

PCHE Title IX Training July 21 and 23, 2020



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As you know, recently published Title IX federal regulations contain specific new educational training requirements for all individuals involved in a university's Title IX process (the "TIX Team"). The regulations become effective August 14, 2020, and many member institutions have been grappling with how to ensure that their Title IX Teams are ready. After gathering feedback from our member institutions, PCHE is pleased to offer a Title IX training opportunity for Title IX Teams at PCHE and regional schools. The program is designed to aid in preventing and responding to sexual misconduct, ensuring fair, equitable and non-discriminatory processes, and complying with the new regulations, as well as federal and state law. It is scheduled for two partial day sessions, on July 21 and 23, 2020. There is an additional pre-training that fulfills the Title IX review requirement. The cost will be based on the number of participants and anticipated to being less than \$175.00 per trainee.

PCHE has engaged Pam Connelly, a Shareholder at Strassburger McKenna Gutnick & Gefsky, to design and deliver the program in conjunction with PAAR and other local experts. Many of you know Pam, but for those who do not, she is an experienced civil litigator, Title IX specialist, employment lawyer, and an education lawyer with the unique experience of having served at a university as an executive administrator and in-house litigation counsel for nearly 18 years. Pam has deep experience with Title IX, as well as with issues of due process, free speech, and the creation of policies, systems and practices that are compliant and mission driven. She is also an Anti-Defamation League certified anti-bias facilitator.