# **State Contact Information for Student Complaints**

(\*Many states do not require specific authorization or licensure for their residents to enroll in online programs.)

### **ALABAMA**

# Alabama Commission on Higher Education

P. O. Box 302000 Montgomery, AL 36130-2000 http://www.accs.cc/complaintform.aspx

### **ALASKA**

# Alaska Commission on Postsecondary Education

PO Box 110505 Juneau, AK 99811-0505 customer.service@alaska.gov

### Alaska Office of Attorney General Consumer Protection Unit

1031 W. Fourth Avenue, Šuite 200 Anchorage, AK 9950 attorney.general@alaska.gov http://www.law.state.ak.us/pdf/consumer/FORM complaint.pdf

#### **ARIZONA**

### Arizona State Board for Private Postsecondary Education

1400 W. Washington Street, Room 260 Phoenix, AZ 85007 http://azppse.state.az.us/student\_info/compliance.asp

### **ARKANSAS**

# Arkansas Higher Education Coordinating Board Arkansas Department of Higher Education

114 East Capitol Ave Little Rock, AR 72201 ADHE Info@adhe.edu

http://www.adhe.edu/SiteCollectionDocuments/ AcademicAffairsDivision/ICAC%20Rules%20and%20 Regulations/APPENDIXJ.pdf

### Arkansas State Board of Private Career Education

501 Woodlane, Suite 312S Little Rock, AR 72201 <a href="mailto:sbpce@arkansas.gov">sbpce@arkansas.gov</a> http://www.sbpce.org/complaint process.html

# **CALIFORNIA**

### California Bureau of Private Postsecondary Education

P.O. Box 980818
W. Sacramento, CA 95798-0818
<a href="mailto:bppe@dca.ca.gov">bppe@dca.ca.gov</a>
<a href="http://www.bppe.ca.gov/forms">http://www.bppe.ca.gov/forms</a> pubs/complaint.pdf

# **COLORADO**

#### Colorado Department of Higher Education

1560 Broadway, Suite 1600
Denver, Colorado 80202
<a href="http://highered.colorado.gov/Academics/Complaints/default.html">http://highered.colorado.gov/Academics/Complaints/default.html</a>

# CONNECTICUT

# Connecticut Department of Higher Education

61 Woodland Street Hartford, CT 06105-2326 info@ctdhe.org

### **Connecticut Department of Consumer Protection**

165 Capitol Avenue, Room 110 Hartford CT 06106 trade.practices@ct.gov

http://www.ct.gov/dcp/lib/dcp/pdf/forms/consumer statementcpfr-2 rev 8-06 edited1106.pdf

Consumer Complaint Hotline: (800) 842-2649

### **DELAWARE**

# Delaware Higher Education Office

Carvel State Office Building, 5th Floor 820 N. French Street Wilmington, DE 19801-3509 dheo@doe.k12.de.us

# Delaware Attorney General Consumer Protection Wilmington:

820 N. French Street, 5th floor Wilmington, DE 19801 consumer.protection@state.de.us

### **DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA**

# District of Columbia Office of the State Superintendent of Education, Education Licensure Commission

810 First Street, NE, 9th Floor Washington, DC 20002

http://osse.dc.gov/seo/frames.asp?doc=/seo/lib/seo/ elementary\_and\_secondary\_education/may\_2011/complaint\_form\_4\_11.pdf

### **FLORIDA**

### Florida Commission on Independent Education

325 W. Gaines Street, Suite 1414
Tallahassee, FL 32399-0400
Commissioner@fldoe.org
http://www.fldoe.org/cie/complaint.asp

#### **GEORGIA**

# Georgia Nonpublic Postsecondary Education Commission

2082 E Exchange PI. #220 Tucker, GA 30084-5334 http://rules.sos.state.ga.us/docs/392/5/06.pdf

# **HAWAII**

# Hawaii State Board of Education

P.O. Box 2360 Honolulu Hawaii 96804 ocp@dcca.hawaii.gov http://hawaii.gov/dcca/ocp/consumer\_complaint

