

Student Bill of Rights

This document outlines your rights according to the Pennsylvania *Sexual Violence Education at Institutions of Higher Education Act*, should you become a victim of sexual violence.

The school understands the trauma connected with being a victim of sexual violence and promises complete confidentiality with regards to any information you provide to a school administrator. We also promise that we will assist you in notifying any outside individuals or agencies if you so chose.

~You have the right to notify the following individuals or agencies if you are a victim of sexual violence:

- 1 – The Director of Education**
- 2 – Police department**
- 3 – Local law enforcement agencies**

~You have the right to request assistance from the school to make these notifications.

~You have the right to obtain an order of protection, no contact order, restraining order, or similar lawful orders issued by a criminal or civil court, or enforce an order already in existence.

~You have the right to request that prompt disciplinary proceeding be initiated against the accused.

~You have the right to be notified of the outcome of any disciplinary actions against the accused.

~You have the right to be notified of any options in changing your academic or campus living situation.

~You have the right to have others present during disciplinary proceedings or other related meetings.