Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA)

Corban University complies with the amended federal Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act of 1974 (FERPA) in the maintenance of records. Educational records of students maintained by the college will be made available only to members of Corban's staff who have a legitimate professional need for the material. FERPA, as amended, is designed to protect the privacy of student records. Students have the right to review all of their educational records and to challenge the content of a record they believe to be inaccurate or misleading.

Students also have the right to file a complaint with the U.S. Department of Education concerning alleged failures by the college to comply with the requirements of FERPA. The name and address of the office that administers FERPA is: Family Policy Compliance Office, U.S. Department of Education, 400 Maryland Avenue, SW, Washington, DC20202-4695.

Copies of Corban's Information Policy are available in the Student Life Office and the Registrar's Office. Students are advised that the Federal Government considers the following information to be directory information: the student's name, photograph, campus and home addresses, class standing, enrollment status, telephone number and email address, date and place of birth, major field(s) of study, academic honors, participation in college activities and sports, degrees and awards/honors received, previous schools attended, dates of attendance. For members of athletic teams, directory information also includes height, weight, and positions played. Directory information may be released to third parties, such as in news releases. Students may request that directory information not be released to third parties. To make such a request, send a signed, dated statement to the Vice President for Student Life.

Non-directory information, such as grade reports, is released to third parties only when the student has submitted a written request. The custodial parent(s) of dependent students do have access to the student's records.