

TO: USF Students, Faculty, Staff, and Community

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SUBJECT: **Upcoming Update to Title IX Responsible Employee Training**

Due to recent executive orders redefining how sex discrimination is interpreted under federal law, the university's **Title IX Responsible Employee training** will be updated to reflect these changes. This update will go into effect on **February 12, 2025**.

What does this mean for you?

- If you are currently completing the training, you must **finish it by February 11, 2025**, or your progress will be lost when the new version goes live.
- The updated training will align with the latest federal guidance on Title IX compliance.
 - If you already completed training recently (within the past 11 months) you can disregard this announcement. There is nothing you need to do. Your training is good for one year.
- We appreciate your patience as we ensure our training remains in compliance with federal requirements. If you have any questions, please contact USF's Title IX Coordinator, Maggie Denney, at denney1@usf.edu