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No RFID Chips in Obamacare but...

Last week I got two separate emails asking me about RFID chips in Obamacare associated with a medical device registry. The story going around cyberspace is that these data-filled radio frequency IDs will be implanted under our skin by next March.

Here’s what you need to know. There are no RFID chips in Obamacare. The cyber story is wrong, so if you get this kind of email, just click delete. But that said, four U.S. Senators have just introduced a bill to require unique IDs for medical devices, such as a pacemaker. It would allow tracking whenever a medical device is implanted in a patient.


Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act (consolidated with the Health Care and Education Reconciliation Act of 2010), Public Laws 111-148 and 111-152.


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