# **IDAHO**

#### Idaho State Board of Education

Attn: State Coordinator for Private Colleges and Proprietary Schools 650 West State Street P.O. Box 83720 Boise, ID 83720-0037

### **ILLINOIS**

# Illinois Board of Higher Education

431 East Adams, 2nd Floor Springfield, Illinois 62701-1404 info@ibhe.org

Institutional Complaint Hotline: (217) 557-7359

# Illinois State Board of Education

100 N. 1st Street Springfield, Illinois 62777 http://webprod1.isbe.net/contactisbe / (email)

# Illinois Attorney General Consumer Fraud Bureau

500 South Second Street Springfield, IL 62706

http://www.illinoisattorneygeneral.gov/about/email\_consumers.jsp http://www.illinoisattorneygeneral.gov/consumers/conscomp.pdf

Consumer Fraud Hotline: (800) 243-0618

### **INDIANA**

# Indiana Commission on Proprietary Education

Attn: Director of Regulatory Compliance 302 W Washington Street, Room E201 Indianapolis IN 46204 http://www.in.gov/cpe/files/sf39280-complaint.pdf

# **IOWA**

#### **Iowa Student Aid Commission**

603 E. 12th Street, 5th Floor
Des Moines, IA 50319
<a href="mailto:info@iowacollegeaid.gov/images/docs/file/forms/">info@iowacollegeaid.gov/images/docs/file/forms/</a> constituentrequestform.pdf

### **KANSAS**

# Kansas Board of Regents

1000 SW Jackson Street, Suite 520 Topeka, KS 66612-1368 <a href="http://www.kansasregents.org/resources/PDF/524-ComplaintProcedureandForm.pdf">http://www.kansasregents.org/resources/PDF/524-ComplaintProcedureandForm.pdf</a>

# **KENTUCKY**

# Kentucky Council on Postsecondary Education

1024 Capital Center Dr., #320 Frankfort, KY 40601-7512

# Kentucky Board of Proprietary Education

911 Leawood Drive

Frankfort, KY 40601-3319

http://www.bpe.ky.gov/NR/rdonlyres/1BB8CA02-8F89-43A3-8957-AB01DB805389/0/ComplaintForm.doc

### Office of the Attorney General

Capitol Suite 118

700 Capitol Avenue

Frankfort, Kentucky 40601-3449

consumer.protection@ag.ky.gov

http://www.ag.ky.gov/NR/rdonlyres/19D2FEF3-0666-49B5- A184-38006DA45B2C/0/complaint\_gen.pdf

# **LOUISIANA**

# Louisiana Board of Regents

P.O. Box 3677

Baton Rouge, LA 70821-3677

http://regents.louisiana.gov/assets/docs/ProprietarySchools/ StudentComplaintProcedure.pdf

#### **MAINE**

# Maine Department of Education

Complaint Investigator 23 State House Station Augusta, ME 04333-0023 jonathan.braff@maine.gov

# Maine Attorney General, Consumer Protection Division

6 State House Station

Augusta, ME 04333

http://www.maine.gov/ag/consumer/complaints/complaint form.shtml

### **MARYLAND**

# Maryland Higher Education Commission

839 Bestgate Road, Suite 400

Annapolis, MD 21401-3013

http://www.mhec.state.md.us/career/pcs/gripe.asp

### Maryland Attorney General, Consumer Protection Division

200 St. Paul Place

Baltimore, MD 21202

consumer@oag.state.md.us

https://web.oag.state.md.us/editor/customer/onlineformhelpers/formviewer.aspx?filename=MUGeneral.htm

