

Series 3000: Operations, Finance, and Property

3100 General Operations

3115D Informal Resolution

In lieu of resolving a Complaint through the Grievance Procedure, and if offered by the District, the Parties may ~~instead~~ elect to participate in an informal resolution process. ~~If the Complaint involves Title IX Sexual Harassment, the information-informal resolution process in Policy 3118 applies. Policy 3118 Section F, "Grievance Process," Subsection 3 applies. "Informal Resolution," describes the informal resolution process under Title IX. This process~~ Informal resolution is not available to resolve a Complaint that includes allegations that an employee engaged in sex-based harassment of a student, or when such a process would conflict with Federal, State, or local law.

Informal resolution does not require a full investigation and may encompass a broad range of conflict resolution strategies, including, but not limited to, arbitration, mediation, or restorative justice.

Legal authority: [34 CFR 106.44](#); [20 USC 1400 et seq., 1681 et seq.; 29 USC 206 et seq., 621 et seq., 701 et seq., 794, 2601 et seq., 6101 et seq.; 38 USC 4301 et seq.; 42 USC 1983, 2000d et seq., 2000e et seq., 2000ff et seq., 6101 et seq., 12101 et seq.; 29 CFR 1604.1 et seq., 1635; 34 CFR 106.1, et seq.; MCL 37.1101 et seq., 37.2101 et seq.](#)

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