**General Institution** 

## BP 3410 NONDISCRIMINATION

## **References:**

Education Code Sections 66250 et seq., 72010 et seq., and 87100 et seq.;

Penal Code Sections 422.55 et seq;

Government Code Sections 12926, 12926.1, and 12940 et seg.;

Title 5 Sections 53000 et seq. and 59300 et seq.;

ACCJC Accreditation Eligibility Requirement 20 and ACCJC Accreditation Standard Catalog

Requirements (formerly Accreditation Standard II.B.2.c)

The District is committed to equal opportunity in educational programs, employment, and all access to institutional programs and activities.

The District, and each individual who represents the District, shall provide access to its services, classes, and programs without regard to age, ancestry, color, religious creed (including religious dress and grooming practices), family and medical care leave, disability (mental and physical) including HIV and AIDS, marital status, medical condition (including cancer and genetic characteristics), genetic information, military and veteran status, national origin (including language use restrictions), race, sex (which includes pregnancy, childbirth, breastfeeding and medical conditions related to pregnancy, childbirth or breastfeeding), gender, gender identity and gender expression, sexual orientation, or because he/she is perceived to have one or more of the foregoing characteristics, or based on association with a person or group with one or more of these actual or perceived characteristics.

The Superintendent/President shall establish administrative procedures that ensure all members of the college community can present complaints regarding alleged violations of this policy and have their complaints heard in accordance with the Title 5 regulations and those of other agencies that administer state and federal laws regarding nondiscrimination.

No District funds shall ever be used for membership, or for any participation involving financial payment or contribution on behalf of the District or any individual employed by or associated with it, to any private organization whose membership practices are discriminatory on the basis of age, ancestry, color, religious creed (including religious dress and grooming practices), family and medical care leave, disability (mental and physical) including HIV and AIDS, marital status, medical condition (including cancer and genetic characteristics), genetic information, military and veteran status, national origin (including language use restrictions), race, sex (which includes pregnancy, childbirth, breastfeeding and medical conditions related to pregnancy, childbirth or breastfeeding), gender, gender identity and gender expression, sexual orientation, or because he or she is perceived to have one or more of the foregoing characteristics, or because of his/her association with a person or group with one or more of these actual or perceived characteristics.

Also see: AP 3410 Nondiscrimination

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