

## RESOLUTION SUPPORTING THE ADDITION OF INFORMATION REGARDING TITLE IX AND MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES ON STUDENT COURSE MATERIALS

1. WHEREAS the University of Cincinnati is making efforts to educate students and faculty on resources available to them, and specifically on Title IX and Mental Health services; and
2. WHEREAS sexual violence and mental health issues are significant public health and safety concerns, especially within a university setting such as the University of Cincinnati; and
3. WHEREAS Undergraduate Student Government has requested that information regarding Title IX and Psychological Services be provided for students on faculty-developed course materials, such as syllabi or learning management system sites;
4. THEREFORE be it resolved that the University of Cincinnati Faculty Senate recommends that faculty include information about Title IX and Mental Health services on course syllabi or learning management system sites.

### **Suggested Wording for Syllabi or Blackboard**

#### **Counseling Services, Clifton Campus**

Students have access to counseling and mental health care through the University Health Services (UHS), which can provide both psychotherapy and psychiatric services. In addition, Counseling and Psychological Services (CAPS) can provide professional counseling upon request; students may receive five free counseling sessions through CAPS without insurance. Students are encouraged to seek assistance for anxiety, depression, trauma/assault, adjustment to college life, interpersonal/relational difficulty, sexuality, family conflict, grief and loss, disordered eating and body image, alcohol and substance abuse, anger management, identity development and issues related to diversity, concerns associated with sexual orientation and spirituality concerns, as well as any other issue of concerns. After hours, students may call UHS at 513-556-2564 or CAPS Cares at 513-556-0648. For urgent physician consultation after-hours students may call 513-584-7777.

#### **Counseling Services, Blue Ash Campus**

UC Blue Ash Counseling Services provides high quality integrated health, counseling, and wellness services. **Mental Health and personal counseling services are free of charge to students who are matriculated as UC Blue Ash College students.** Services address student needs such as self esteem, family conflict, loss and grief issues, adjusting to life's challenges, relationship problems, eating disorders, physical and/or emotional abuse, and domestic violence. Students who want an initial meeting with a counselor can call (513) 745-5670 or stop by Room 140 Muntz Hall to schedule an appointment. If after hours, please call CAPS Cares (main campus) using the 24 Hour Phone Consultation Line at 513-556-0648.

## **Counseling Services, Clermont Campus**

The Compass Counseling Center provides students assistance in helping to deal with life's stressors and adjustment to college life. **All services provided to UC Clermont students are free and confidential.** Some of the most common issues addressed at the center include transition to college life, stress from home, classroom performance, depression, anxiety, relationship problems, grief and loss, and substance abuse. Students are welcome and encouraged to walk into the Compass Counseling Center located in the Student Services Building, Room 201. Students may contact the office by calling (513) 732-5263. If after hours, please call CAPS Cares (main campus) using the 24 Hour Phone Consultation Line at 513-556-0648.

### **Title IX**

Title IX is a federal civil rights law that prohibits discrimination on the basis of your actual or perceived sex, gender, gender identity, gender expression, or sexual orientation. Title IX also covers sexual violence, dating or domestic violence, and stalking. If you disclose a Title IX issue to me, I am required forward that information to the Title IX Office. They will follow up with you about how the University can take steps to address the impact on you and the community and make you aware of your rights and resources. Their priority is to make sure you are safe and successful here. You are not required to talk with the Title IX Office. If you would like to make a report of sex or gender-based discrimination, harassment or violence, or if you would like to know more about your rights and resources on campus, you can consult the website [www.uc.edu/titleix](http://www.uc.edu/titleix) or contact the office at 556-3349.