Consumer Protection Hotline: (410) 528-8662

### **MASSACHUSETTS**

# Massachusetts Board of Higher Education

One Ashburton Place

Room 1401

Boston, MA 02108

http://www.mass.edu/forstudents/complaints/ complaintprocess.asp

# **MICHIGAN**

# Michigan Department of Labor & Economic Growth Office of Postsecondary Services, Proprietary School Unit Staff

201 N. Washington Sq. Lansing, MI 48913 http://www.michiganps.net/complaint.aspx

### **MINNESOTA**

# Minnesota Office of Higher Education

1450 Energy Park Drive, Suite 350 St. Paul, MN 55108-5227 http://www.ohe.state.mn.us/oheContactForm.cfm (email)

# Minnesota Attorney General's Office

1400 Bremer Tower
445 Minnesota Street
St. Paul, MN 55101
http://www.ag.state.mn.us/ElectronicForms/ComplaintForm.pdf

#### **MISSISSIPPI**

# Mississippi Commission on College Accreditation

3825 Ridgewood Road Jackson, MS 39211-6453

# Mississippi Commission of Proprietary Schools and College Registration

3825 Ridgewood Road Jackson, MS 39211-6453

### Consumer Protection Division Office of the Attorney General, State of Mississippi

P.O. Box 22947

Jackson, Mississippi 39225-2947

<a href="http://www.ago.state.ms.us/index.php/contact">http://www.ago.state.ms.us/index.php/contact</a> (email)

<a href="http://www.ago.state.ms.us/images/uploads/forms/MSAGO">http://www.ago.state.ms.us/images/uploads/forms/MSAGO</a> Complaint Form.pdf

# **MISSOURI**

# Missouri Department of Higher Education

205 Jefferson Street, P.O. Box 1469 Jefferson City, MO 65102-1469 info@dhe.mo.gov

# **MONTANA**

# Montana Board of Regents Office of Commissioner of Higher Education, Montana University System 2500 Broadway Street

PO Box 203201 Helena, MT 59620-3201

#### Montana Office of Consumer Protection

2225 11th Avenue, P.O. Box 200151
Helena, MT 59620-0151
contactocp@mt.gov
http://www.doj.mt.gov/consumer/consumer/ consumercomplaint/complaintform.pdf

### **NEBRASKA**

### Nebraska Coordinating Commission for Postsecondary Education

P.O. Box 95005 Lincoln, NE 68509-5005

### Nebraska Department of Education Investigations Office

301 Centennial Mall South, P.O. Box 98987 Lincoln, NE 68509-4987

http://www.education.ne.gov/PPCS/PDF%20Folders/PDF%20 Documents/PPCS%20Forms/Complaintform.pdf

### Nebraska Attorney General, Consumer Protection Division

2115 State Capitol Lincoln, NE 68509

http://www.ago.state.ne.us/consumer/emailforms/ consumer complaint.htm

Consumer Protection Hotline: (800) 727-6432

#### **NEVADA**

# Nevada Commission on Postsecondary Education

3663 East Sunset Road, Suite 202 Las Vegas, Nevada 89120 http://www.cpe.state.nv.us/CPE%20Complaint%20Info.htm

#### **NEW HAMPSHIRE**

# New Hampshire Postsecondary Education Commission

3 Barrell Court #300 Concord, NH 03301-8531 http://www.nh.gov/postsecondary/complaints

### **NEW JERSEY**

# New Jersey Commission on Higher Education

PO Box 542 Trenton, NJ 08625 nj che@che.state.nj.us

### New Jersey Department of Labor and Workforce Development

1 John Fitch Plaza, P.O. Box 110 Trenton, NJ 08625-0110 schoolapprovalunit@dol.state.nj.us

http://lwd.dol.state.nj.us/labor/forms\_pdfs/edtrain/ Conflict%20Resolution%20Questionnaire.pdf

# New Jersey Division of Consumer Affairs

124 Halsey Street Newark, New Jersey 07102 http://www.nj.gov/oag/ca/complaint/ocp.pdf

# **NEW MEXICO**

# New Mexico Higher Education Department

2048 Galisteo

Santa Fe, NM 87505

http://www.hed.state.nm.us/uploads/FileLinks/b23fc959f37c44bb8e3caae612e0dba7/PPS%20Complaint%20Form.pdf

