



## SUNY Orange Policies and Procedures

Policy Number	Policy Title
<b>BP2.33</b>	<b>Campus Climate Assessment</b>

Climate assessments afford institutions the opportunity to better understand their campus and to make informed decisions when it comes to providing a safe educational environment. In accordance with New York State Education Law Article 129-B and the State University of New York's uniform sexual assault and prevention guidelines, SUNY Orange will conduct a uniform climate survey on an annual basis to ascertain general awareness and knowledge of the student experience with and knowledge of reporting and college adjudicatory processes, which shall be developed using standard and commonly recognized research methods. The survey will include questions covering, but not be limited to, the following:

- the Title IX Coordinator's role
- College policies and procedures addressing sexual assault
- how and where to report domestic violence, dating violence, stalking or sexual assault as a victim, survivor or witness
- the availability of resources on and off campus, such as counseling, health and academic assistance
- the prevalence of victimization and perpetration of domestic violence, dating violence, stalking, or sexual assault on and off campus during a set time period
- bystander attitudes and behavior
- whether reporting individuals disclosed to the institution and/or law enforcement, experiences with reporting and institution processes, and reasons why they did or did not report
- the general awareness of the difference, if any, between the institution's policies and the penal law
- general awareness of the definition of affirmative consent.

The College will take appropriate steps to ensure that responses to the survey remain anonymous and that no individual is identified. The College will publish results of the surveys on its website provided that no personally identifiable information or information which can reasonably lead a reader to identify an individual shall be shared.

The Board of Trustees directs the President to develop such procedures as to fairly implement this policy.

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