing with other financial companies</b>	Yes	No
<b>For our affiliates' everyday business purposes –</b> information about your transactions and experiences	No	We don't share
<b>For our affiliates' everyday business purposes –</b> information about your creditworthiness	No	We don't share
<b>For our affiliates to market to you</b>	No	We don't share
<b>For nonaffiliates to market to you</b>	No	We don't share

**Questions?** Call toll-free 800-687-8144 or go to [www.educationcu.com](http://www.educationcu.com)

**What we do**

<p><b>How does The Education Credit Union protect my personal information?</b></p>	<p>To protect your personal information from unauthorized access and use, we use security measures that comply with federal law. These measures include computer safeguards and secured files and buildings. Our debit card data base is encrypted, our e-mail is encrypted, and our IS department is behind security doors.</p>
<p><b>How does The Education Credit Union collect my personal information?</b></p>	<p>We collect your personal information, for example, when you</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- open an account or use your credit or debit card</li> <li>- apply for financing or give us your wage statements</li> <li>- show us your driver's license</li> </ul> <p>We also collect your personal information from others, such as credit bureaus, affiliates, or other companies.</p>
<p><b>Why can't I limit all sharing?</b></p>	<p>Federal law gives you the right to limit only</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- sharing for affiliates' everyday business purposes – information about your creditworthiness</li> <li>- affiliates from using your information to market to you</li> <li>- sharing for nonaffiliates to market to you</li> </ul> <p>State law and individual companies may give you additional rights to limit sharing.</p>

**Definitions**

<p><b>Affiliates</b></p>	<p>Companies related by common ownership or control. They can be financial and nonfinancial companies.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <i>The Education Credit Union has no affiliates.</i></li> </ul>
<p><b>Nonaffiliates</b></p>	<p>Companies not related by common ownership or control. They can be financial and nonfinancial companies.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <i>The Education Credit Union does not share with our nonaffiliates so they can market to you.</i></li> </ul>
<p><b>Joint Marketing</b></p>	<p>A formal agreement between nonaffiliated financial companies that together market financial products or services to you.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <i>Our joint marketing partners include advertising/marketing agencies, loan recapture programs, and financial advisors.</i></li> </ul>

**Other important information**

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