Title IX

Campus Climate Survey on Sexual Assault and Sexual Misconduct

Bryant & Stratton College is committed to providing a safe, healthy, and secure environment for its students and associates. To assist the College with ensuring compliance with certain regulations tied to the federal Violence Against Women Act and New York State’s Enough is Enough legislation, the College conducted a survey of its students to help determine where improvements in communication and policies on issues related to sexual assault and related types of incidents can be made to provide continued assurance of safety for the campus communities.

Of the 115 students who responded to the survey, the vast majority are confident in the College’s response to a report of sexual violence. In addition, most respondents were very aware of the definition of sexual assault and what to do in response to such an event. Approximately 75% of respondents agree or strongly agree that they know how to report such an event or where to go on campus for information if something were to happen to them. There was a high level of awareness of the availability of most on-campus and off-campus resources. Over 80% of respondents were aware of the definition of affirmative consent prior to taking this survey.

Results also indicate that there is an opportunity for improvement in regard to identifying the role of the Title IX coordinator on campus. While survey respondents were generally aware of the law and resources available, results indicate that more outreach is needed to ensure students have an understanding of College policies and protections under Title IX.

In response to the outcomes of this year’s Campus Climate Survey, the College will assess opportunities to improve communication related to Title IX information.