

2025 Hazing Transparency Report

Institution Name: *The Praxis Institute*

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Overview

In accordance with the federal hazing-prevention statutes and institutional policy, The Praxis Institute publishes this annual Hazing Transparency Report to provide clear, accessible information regarding all reported hazing incidents, investigations, findings, and sanctions during the 2025 calendar year.

The purpose of this report is to:

- Promote student safety and organizational accountability
- Increase transparency in campus disciplinary processes
- Support prevention, education, and culture-change initiatives

Definition of Hazing and Student Organization

For the purposes of this report, *hazing* is defined as:

Any intentional, knowing, or reckless act committed by a person, whether individually or in concert with others, against another person or persons regardless of the willingness of such person or persons to participate, that:

- Is committed during an initiation into, an affiliation with, or the maintenance of membership in, a student organization; and
- Causes or create risk of physical and psychological injury, above the reasonable risk encountered during participation in the institution of higher education or the organization (such as the physical preparation necessary for participation in an athletic team).

This definition applies regardless of a student's willingness to participate.

A student organization is defined as an organization at an institution of higher education, such as club, society, association, varsity or junior varsity athletic team, club sports team, fraternity, sorority, band, or student government, in which two or more of the members are

students enrolled at the institution of higher education, whether or not the organization is established or recognized by the institution.

Summary of 2025 Reports

Total Reports Received: 0

Reports Investigated: 0

Reports Substantiated: 0

Reports Unsubstantiated: 0

Emergency Suspensions Issued: 0

Organizations Sanctioned: 0

Individuals Sanctioned: 0

Incident-Level Detail

Below is the format of a summary of hazing incidents, findings of responsibility during the year. Identifying information will be removed to protect student privacy. This format will be used to individually report hazing incidents, outcomes, and sanctions implemented.

Incident 2025-01

Organization: NA

Date Reported: NA

Type of Hazing: NA

Summary: NA

Outcome: NA

Sanctions: NA

Policy & Process Improvements

In 2025, The Praxis Institute implemented the following enhancements:

- Updated the Hazing Policy to align with the new legislation's language and requirements.
- Updated School's catalog to include new language.

Looking Ahead to 2026

The institution will continue to prioritize prevention and transparency by:

- Strengthening policy, reporting, and transparency
- Include hazing statistics in the Annual Security Report
- Create a standardized documentation process

- **Use the Hazing Prevention Framework (HPF)** to guide assessment, planning, and implementation of multi-year strategies
- **Strengthening campus culture** by promoting inclusive, harm-free traditions that build belonging without risk