TITLE IX PROTECTION

As a pregnant student, you are protected under Title IX. To learn more about your rights, visit this website:
http://www.ucpublicschools.org/federalprograms/titleIX/

If you feel you are being discriminated against and not being accommodated by a professor simply because you are pregnant, you could report him/her.

If professors, administrators or assistants are non-compliant you must seek advice from the university's Title IX officer and/or file a complaint.

***Contact Jan Parten***
jparten@csufresno.edu
(559) 278-2364

STRESSED?
Support Net is an on-campus program which can be very beneficial to pregnant women and new parents, in that it offers services such as:

- Academic coaching
- Learning style assessment
- Develop study skills
- Time management techniques
- Setting realistic goals

SupportNet is located in the basement of the Henry Madden Library. Their phone number is 559.278.8370 or you could email them at supportnet@csufresno.edu

Off-Campus Childcare Options

CalWORKs
Fairgrounds Intake Building
4468 E. Kings Canyon Road Fresno, CA 93702
(559) 454-5402
www.co.fresno.ca.us

Supportive Services
2491 W Shaw Ave Ste 105, Fresno, CA 93711
(559) 230-2030
www.ssifresno.org

Professional Association for Childhood Education
Alternative Payment Program (PACEAPP)
1-800-541-9922
www.paceapp.org

Early Head Start
1920 Mariposa Mall Suite 130 Fresno, CA 93721
559.263.1550
www.fresnooecc.org

Head Start
1920 Mariposa Mall, Suite 200 Fresno, CA 93721
559.263.1200

School Age Child Care
1900 Mariposa Mall, Suite 119 Fresno, CA 93721
559.263.1015

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PREGNANT & PARENTING STUDENTS

KNOW YOUR RIGHTS

Are you a pregnant student at Fresno State? Or a parent of a newborn or infant? You are not alone. This pamphlet will provide you with the options you have as a pregnant student and/or new parent. You will learn about the services provided by the university, your legal rights as a pregnant woman and new parent, as well counseling and ways to deal with this new stress.
On-Campus Resources

Joyce Huggins Early Education Center

The Early Education Center (EEC) on campus offers students an excellent day care program for their children. Student-parents unable to afford day care may apply for assistance through the campus Financial Aid Office. If eligible for aid, the student-parent will receive subsidies from the state to help cover EEC tuition. Funds are limited and a qualified student-parent may have to wait up to a year or more to receive funds.

(559) 278-0225
http://www.csufresno.edu/ksoehd/centers/joyce_huggins.shtml

Transportation

If it is difficult for you to get around campus during your pregnancy, sign up with the Scout Program which works with the Students with Disabilities.

http://www.csufresno.edu/police/transportation/escorts/scout.shtml

Also visit the Services for Students with Disabilities webpage to see if you qualify for further accommodations.

http://www.csufresno.edu/police/transportation/escorts/scout.shtml

Breastfeeding Friendly Area in the Women's Resource Center

The Women's Resource Center is located in Room 110 in the Thomas Administration Building.

(559) 278-4435
http://www.csufresno.edu/wrc/

Check Out the Health Center

They provide numerous services such as:
~ Pregnancy testing
~ Contraceptive methods
~ Annual exams including Pap smears
~ Diagnosis and treatment of infections
~ Medical staff to discuss topics with you

**Contact info (559) 278-2734**
http://www.csufresno.edu/health/

Off-Campus Resources

Government Programs

Women, Infants, and Children (WIC)

To safeguard the health of low-income women, infants, and children up to age 5 who are at nutrition risk by providing nutritious foods to supplement diets, information on healthy eating, and referrals to health care.

1920 Mariposa Mall, Fresno, CA 93721
(559) 263-1150
www.fns.usda.gov/wic/a

Heritage Center

Medi-Cal is a State program, patterned after the Federal Medicaid program, designed to provide no-cost or low-cost medical benefits to low-income families.

CalFresh provides monthly benefits to help low-income households to purchase the food they need. To learn more and to apply for benefits, visit www.benefitscawin.org.

3151 N. Millbrook Fresno, CA 93703
(559) 455-4998
www.co.fresno.ca.us

Healthy Families Program

Healthy Families is low cost insurance that provides health, dental and vision coverage to children who do not have insurance today and do not qualify for no-cost Medi-Cal.

1-800-880-5305
www.healthyfamilies.ca.gov

Pregnant NCAA Athletes

If you are a pregnant athlete, please refer to the following web link for more information on:
~ Federal laws that protect your rights as an NCAA athlete
~ Athletic department's obligations to comply with federal laws
~ How to report if an athletic department is not complying