Policy Title
Equal Educational Opportunity and Anti-Discrimination

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UofSCSOMG – STAF – 2.00

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LCME Standards
3.4 – Anti-Discrimination Policy
3.6 – Student Mistreatment
10.6 – Content of Informational Materials

Scope
University of South Carolina (UofSC) School of Medicine Greenville students

Policy Statement
The UofSC School of Medicine Greenville does not discriminate in educational opportunities for qualified persons on the basis of race, ethnicity, religion, creed, sex, gender identity, national origin, age, disability, sexual orientation, pregnancy, child birth or related medical condition or veteran status.

Reason for Policy
To provide UofSC School of Medicine Greenville students clarity on equal educational opportunity and student anti-discrimination.

Procedures
The University of South Carolina has designated as the ADA Title II, Section 504, and Title IX coordinator the Executive Assistant to the President for Equal Opportunity Programs. The Office of the Executive Assistant to the President for Equal Opportunity Programs is located at 1600 Hampton Street, Suite 805, Columbia, SC; telephone 803-777-3854.

UofSC School of Medicine Greenville students having a complaint of discrimination should notify the Ombudsman (Kevin Kopera MD: 864-455-3754) or the Director of Multicultural Affairs, UofSC School of Medicine Greenville (Melinda Gillispie: 864-455-7778)

Sanctions
Any student who does not comply with the UofSC School of Medicine Greenville and the University of South
Carolina guidelines related to the Equal Opportunity and Anti-discrimination Policy will be subject to disciplinary action which may include, but is not limited to, oral or written warnings and reprimand up to and including expulsion.

**Additional Contacts**
Office for Student Affairs and Admissions
Ombudsman
Director of Multicultural Affairs, UofSC School of Medicine Greenville

UofSC Equal Opportunity Programs

**Related Information**
UofSC School of Medicine Greenville Student Handbook
UofSCSOMG – STAF 6.01 – Student Mistreatment
UofSC – EOP 1.01 Equal Opportunity Complaint Processing Procedures

**History**

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