

SYLLABUS STATEMENT REGARDING SEXUALIZED VIOLENCE DISCLOSURES & CSU
INTERPRETATION OF TITLE IX

Policy on Personal Writing and Disclosures of Sexualized Violence

For non-composition classes:

In this class, the topic of sexualized violence will emerge in readings, films, and class discussions. Making personal connections with the topics studied can be a meaningful and important project, but please be aware of the following policy regarding confidentiality and disclosures of incidents of sexualized violence.

For composition classes:

In this class you will select your own writing topics. Please keep the following in mind as you develop new topics throughout the course of the semester:

- Consider all of your writing for this class as public. You are encouraged to write on topics that matter to you, and while this can elicit writing that is deeply personal, you must always be prepared to share your work with others.

For both composition and non-composition classes:

- In the event that you choose to write or speak about having survived sexualized violence, including rape, sexual assault, dating violence, domestic violence, or stalking **and specify that this violence occurred while you were an ECTC student**, federal and state education laws require that, as your instructor, I notify the Title IX Coordinator for the College. The Title IX Coordinator will contact you to let you know about accommodations and support services at ECTC and possibilities for holding accountable the person who harmed you.
- If you do not want the Title IX Coordinator notified, instead of disclosing this information to your instructor, you can speak confidentially with the following people on campus and in the community. They can connect you with support services and discuss options for holding the perpetrator accountable.

Crisis Intervention

Kentucky Association of Sexual Assault Programs

http://www.kasap.org/get_help.html

Kentucky Domestic Violence Association

<http://www.kdva.org/>

Clery Center referrals by state

<http://clerycenter.org/referrals-sexual-assault-and-rape-state>

AARDVARC

<http://www.aardvarc.org/rape/states/kyrp.shtml>

Womenshealth.gov

<http://womenshealth.gov/violence-against-women/get-help-for-violence/resources-by-state-violence-against-women.html>

Community Services

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| Silverleaf Sexual Trauma Recovery Services | 270-234-9236 |
| Springhaven, Inc. Domestic Violence Program | 270-769-1234 |
| Communicare | 859-336-7746 |
| Springhaven Domestic Violence Program | 859-336-9185 |
| CHFS (Welfare) | 859-336-3977 |
| The House of Hope | 859-336-0140 |
| St. Dominic Closet | 859-336-0379 |
| RelapsePrevention.Org | 1-855-786-7669 |
| Washington Co. Heartland Youth Coalition | 859-336-7669 |

**If it is determined that a perpetrator poses an imminent threat to the broader campus community or if person(s) under 18 years of age are involved, ECTC employees are required to notify the Title IX Coordinator.*