Office of Civil Rights & Title IX

a One University office

OCRTIX 5 Main Things



- Respond to reports of potential harassment, discrimination, and sexual misconduct.
- Assess and respond to impact from incidents and work to support people holistically.
- Support pregnant and parenting students
- Engage in outreach and education about our office and services.
- Oversee Clery compliance, which pertains to safety on campus.

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KUMC

- School of Nursing 4037
- Smith-West 1006

Lawrence

- Dole Human Development Center #1082
- Strong Hall 121

Edwards

Regnier Hall 270 M,N,P,Q

Mandatory Reporters

- Mandatory reporters are employees (including student employees) who have a special obligation to share information pertaining to harassment, discrimination, and sexual misconduct with the OCRTIX.
- Most everyone here is a mandatory reporter.

Exceptions:

- Health Care Providers (at the time of delivering care to patients)
 - Pastoral Advisors
 - Professional Counselors
 - Student Ombuds
 - Journalists
 - Legal Services/KU's General Counsel's Office
 - Some IRB research/climate studies

16 Protected Classes



 Mandatory reporters need to report potential incidents of harassment, discrimination, and sexual misconduct. This includes incidents regarding any of the 16 protected classes.

Examples:

- You overhear a M3 student say a peer was sexually assaulted last year.
- A staff member is denied accommodations because the supervisor believes people should be "at the top of their game".
- You hear an employee is giving international students "American names" because the names are "too hard to pronounce".
- You witness a peer treating people differently and you think it might be due to their sex.
- An employee is giving people without families (not marries/no children) more work/assigning them to weekends because they don't have a family that is impacted by after hours work.

After a Report



After submitting a report, the Intake team:

- Acknowledges the report to the reporting party.
- Contacts the person potentially experiencing harm.
- Invites them to a voluntary meeting (intake).
- Provides resources.
- Explores options.

Assess and respond to impact from incidents and work to support people holistically.

Various committees and groups focused on supporting people's health, wellness, and various protected classes.

- Policy development
- Building connections with others
- Education/training
- Hosting programs/events

Interested in participating?
Email us at:
Belonging-kumc@kumc.edu

Spencer Center
Location: Orr Major B020
South of the HEB across 39th St.
Open 24/7- Badge Access Required.

The mission of the Spencer Center is to foster a campus environment where traditions and reflection can be practiced freely.



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Some Odds and Ends

- We oversee Clery Compliance. If you see a crime on campus, please report that to campus police!
- We'd love to connect. We're always happy to present to units, classes, or programs.
- Visit our website for more information and resources. We have lots of handouts.
- To Report Discriminatory Acts or Harassment contact the Office of Civil Rights & Title IX, <u>civilrights@ku.edu.</u>
- To anonymously report suspected university violations or concerns: 844-420-9065

CONNECT:

- Socials: ku_belonging
- Website: https://civilrights.ku.edu/
- KUMC Events Calendar: http://www.kumc.edu/events-calendar.html
- Listserv If you'd like to be added, email us at belonging-kumc@kumc.edu

Questions or Concerns?

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