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Date: Sat, 8 Sep 2007 13:13:32 -0700 (PDT)
From: "Nate Carlisle" <natecarlisle@yahoo.com>
Subject: RE: records requests re: drug testing
To: "Hipskind, Andy" <ashipski@indiana.edu>, "Matthews, Catherine LeAnn" <calmatth@indiana.edu>

Dr. Hipskind:

I did not mean to imply otherwise. My question went to the issue of whether the university has summary data of positive drug tests.

Nate

--- "Hipskind, Andy" <ashipski@indiana.edu> wrote:

> Mr. Carlisle,
> Let me assure you that Indiana University Sports
> Medicine is highly competent in tracking the
> well-being of our athletes.
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>
> Andy S. Hipskind, M.D.
> Head Team Physician
> Indiana University
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> From: Nate Carlisle [mailto:natecarlisle@yahoo.com]
> Sent: Sat 9/8/2007 2:22 PM
> To: Matthews, Catherine LeAnn
> Cc: Hipskind, Andy
> Subject: Re: records requests re: drug testing
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>
> Dear Ms. Matthews:
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> I'm inquiring one more time whether Indiana
> University
> has summaries of positive drug tests. If you'll
> please
> refer to the below e-mails, you'll recall in the
> spring you and I exchanged e-mails concerning
> Indiana
> University drug testing records.
>
> You said the university did not have prepared
> summaries of positive drug testing, yet since my
> initial request I have received such summary
> documents
> from Purdue and Ball State universities.

>
> It seems unusual IU claims to not have similar
> documents. How does the university track the status
> of
> its drug testing and the well-being of its athletes?
>
> I have attached the summary from Ball State. The
> Purdue documents were supplied in hard copies but I
> will provide them to you upon request. Thank you for
> your time in this matter.

>
> Sincerely,
> Nate Carlisle

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> --- "Matthews, Catherine LeAnn"
> <calmatth@indiana.edu> wrote:

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> > Mr. Carlisle:
> >
> > Indiana University does not prepare statistics,
> > even
> > in spreadsheets,
> > concerning the results of drug testing of
> > athletes.
> > All of our
> > documentation relates to the individual student,
> > is
> > personally
> > identifiable, and is prohibited from disclosure.

> >
> > Sincerely,
> > Catherine L. Matthews
> >
> > Assistant General Counsel
> > Indiana University
> > Bryan Hall 211
> > Bloomington, IN 47405
> > (812) 855-9739 (phone)
> > (812) 855-0678 (fax)
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> > Quoting Nate Carlisle <natecarlisle@yahoo.com>:
> >
> > > Ms. Matthews:
> > >
> > > Thank you for your most-recent e-mail. Can you
> > > please
> > > tell me whether Indiana University has prepared
> > > statistics demonstrating how many athletes have
> > > been
> > > drug tested in any years since 2004 and how many
> > > such
> > > athletes tested positive?
> > >
> > > Thanks again.
> > >
> > > Nate Carlisle
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> > >
> > > --- "Matthews, Catherine LeAnn"
> > > <calmatth@indiana.edu> wrote:
> > >
> > >> Dear Mr. Carlisle:
> > >>
> > >> Indiana University has met the requirements of
> > >> its
> > >> public records law
> > >> concerning your request. Although the law does
> > >> not
> > >> require us to
> > >> indicate which federal law prohibits
> > >> disclosure,
> > >> that law is the Family
> > >> Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA).
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> > >> FERPA also prohibits our providing you with any
> > >> student educational
> > >> record, even redacted records, if our
> > >> disclosure
> > >> might reveal
> > >> "personally identifiable information." For
> > >> this
> > >> reason, we cannot
> > >> provide any of the documents you are requesting
> > >> again here.
> > >>
> > >> Sincerely,
> > >> Catherine L. Matthews
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> > >> Quoting Nate Carlisle <natecarlisle@yahoo.com>:
> > >>
> > >> > Dear Ms. Matthews:
> > >> >
> > >> > Thank you for your letter of March 9 and the
> > >> > information enclosed with it. If you recall,
> > >> > I
> > >> > requested information regarding athlete drug
> > >> > testing.
> > >> >
> > >> > I have a question about data you denied me.
> > >> > You
> > >> > denied
> > >> > my request for "Documentation or an
> > >> > accounting
> > >> > of
> > >> > all
> > >> > positive tests" and for records relating to
> > >> > punishments for positive tests.
> > >> >
> > >> > In your denial, you cited Indiana Code
> > >> > 5-14-3-4(a),
> > >> > which references federal law. Can you please
> > >> > state
> > >> > which federal law(s) you believe require my
> > >> > request be
> > >> > denied?
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