Ocean County College prohibits unlawful discrimination and harassment in any form. All vocational opportunities are accessible without regard to race, color, national origin, sex, or handicap. The Board of Trustees is committed to maintaining compliance with the following laws:

- New Jersey Law Against Discrimination - N.J.S.A. 10:5-1 et seq.
- New Jersey State Wage and Hour Law - N.J.S.A. 34:11-56a et seq.
- Title VI Civil Rights Act of 1964 - 42 U.S.C. 2000d
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- Executive Order 11246 - 30 Fed. Reg. 12319
- Title IX Higher Education Act of 1965 (as amended by the Education Amendments of 1972, Title IX), 20 U.S.C. 1681-1686

The Board of Trustees is also committed to maintaining compliance with any modification of existing anti-discrimination laws or new anti-discrimination laws which apply to Ocean County College.

Any member of the college community or the public who has a Title IX concern, ADA or Section 504 accessibility concern or an ADA related complaint may contact the appropriate Vice President at Ocean County College, PO Box 2001, Toms River, NJ 08754, (732) 255-0400

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PROCEDURE

1. Any student who believes he/she has suffered harm by violation of Policy #2420 shall file a written complaint with the Vice President of Student Affairs as soon as possible but not later than ninety (90) calendar days following knowledge of the event(s) giving rise to the complaint. The Vice President of Student Affairs shall conduct a thorough investigation of the complaint and take action and/or make an appropriate recommendation to the President.

2. Any employee who believes he/she has suffered harm by violation of Policy #2420 and who is covered by a Labor Agreement, shall file a grievance in accordance with the grievance procedure of his/her Agreement.

3. Any employee who believes he/she has suffered harm by violation of Policy #2420 and is not covered by a Labor Agreement, shall file a grievance in accordance with Board Policy/Procedure #3316.

4. All sexual harassment discrimination complaints shall be filed in accordance with Board Policy/Procedure #2410.

5. All discrimination complaints and grievances shall be classified as "confidential" and shall be handled with the utmost discretion.

6. Title IX Concerns and Section 504/ADA Accessibility Concerns: Any member of the college community or the public who has a Title IX concern, ADA or Section 504 accessibility concern or an ADA related complaint may contact the appropriate Vice President at Ocean County College, PO Box 2001, Toms River, NJ 08754, (732) 255-0400

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