Notification of Rights and Options

A victim of sex-based misconduct has a right to report (or not report) the incident to Illinois Eastern Community Colleges.

Reporting to IECC

IECC respects the sensitive nature of such complaints and the privacy of victims of sex-based misconduct but cannot guarantee complete confidentiality in meeting its responsibility to investigate and address the report. Any of the following IECC personnel can assist with internal reporting of an incident. They can also aid in notifying law enforcement, although it is the victim's choice whether to do so.

- A. Title IX Coordinator: Libby McVicker, Program Director of Grants & Compliance, 305 North West Street, Olney, IL 62450, 618-393-3491, mcvickero@iecc.edu
- B. Additional Non-Confidential Resources On-Campus:
 - IECC Administrators
 - Supervisors and Managerial Staff
 - Faculty
 - Athletic Coaches
 - Student Services and Student Affairs Staff including College & Career Specialists
 - Advisors (e.g., student club/organization advisors, academic advisors, career advisors, financial aid staff)
- C. IECC District Office, Human Resources Department (when an employee is involved): 618-393-2982, ext. 5521
- D. Electronic/Anonymous reporting: <u>Sexual Misconduct Title IX Complaint Form</u>

Responsive Procedures

Upon receipt of a report, the Title IX Coordinator will: analyze the information to determine the appropriate method for processing it; promptly contact the complainant to discuss the availability of supportive measures (with or without filing a formal complaint); and explain to the complainant the process for filing a formal complaint.

A victim may request, and IECC will evaluate, interim protective measures to address victim safety, including obtaining and enforcing a no-contact order or order of protection. IECC does not issue such orders, but victims can contact local law enforcement agencies to secure a no-contact order or order of protection.

Pursuant to Policy, IECC will investigate formal complaints of sex-based misconduct. A prompt, fair, and thorough investigation will be coordinated by the Title IX Coordinator. The victim/complainant and respondent(s) will be afforded the opportunity to present information and witnesses, and IECC will make a good faith effort to contact and interview any witnesses identified by the parties, including those no longer at IECC. IECC strictly prohibits retaliation against the complainant, respondent, or other witnesses.

Upon conclusion of the investigation, the Title IX or Deputy Title IX Coordinator will notify the victim/complainant of the determination and of any remedies offered or provided by IECC to the victim and any disciplinary sanctions on the respondent(s) that directly relate to the victim/complainant. A

victim/complainant and a student respondent may utilize the appeal process provided by Policy upon conclusion of the investigation.

Confidential Options for Reporting

The following confidential advisors have been identified to provide support to victims. These advisors are not required to report any information about an incident to the Title IX Coordinator without a victim's permission:

Prevail Illinois (formerly CAISA) (serving Lincoln Trail, Olney Central, and Wabash Valley)
Olney Office 618-879-2130
Robinson Office 618- 544-9379
After-Hours Crisis Hotline:
888-345-2846

SAFE (serving Frontier Community)

Mt. Vernon, IL Office 618-316-7017
After-Hours Crisis

Hotline: 800-625-1414

Additional Resources

The following local health, mental health, counseling, and advocacy services are available for victims. At a victim's request, IECC personnel identified above can assist victims in accessing these services.

o <u>Timely Care Virtual Health & Well-being platform for IECC Students</u>

o <u>IECC Employee Assistance Program</u> 855-775-4357

o <u>Illinois Coalition Against Sexual Assault</u> 217-753-4117

National Sexual Assault Hotline
 800-656-HOPE(4673)

National Domestic Violence Help Line
 877-TO END DV (877-863-6338)

The Illinois Coalition Against Domestic Violence
 217-789-2830

o Illinois Attorney General's Office 800-228-3368

o Illinois Department of Children and Family Services 800-25-ABUSE (800-252-2873)

o Illinois Crime Victims Bill of Rights 725 ILCS 120-1

Medical Services

Individuals may seek treatment for injuries, preventative treatment for sexually transmitted disease, and/or other health services by contacting one of the following health care providers:

Frontier Community College

Fairfield Memorial Hospital

33 N.W. 11th Street

Fairfield, IL 62837-2601 Phone: 618-842-2611

FMH has a transfer agreement with SSM Health Good Samaritan Hospital in Mt. Vernon.

Lincoln Trail College

Crawford Memorial Hospital*

1000 N. Allen Street Robinson, IL 62454 Phone: 618-544-3131

Provides sexual assault forensic examination and health care to pediatric, adolescent, and adult

survivors.

Olney Central College

Carle Richland Memorial Hospital

800 E. Locust Street Olney, IL 62450 Phone: 618-395-2131

CRMH has a transfer agreement with SSM St. Mary's in Centralia for adults and adolescent survivors

and SSM Good Samaritan in Mt. Vernon for all pediatric survivors.

Wabash Valley College

Wabash General Hospital 1418 College Drive Mt. Carmel, IL 62863 Phone: 618-262-8621

WGH has a transfer agreement with SSM Health Good Samaritan Hospital in Mt. Vernon.

*Indicates health care options which provide medical forensic services (rape kits) and/or Sexual Assault Nurse Examiners at no cost, pursuant to the *Sexual Assault Survivors Emergency Treatment Act* (410 ILCS 70).

Seeking medical treatment also serves to preserve physical evidence of sexual violence.

Off-campus health care providers will generally maintain confidentiality and not share information with IECC unless the reporting person requests the disclosure and signs a consent or waiver form. Note, however, that while these health care providers may maintain a reporting person's confidentiality visàvis IECC, they may have other reporting obligations under State law.

Law Enforcement Agencies

Fairfield Police 911 or 618-842-2151 for non-emergency

Wayne County Sheriff 618-842-6631

Robinson Police 911 or 618-544-2217 for non-emergency

Crawford County Sheriff 618-546-1515

Olney Police 911 or 618-395-8481 for non-emergency

Richland County Sheriff 618-395-7481

Mt Carmel Police 911 or 618-262-4114 for non-emergency

Wabash County Sheriff 618-262-4186

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