

IMS Health Completes Acquisition Of Privacy Analytics Incorporated

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Value: Undisclosed

On May 25, 2016, IMS Health acquired Privacy Analytics Incorporated to extend its robust Real-World Evidence (RWE) capabilities. Affirming IMS Health's long-standing practices for safeguarding patient privacy, the acquisition advances the company's ability to help life sciences clients drive R&D and commercial performance and demonstrate treatment value in real-world settings.

IMS Health, headquartered in Danbury, Connecticut, is an information services and technology company for the healthcare industry.

Privacy Analytics Incorporated, headquartered in Ottawa, Ontario, is a Canadian technology firm that claims to offer the only commercially available integrated data masking and de-identification.

BLG represented IMS Health with a team led by John Godber, <u>Neil Hazan</u>, Calvin Leung and Michael Neudorf, that included Geneviève Bergeron, <u>Eric Boehm</u>, Yingdi Wu (IP), <u>Dan Palayew</u>, Erin Durant (Employment), Eloise Gratton (Privacy), <u>Joe Takhmizdjian</u> (Tax), Linda Varjan, Gloria Di Girolamo and Susan Weichert (Paralegal), Jamison Young, Sara Lemieux (Real Estate).

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