# **NEW YORK**

# New York Office of College and University Evaluation New York State Education Department

5 North Mezzanine

Albany, NY 12234

ocueinfo@mail.nysed.gov

http://www.highered.nysed.gov/ocue/spr/ COMPLAINTFORMINFO.html

# New York Bureau of Proprietary School Supervision New York State Education Department

99 Washington Avenue, Room 1613 OCP

Albany, New York 12234

# New York State Department of State Division of Consumer Protection Consumer Assistance Unit

5 Empire State Plaza - Suite 2101

Albany, New York 12223-1556

https://www1.consumer.state.ny.us/cpb/CauComplaintForm. html

### **NORTH CAROLINA**

# North Carolina Community College System Office of Proprietary Schools

200 West Jones St.

Raleigh, North Carolina 27603

http://www.nccommunitycolleges.edu/Proprietary Schools/ docs/PDFFiles/StdtCompltForm.pdf

#### North Carolina Consumer Protection Attorney General's Office

Mail Service Center 9001

Raleigh, NC 27699-9001

http://www.ncdoj.gov/getdoc/59be4357-41f3-4377-b10f- 3e8bd532da5f/Complaint-Form.aspx

### **NORTH DAKOTA**

# North Dakota Department of Career and Technical Education

State Capitol - 15th Floor 600 E. Boulevard Ave. Dept. 270 Bismarck, ND 58505-0610

cte@nd.gov

# North Dakota Consumer Protection Division Office of Attorney General

Gateway Professional Center 1050 E Interstate Ave. Suite 200 Bismarck, ND 58503-5574

http://www.ag.state.nd.us/cpat/PDFFiles/SFN7418.pdf

# OHIO

### Ohio State Board of Career Colleges and Schools

35 East Gay Street, Suite 403 Columbus, OH 43215-3138

http://scr.ohio.gov/LinkClick.aspx?fileticket=%2bwaKHWPRA H8%3d&tabid=68

### Ohio Board of Regents

30 East Broad Street, 36th floor Columbus, OH 43215-3414

# **Ohio Attorney General Consumer Protection Section**

30 E. Broad St., 14th floor Columbus, OH 43215-3400 http://www.ohioattorneygeneral.gov/consumercomplaint

### **OKLAHOMA**

# Oklahoma State Regents for Higher Education

655 Research Parkway, Suite 200 Oklahoma City, OK 73104

# Oklahoma State Board of Private Vocational Schools

3700 Classen Boulevard, Suite 250 Oklahoma City, OK 731182864

# Oklahoma Office of the Attorney General Consumer Protection Unit

Attn: Investigative Analyst 313 NE 21st Street Oklahoma City, OK 73105 http://www.oag.state.ok.us/oagweb.nsf/ccomp.html

### **OREGON**

# Oregon Office of Degree Authorization

1500 Valley River Drive, Suite 100 Eugene, OR 97401

### Oregon Department of Education Private Career Schools Office

255 Capitol Street NE Salem, OR 97310-0203

http://www.ode.state.or.us/teachlearn/specialty/pcs/forms/ complaint-procedures.doc

### Oregon Attorney General Financial Fraud/Consumer Protection Section

1162 Court St. NE Salem, OR 97301-4096 http://www.doj.state.or.us/finfraud/pdf/concompform.pdf

### **PENNSYLVANIA**

# Pennsylvania Department of Education

333 Market Street Harrisburg, PA 17126-0333

### Office of Attorney General Bureau of Consumer Protection

14th Floor, Strawberry Square
Harrisburg, PA 17120
<a href="http://www.attorneygeneral.gov/uploadedFiles/Complaints/BCP">http://www.attorneygeneral.gov/uploadedFiles/Complaints/BCP</a> Complaint Form.pdf

