

Campus Climate Survey Quick Takes

Spring 2017 Cohort and Metropolitan State University of Denver Overview

The EAB Campus Climate Survey is an anonymous online instrument that assesses students' perceptions, behaviors, attitudes, and experiences with regards to sexual violence during the current academic year.

The survey was administered at **22 institutions** in the U.S. and Canada during the spring 2017 semester.¹ The average response rate was **14%** compared to MSU Denver's response rate of **3%**.

Spring 2017 Cohort Snapshot

22

Institutions participated

203,715

Students were invited to complete the survey

23,704

Survey respondents

14%

Average response rate

Spring 2017 Institution Characteristics

	Number of Institutions	Number of Respondents	Percent of Aggregate Sample ²
Small (1,000-4,999)	5	2,637	11%
Mid-Sized (5,000-9,999)	9	7,527	32%
Large (10,000-19,999)	5	6,281	27%
Very Large (20,000+)	3	7,048	30%
Public	14	17,100	73%
Private	8	6,393	27%

Spring 2017 Respondent Characteristics

	Spring 2017 Cohort	MSU Denver
Female	66%	68%
Heterosexual	84%	78%
White/Caucasian	65%	78%
First Year	17%	14%

1) In the spring 2017 cohort, 21 institutions were in the U.S. and 1 institution was in Canada.

2) After cleaning the data, the spring 2017 sample was 23,493 respondents.

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Comparing Aggregate Results to Metropolitan State University of Denver's Spring 2016 & 2017 Results

Perception of Overall Campus Climate

Respondents who agreed or strongly agreed with the following statements.

	SP16 Cohort ³	SP17 Cohort	SP16 MSU Denver	SP17 MSU Denver
I feel safe at this school.	89%	91%	87%	89%
I feel close to people at this school.	74%	71%	51%	56%
I think faculty are genuinely concerned about my welfare.	87%	86%	87%	89%
I think administrators are genuinely concerned about my welfare.	75%	76%	76%	81%

Overall Sexual Violence Rate

Respondents who experienced at least one incident of sexual violence at least one time.

Types of sexual violence include unwanted incidents of being fondled, kissed, or rubbed up against, attempted sexual penetration, sexual penetration, attempted oral sex, and oral sex. Respondents most commonly experienced being fondled, kissed, or rubbed up against.

	SP16 Cohort ³	SP17 Cohort	SP16 MSU Denver	SP17 MSU Denver
Yes, all respondents	8%	5%	4%	7%

Unwanted Sexual Contact Prior to College

Has anyone had or attempted to have unwanted sexual contact with you prior to going to college?

	SP16 Cohort ³	SP17 Cohort	SP16 MSU Denver	SP17 MSU Denver
Yes, all respondents	21%	19%	35%	36%
Yes, female respondents	27%	25%	44%	42%
Yes, male respondents	10%	8%	13%	17%

Prevention Training Rates

Have you received prevention information or training?

A greater share of first year respondents received prevention information or training than all subsequent years. Most spring 2017 cohort respondents received training at new student orientation and found it generally helpful.

	SP16 Cohort ³	SP17 Cohort	SP16 MSU Denver	SP17 MSU Denver
Yes, all respondents	54%	60%	41%	51%
Yes, first year respondents	77%	79%	39%	35%

3) The spring 2016 cohort was comprised of 34 institutions across the U.S. and Canada.