

2020-2021 Equity in Athletics Report

Los Angeles Valley College

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Introduction

In 1972, Title IX of the Educational Amendments, the Sex Equity in Education Act, and Government Section Code 11135 became Federal Law. The adoption of Title IX facilitated tremendous growth in women's athletics participation during the 1970's. By 1978 the number of female high school student-athletes had grown from 300,000 to more than two million. Similarly, women's collegiate sports participation doubled from 33,000 participants in 1971 to more than 64,000 in 1977. In the landmark 1992 Supreme Court decision *Franklin vs Gwinnet*, plaintiffs were allowed to recover monetary damages and attorney fees in Title IX cases.

In January of 1994, California Community College Chancellor's and Presidents received a memo from the Chancellor's Office concerning gender equity in intercollegiate athletics. The purpose of the memorandum was to inform all community colleges of actions taken by the Office of Civil Rights to ensure compliance with Title IX and to inform them of recent developments in the law relating to gender equity. The Chancellor's Office recommended that colleges review their programs for compliance with applicable law and take steps to correct any inequities.

Data collected in this survey is published by the Office of Postsecondary Education on the Equity in Athletics Data Analysis website located at <http://ope.ed.gov/athletics>. In addition, the data collected in this survey is provided by institutions in accordance with the EADA and may not be the same as data used for determining compliance with other Federal or state laws, including Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972.

The self-study includes the program areas delineated in the Office of Civil Rights Policy Interpretations Section 106.41 (c).

The Los Angeles Valley College Intercollegiate Athletic Department offers a comprehensive program with a variety of sports for both men and women. The Monarchs men's team compete in water polo, baseball, basketball, football, and swimming and diving. The women's teams compete in water polo, basketball, soccer, softball, swimming and diving. Los Angeles Valley College is a member of the Western State Conference (WSC). The college is an active member of the California Community College athletics Association (CCCAA).

Due to the world-wide COVID-19 pandemic Los Angeles Valley College did not compete in any intercollegiate athletic competitions during the 2020-2021 academic year.

Athletically Related Student Aid

Los Angeles Valley College does not provide athletically related student aid to any of its student-athletes pursuant to the CCCAA Constitution and Bylaws.

Recruiting Expenses

Los Angeles Valley College did not provide recruiting expenses to any of its coaches or staff during the 2020-2021 academic year.

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