



Campus Sexual Assault Victim's Bill of Rights

In accordance with the New York State "Enough is Enough" Legislation, D'Youville College has implemented the following bill of rights that shall be afforded to all victims of reported campus-related sexual assaults.

Students Bill Of Rights

All students have the right to:

1. Make a report to local law enforcement and/or state police;
2. Have disclosures of domestic violence, dating violence, stalking, and sexual assault treated seriously;
3. Make a decision about whether or not to disclose a crime or violation and participate in the judicial or conduct process and/or criminal justice process free from pressure by the institution;
4. Participate in a process that is fair, impartial, and provides adequate notice and a meaningful opportunity to be heard;
5. Be treated with dignity and to receive from the institution courteous, fair, and respectful health care and counseling services, where available;
6. Be free from any suggestion that the reporting individual is at fault when these crimes and violations are committed, or should have acted in a different manner to avoid such crimes or violations;
7. Describe the incident to as few institution representatives as practicable and not be required to unnecessarily repeat a description of the incident;
8. Be protected from retaliation by the institution, any student, the accused and/or the respondent, and/or their friends, family and acquaintances within the jurisdiction of the institution;
9. Access to at least one level of appeal of a determination;
10. Be accompanied by an advisor of choice who may assist and advise a reporting individual, accused, or respondent throughout the judicial or conduct process including during all meetings and hearings related to such process;
11. Exercise civil rights and practice of religion without interference by the investigative, criminal justice, or judicial or conduct process of the institution.

Reporting Sexual Misconduct

Any member of the D'Youville College community who believes he or she has been subjected to sexual misconduct is encouraged to report the incident and may request that an investigation be conducted. The college strongly encourages prompt reporting of sexual misconduct to a Title IX Coordinator. The report may be made by:

- a. A person covered by this policy who believes they experienced sexual misconduct; or
- b. A person who has information that sexual misconduct may have been committed by a person covered by this policy

Reports should be made to either of the two Title IX Coordinators:

- Deborah Owens is the Title IX Coordinator for purposes of reports of alleged sexual misconduct by **undergraduate or graduate students**.
She may be contacted at: (716) 829-8198, owensde@dyc.edu
- Linda Moretti is the Title IX Coordinator for purposes of reports of alleged sexual misconduct by employees (faculty, administrative, support staff or maintenance) or third parties.
She may be contacted at: (716) 829-7811, moretti@dyc.edu

Confidential Resources

There are confidential Resources at D'Youville College. **Discussing allegations of prohibited conduct with a Confidential Resource will not result in a report to the Title IX Coordinator.**

Confidential Resources include:

Personal Counseling Center

Campus Location: Marguerite Hall, 1st Floor
Phone: (716) 829-7819

Health Center

Campus Location: Marguerite Hall, 1st Floor
Phone: (716) 829-7672

Campus Ministry

Campus Location: Koessler Administration Building, Room 121
Phone: (716) 829-7672

Confidential Resource (off campus):

Crisis Services

Phone: (716) 834-3131

The complete D'Youville College Title IX Sexual Misconduct Policy can be located on the located on the college website at www.dyc.edu/titleix.aspx.