

BYU TITLE IX OFFICE

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WHAT IS TITLE IX?

Title IX is a federal law that prevents sex discrimination at educational institutions.

Title IX is not just about sports; it is a prohibition against all sex-based discrimination. Title IX mandates that schools must be proactive in ensuring that their campuses are free of sex discrimination and have procedures in place to address complaints of sexual discrimination, harassment, or violence.

HOW DOES TITLE IX APPLY TO BYU?

Brigham Young University strives to provide an environment free from unlawful sex discrimination. To further this goal, the appointed Title IX Coordinator may receive complaints of unlawful sex discrimination affecting education programs on campus. Students, faculty, staff, administrative employees, or others participating in BYU's education programs and activities may report unlawful sex discrimination to the Title IX Coordinator.

DOES TITLE IX ONLY APPLY TO DISCRIMINATION AGAINST WOMEN?

Title IX equally protects the rights of both women and men from discrimination based on sex. Title IX requires that women and men receive fair and equitable treatment in all areas of education, and it applies to athletics as well as university programs.

HOW CAN I FILE A TITLE IX COMPLAINT?

Any faculty, staff, or student who believes that he or she has been subjected to discrimination on the basis of sex should discuss his or her concerns or file a complaint with BYU's Title IX Coordinator. Complaints may be made in person, in writing, online, or over the phone.

"No person in the United States shall, on the basis of sex, be excluded from participation in, be denied the benefits of, or be subjected to discrimination under an education program or activity receiving federal financial assistance."

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