DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

Campus Sexual Assault Convening
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Ivy Tech Community College
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1. What exists in current federal and/or state policy that prevents universities from better addressing the issue of on-campus sexual violence?

2. What types of online or in-person educational programming and training are being conducted for students on this issue, and how effective are the programs?

3. How could federal and/or state policy changes improve your institution’s current process for investigating, reporting, and adjudicating claims of sexual violence?

4. How do the federal reporting requirements (in Clery, VAWA, Title IX, etc.) create challenges to your efforts to better educate and protect students?

5. For institutions that currently conduct campus climate surveys, what value have you seen in them? What changes have you made to institutional policy in response to the findings? Have your surveys revealed the development of a “party culture” at your institution?

6. Has your institution observed (or have instances been reported to your institution) the use of in-person or online bullying or intimidation aimed at preventing a victim from coming forward to report instances of sexual violence?