



BOWLING GREEN STATE UNIVERSITY

Fraternity and Sorority Life
Division of Student Affairs

ANTI-HAZING POLICY COMPLIANCE

I have read and fully understand the following Bowling Green State University Anti-Hazing Policy:

Ohio Hazing Law

As used in this section, "hazing" means doing any act or coercing another, including the victim, to do any act of initiation into any student or other organization that causes or creates a substantial risk of causing mental or physical harm to any person.

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Any action or activity, regardless of location, intent, or willingness of the participant, which:

- does not contribute to the positive development of a person;
inflicts or causes physical or mental harm or anxieties;
demeans, degrades, disgraces, harasses or ridicules a person;
intentionally or unintentionally endangers a student's admission to or affiliation with any student organization;

Hazing can occur on-campus or off-campus and to both new members/neophytes and active members.

To report hazing anonymously, call the BGSU Hazing Hotline 24 hours/day at 419-372-HAZE (4293). You will not be asked to identify yourself at anytime.

Hazing Agreement

By signing this form, I agree to the following:

- We have read AND understand BGSU's Hazing Policy.
We have read and understand the State of Ohio Hazing law.
We have read and understand our (Inter)National Hazing Policy.
We verify that this policy will be read to our chapter.
We verify that all new members/neophytes will receive a copy of this policy.
We verify that all activities sponsored or required by our chapter, in whole or part, comply with this policy.
Failure of my organization to uphold this policy, in whole or part, will result in the referral of my organization and any individual members involved for discipline to the Dean of Students office and our governing council judicial board.
Furthermore, if a hazing incident occurs, the president and new member educator/intake coordinator may be referred to the Dean of Students office for supplying false information to a University Official (if they knew of the hazing incident and did not take steps to stop it).

I agree to release of my information as described above. I also agree to comply with the hazing policy and report any hazing of which I am aware to either the Office of the Dean of Students, Fraternity and Sorority Life at _____ or through the BGSU Hazing Hotline at 419-372-HAZE(4293). Furthermore, I understand that failure to report any incident(s) of hazing may result in disciplinary action up to and including suspension from the University for the Chapter and/or individuals involved.

Student's Name (print) Student's Signature BGSU ID# Date
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ANTI-HAZING COMMITMENT

Fraternity/Sorority Chapter Name: _____

New Member Education Dates: _____ through _____
(beginning date/interest mtg date) (end date/initiation date/coming out date)

In consideration of official recognition by the Bowling Green State University, the chapter fully understands and agrees to the following:

_____ (Initials) Hazing is not tolerated in any form—as part of the new member program or as acts of individual members of the chapter.

_____ (Initials) The chapter and its officers, members, and new members agree to fully cooperate in investigations of hazing allegations by the University, law enforcement, or both.

_____ (Initials) The chapter expressly consents to the entry into its chapter house [including into all common areas, basements, hallways, or any room in which a meeting is taking place] by University officials when the University has information to reasonably believe that hazing is occurring. If entry into the chapter house becomes necessary, a reasonable attempt will be made to first notify the chapter president.

_____ (Initials) The new member program (recruitment/pledge program/new member class/membership intake process) is to be no longer than 10 weeks.

_____ (Initials) All activities must be completed two (2) weeks before last day of classes.

_____ (Initials) All new member activities must be alcohol free. This includes induction, initiation, and Big/Little events.

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Chapter President (print)

Chapter President's signature Date

New Mem. Educator/Mem. Intake Chair (print)

New Mem./Intake Chair Signature Date

Chapter Advisor (print)

Chapter Advisor's signature Date