

## **SECTION I. GENDER-BASED HARASSMENT, SEXUAL MISCONDUCT, DISCRIMINATION, AND TITLE IX**

Texas Tech University (TTU) has established policies and grievance procedures providing for prompt and equitable resolution of student complaints of discrimination and harassment, including sexual harassment, sexual violence, and other forms of sexual misconduct. In the event a student believes their rights under Title IX or other laws have been violated, TTU Operating Policies 40.02 and 40.03 (<https://www.depts.ttu.edu/opmanual/OP40.02.pdf>), TTU System Regulation 07.10, S 07.06A, and 07.06B. (<http://www.depts.ttu.edu/opmanual/OP40.03.pdf>) set forth procedures for filing, investigating, and resolving complaints of harassment and discrimination. Additional information regarding gender-based harassment, sexual misconduct, discrimination, and re can be found at [titleix.ttu.edu](http://titleix.ttu.edu). Further information and definitions may be found in Section D: Title IX Procedures for Students, Section C. anti-Discrimination Policy, and Appendix A.

## **SECTION J: STUDENT HOUSING REQUIREMENTS**

### **1. Student Housing Information**

- a. University Student Housing (USH) is located on the west side of the Wiggins Complex next to the Hospitality Services.
- b. USH contact information: Phone: (806) 742-2661, Email: [housing@ttu.edu](mailto:housing@ttu.edu), Website: [housing.ttu.edu](http://housing.ttu.edu).
- c. Hospitality Service contact information: Phone: (806) 742- 1360, Email: [hospitality@ttu.edu](mailto:hospitality@ttu.edu), Website: [hospitality.ttu.edu](http://hospitality.ttu.edu).

### **2. First Year On-Campus Requirement**

- a. In support of the Strategic Plan of Texas Tech University, the university requires enrolled first-year students to live in the university residence halls. Institutional research suggests that students who live on campus are significantly more inclined to remain in college and achieve higher GPAs in comparison to students living off campus.
- b. The On-Campus Residence Requirement applies to students enrolled in more than six hours for the fall and spring semesters, and/or enrolled for three hours per summer session.
- c. Compliance with the university housing policy is a condition of enrollment, as set forth in the Student Catalog approved by the Board of Regents and Operating Policy 30.25. Failure to comply with the On-Campus Residence Requirement will result in the student being placed in a “Non-Compliance Status” and charged for all applicable Housing and Dining Plan fees.
- d. It is the responsibility of the student to update any incorrect information regarding place of residence with the Office of the Registrar.
- e. On-campus housing for married couples or individuals with children is not provided.
- f. Registered sex offenders and students convicted of any felony are not permitted to live in university-owned housing. The information submitted is subject to verification.

### **3. On-Campus Residence Exemption Process**

- a. Subject to verification and authorization by the university, students may be eligible to live off campus provided any one of the 11 exemption categories listed below is satisfied: