

Title IX

Gender Discrimination and Harassment

Title IX of the Education Amendment and OSU Policy prohibits discrimination in services or benefits offered by the University based on gender.

Sexual harassment is a form of gender discrimination and therefore prohibited under Title IX. Sexual harassment is defined as unwelcome sexual advances, requests for sexual favors, and other verbal or physical conduct of a sexual nature.

The following are examples of types of conduct that may constitute sexual harassment:

Inappropriate touching, patting, or pinching
Physical assault or coerced sexual activity
Demands for subtle pressure for sexual favors
Obscene phone calls, texts, emails, or gestures

Any person (student, faculty, staff or guest) who believes that discriminatory practices have been engaged in based upon gender may discuss their concerns and file informal or formal complaints of possible violations of Title IX with the OSU Title IX Coordinator or the OSU Director of Equal Opportunity.



Incidents may be reported to

Title IX Coordinator
408 Whitehurst
405-744-9153

Coordinator of Student Conduct
Education and Administration
328 Student Union
405-744-5470

Vice President for Student Affairs
201 Whitehurst
405-744-5328

Provost and Senior Vice President
101 Whitehurst
405-744-5627

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