## **BEHAVIOR POLICY FOR ATHLETICS**

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## **Bullying and Hazing**

The University recognizes bullying and hazing as unacceptable behavior and will not tolerate it.

Bullying generally refers to any form of physical, verbal, demonstrative, or electronic harassment that one should reasonably expect would demean, threaten, or physically or emotionally hurt its victims or others. Examples of conduct that may constitute prohibited bullying include, but are not limited to: (i) threatening another with physical harm; (ii) pushing, elbowing, poking, tripping, sitting on, kicking, or hitting; (iii) d

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Sexual violence refers to physical contact with a sexual or intimate part of the body without consent. It includes various forms of sexual intercourse (e/g), rape, incest, statutory rape) as well as other forms of sexual touching (e.g., fondling).

## Violations of this Policy

In addition to the reporting procedures and guidelines set forth in the other applicable policies referenced above, violations of this Policy may be reported by the victim, or anyone else who has knowledge of the violation, to the University Director of Athletics, who then in turn will the Office of the General Counsel and other University officials (as appropriate).

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