

Mutual No Contact Agreement Expectations

A Mutual No Contact Agreement provides supportive measures to minimize any future adverse impact on the parties in the case. Per your agreement, both parties (Complainant and Respondent) must adhere to these expectations.

This means that neither party involved in this case may have any contact with the other, directly, or indirectly, in person or through another party, by telephone, written communication, e-mail, social media, direct messaging, websites, or by any other means. This applies on campus, in the local vicinity (i.e., areas adjacent to campus), and University sponsored events. If you need to communicate with the other party at any time, you may do so only through the Title IX Office or an authorized third party.

Furthermore, you must make a concerted effort to avoid any close proximity to the other party, as follows:

- In areas where you are not required to be present, the one who arrives first can stay in the location, and the other party must leave.
- In areas where you are both required to be present, you must avoid being near one another to the greatest, reasonable extent possible. This situation includes on-campus spaces such as the library, dining facilities, recreational areas, etc.
- You may not be present in areas where their presence is required, and yours is not.
- They may not be present in areas where your presence is required, and theirs is not.

In the case of certain community events held in large venues (e.g., sporting events) where significant distance can be maintained, you may both attend, provided that you avoid close proximity.

You must choose an alternate route to avoid intentionally making contact if you happen upon the other party accidentally or see them from a distance on or off campus. In addition, you should not focus on the other party by staring, gesturing, or other similar actions.

This Mutual No Contact Agreement will remain in effect until you are informed it has been modified or revoked. Should circumstances change in a way that you believe impacts this Agreement, contact the IX Office so consideration can be given to adjusting the terms.