

College Policy Change Guide

Do you know what happens at your school if a student becomes pregnant? What are the rules? Are there policies that help her choose life or would the rules make her consider abortion? Follow this guide and you can help your school become more accommodating to pregnant and parenting students!

As we prepare for a Post-Roe America, we need to make sure every student is given support and life-affirming options from their school if they find out they're pregnant. Schools that receive federal funding must abide by Title IX, which makes discrimination against pregnant or parenting students illegal! Let's help schools support pregnant and parenting students with these three steps.

All public and private schools receiving any Federal funds must comply with Title IX, yet some private institutions have exemptions. Get to know your school administrators and available resources. Learn about their key policies to determine Title IX compliancy or exemption status.

SCHOOL ADMINISTRATORS

Title IX Coordinator

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- Residence Life Housing Director
- Dean of Students
- Financial Aid Director
- University Health Center



HOUSING POLICIES

- Pregnant Students Can Live in the Dorms
- Family Housing

FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE

- Grants for Pregnant & Parenting Students
- Scholarships for Pregnant & Parenting Students

ON-CAMPUS RESOURCES

- Maternity Parking
- On-Campus Childcare
- Lactation Rooms
- Diaper Decks

MEDICAL ATTENTION

- Referrals
- STD/STI Testing
- Pregnancy Testing
- 2 Use the above list to help you decide what needs to be changed. Highlight your top three and then narrow it down with your pro-life peers to one or two goals.
 - Contact your Regional Coordinator ([yourstate]@studentsforlife.org) and SFLA's National Supportive Services Director, Camille Cisneros (ccisneros@studentsforlife.org), to plan how you will leave a legacy at your school for pregnant and parenting students.

In September 2011, Students for Life of America launched the Pregnant on Campus (now Standing With You) Initiative as a national effort to encourage pro-life student groups to commit to pregnant and parenting student outreach. Visit StandingWithYou.org for more information.