



From the Desk of Representative Annessa Hartman - HD 40

## Please Support HB 3456!

HB 3456 is a comprehensive approach aimed at preventing campus sexual violence, promoting institutional transparency, and increasing support for student survivors.

### HB 3456 does four things:

1. Requires that each institution of higher education have an amnesty policy for survivors and witnesses.
2. Ensures that each IHE enters into a Memoranda of Understanding with a community-based domestic and sexual violence advocacy agency to collaborate and provide an accessible, off-campus alternative where students and employees can receive free and confidential medical, counseling, and advocacy services.
3. Requires institutions to administer anonymous campus climate surveys bi-annually to ensure transparent, public data, identify impacted demographics, tailor solutions to their campus communities, and test the effectiveness of prevention programs.
4. Provides students access to certified advocates who confidentially aid survivors in navigating the complex process of accessing resources and understanding their rights and options.

HB 3456 aims to tackle sexual violence and harassment in higher education institutions by mandating uniform campus climate surveys at all institutions, requiring institutions to create memoranda of understanding with community-based domestic and sexual violence advocacy agencies, and implementing amnesty policies for honor code violations against students who report or witness sexual misconduct investigations.

Please vote "yes" on HB 3456.



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