# **PUERTO RICO**

# Puerto Rico Council on Higher Education

PO Box 1900 San Juan, PR 00910-1900

# Puerto Rico Department of Justice

PO 9020192 Sa n Juan, PR 00902-0192

### **RHODE ISLAND**

# Rhode Island Board of Governors for Higher Education

Shepard Building 80 Washington Street Providence, RI 02903

# Rhode Island Department of Attorney General

Consumer Protection Unit 150 South Main Street Providence, RI 02903

http://www.riag.state.ri.us/documents/consumer/ ConsumerComplaintForm.pdf

### **SOUTH CAROLINA**

# South Carolina Commission on Higher Education

1333 Main Street, Suite 200 Columbia, SC 29201

http://www.che.sc.gov/AcademicAffairs/License/Complaint procedures and form.pdf

# **SOUTH DAKOTA**

# South Dakota Board of Regents

306 E. Capitol Ave, Suite 200 Pierre, SD 57501-2545

# South Dakota Office of Attorney General Division of Consumer Protection

1302 E Hwy 14 Suite 3 Pierre SD 57501-8053

http://atg.sd.gov/Consumers/HandlingComplaints/ ConsumerComplaintForm.aspx

# **TENNESSEE**

# Tennessee Higher Education Commission

404 James Robertson Parkway, Suite 1900 Nashville, TN 37243

http://www.tn.gov/thec/Divisions/LRA/PostsecondaryAuth/ Complaint%20Form.rtf

### **TEXAS**

#### Texas Workforce Commission

Career Schools and Colleges - Room 226-T 101 East 15th Street Austin, Texas 78778-0001 http://www.twc.state.tx.us/svcs/propschools/ps401a.pdf

# **Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board**

1200 E. Anderson Lane Austin, Texas 78752

# Office of the Attorney General Consumer Protection Division

PO Box 12548 Austin. TX 78711-2548

https://www.oag.state.tx.us/consumer/complaintform.pdf

#### UTAH

### **Utah Division of Consumer Protection**

160 East 300 South
Salt Lake City, Utah 84111
consumerprotection@utah.gov
http://consumerprotection.utah.gov/complaints/index.html

#### **VERMONT**

# Vermont Department of Education State Board of Education Vermont Department of Education 120 State Street

Montpelier, VT 05620-2501

# Vermont Attorney General's Office

109 State Street Montpelier, VT 05609-1001

### **VIRGINIA**

# State Council of Higher Education for Virginia

101 N. 14TH St.
James Monroe Building
Richmond, VA 23219
communications@schev.edu
http://www.schev.edu/forms/StudentComplaintInformation.pdf

# **WASHINGTON**

### Washington Higher Education Coordinating Board

917 Lakeridge Way PO Box 43430 Olympia, WA 98504-3430 <u>dainfo@hecb.wa.gov</u> http://www.hecb.wa.gov/autheval/daa/ ConsumerInformation.asp

# Washington Workforce Training and Education Coordinating Board

128 10th Avenue SW, PO Box 43105 Olympia, WA 98504-3105 workforce@wtb.wa.gov http://www.wtb.wa.gov/PCS Complaints.asp (instructions)

# Washington State Office of the Attorney General

1125 Washington Street SE, PO Box 40100 Olympia, WA 98504-0100

https://fortress.wa.gov/atg/formhandler/ago/ContactForm. aspx?subject=Consumer%20Protection (email) https://fortress.wa.gov/atg/formhandler/ago/ComplaintForm. aspx (complaint form)

### **WEST VIRGINIA**

West Virginia Higher Education Policy Commission 1018 Kanawha Blvd E., Ste 700 Charleston WV 25301-2800

Community and Technical College System of West Virginia 1018 Kanawha Blvd. E., Ste. 700 Charleston WV 25301

West Virginia Office of the Attorney General Consumer Protection Division PO Box 1789
Charleston, WV 25326-1789
http://www.wvago.gov/pdf/general-consumer-complaint-form.pdf

### **WISCONSIN**

Wisconsin Educational Approval Board 30 W. Mifflin St., 9th Floor P.O. Box 8696 Madison, WI 53708 eabmail@eab.state.wi.us http://eab.state.wi.us/resources/complaint.asp

#### **WYOMING**

Wyoming Department of Education 2300 Capitol Avenue Hathaway Building, 2nd Floor Cheyenne, WY 82002-0050

Attorney General's Office 123 Capitol Building 200 W. 24th Street Cheyenne, WY 82002

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