



Declaration Regarding Sexual Violence

Pursuant to [NCAA Policy on Campus Sexual Violence](#), revised April 27, 2021, student-athletes must disclose, annually, whether they were disciplined through a Title IX proceeding or have a criminal conviction for sexual, interpersonal, or other acts of violence, and transfer student-athletes must also disclose whether a Title IX proceeding was incomplete at the time of transfer.

Please complete this form in its entirety. By NCAA policy, a student who does not complete this form is ineligible to participate in any athletic related events for Vanguard University.

Student's Legal Name: _____

Student's Preferred Name (*if different than above*): _____

Student ID: _____ Birth date: _____ Date: _____

1. **Were you disciplined through a Title IX proceeding or have a criminal conviction for sexual, interpersonal, or other acts of violence?**

"Interpersonal Violence: Violence that is predominantly caused due to the relationship between the victim and the perpetrator, including dating and domestic violence.

Sexual Violence: A term used to include both forcible and nonforcible sex offenses, ranging from sexual battery to rape.

Other Acts of Violence: Crimes including murder, manslaughter, aggravated assault, or any assault that employs the use of a deadly weapon or causes serious bodily injury."

____ Yes

____ No

2. **If you are a transfer student-athlete, please identify the name and location of the college you are transferring from, and your student identification number for that institution (*skip this prompt if you are not a transfer student-athlete*):**

College Name: _____ Location: _____

Student ID at prior institution: _____ Dates attended: _____

3. **At the time you transferred to Vanguard University, was there an incomplete Title IX proceeding (pending investigation or discipline) against you? (*Skip this question if you are not a transfer student-athlete*.)**

____ Yes

____ No

4. If you responded "yes" to questions 1 or 3, please explain the circumstances and identify the name and location of the high school or college.

High School/College Name: _____ Location: _____

Dates attended: _____

Declaration and Authorization to Release Information

Under the guidelines specified in Federal Regulation part 99.30 of the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act of 1974 (FERPA), I, (student name) _____, hereby certify and declare that the information above is true, complete, and accurate to the best of my knowledge. I understand failure to make a full and accurate disclosure could result in penalties, including loss of eligibility to participate in athletics and receive athletically related aid as determined by Vanguard University.

By my signature below, I certify that I provided accurate information about my former high school or college, and I authorize my former high school or college to disclose to the Vanguard University Title IX Office, information, if any, regarding my conduct that resulted in discipline through a Title IX proceeding or in a criminal conviction for sexual, interpersonal, or other acts of violence, and/or incomplete Title IX proceedings at the time I transferred. I agree to execute any additional forms required by my former high school or college to release such information to the Vanguard University Title IX Office, and by my signature, I hereby release all current and former educational institutions from any and all claims and liability arising from the disclosure of the information described in this paragraph.

I further authorize the Vanguard University Title IX Office, to contact my former high school or college to verify the information I have furnished.

I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing is true and correct.

Student signature: _____ Date: _____

To be completed by former institutions the student attended in past five years:

***Note:** This section must be completed by a school/college/university official, preferably the Title IX Coordinator, with access to student's disciplinary records. If the institution has a policy that prevents it from responding, or the institution otherwise seeks to discuss this request, please contact Angela Bennett, Title IX Coordinator, at angela.bennett@vanguard.edu.*

Institution Name: _____

Institution Official's Name and Title: _____

Email: _____

Phone: _____

Questions:

	Yes	No
<i>If yes to any of the following, please provide further documentation.</i>		
1. Has the student ever been found responsible in a Title IX or related disciplinary proceeding for sexual, interpersonal, or other acts of violence?		
2. Has the student ever been criminally convicted for sexual, interpersonal, or other acts of violence?		
3. Did the student have a Title IX or related disciplinary proceeding pending for sexual, interpersonal, or other acts of violence when the student left the institution?		

Institution Official's Signature: _____

Date: _____