Minnesota Office of Higher Education Sexual Assault Data Reporting

Minn. Stat. § 135A.15, subd. 6 requires postsecondary institutions to annually report statistics on sexual assault to the Office of Higher Education. The Office of Higher Education is responsible for calculating state totals and republishing institutional reports in a manner consistent with state and federal laws on student and data privacy.

Minn. Stat. § 13.322 (privacy of sexual assault data) and 626.891 (law enforcement cooperation) were also amended by the 2015 legislation on Campus Sexual Assault.

An electronic version of the data reporting manual can be retrieved from http://www.ohe.state.mn.us/pdf/SexualAssaultDataRptManual.pdf.

The Office of Higher Education's policy for complying with federal and state laws governing access to student records is to suppress student data (other than directory information) in cells for which there are fewer than 10 students.

Augsburg University Reported Data for 2017 (2018 Report)

- 1. The number of incidents of sexual assault reported to the institution during the prior calendar year within the scope defined (total incidents) fewer than 10
- 2. Of those in #1, the number that were investigated by the institution to determine whether the institution's policy was violated fewer than 10
- 3. Of those in #2, the number that were referred for a disciplinary process at the institution fewer than 10
- 4. The number of total incidents (category 1) in which the alleged victim chose to report to local or state law enforcement, to the extent that the institution is aware fewer than 10
- 5. The number for which a campus disciplinary process is pending, but has not reached a final resolution as of August 1, 2016 fewer than 10
- 6. The number in which the respondent(s) was/were found responsible for sexual assault by the disciplinary process at the institution fewer than 10
- 7. The number that resulted in any action by the institution greater than a warning issued to the respondent fewer than 10
- 8. The number that resulted in a disciplinary process at the institution that closed without resolution fewer than 10
- 9. Of those in #8, the number that resulted in a disciplinary process at the institution that closed without resolution because the respondent withdrew from the institution fewer than 10
- 10. Of those in #8, the number that resulted in a disciplinary process at the institution that closed without resolution because the alleged victim chose not to participate in the process fewer than 10
- 11. The number of reports made through the online reporting system established in Minn. Stat. § 135A.15, subd. 5, excluding reports submitted anonymously fewer than 10