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National Panhellenic Conference Groups Launch Sexual Assault Awareness and Education Initiative

Partnership Recognizes April - National Sexual Assault Awareness Month

Five member groups of the National Panhellenic Conference – Alpha Chi Omega, Alpha Sigma Tau, Delta Gamma, Kappa Kappa Gamma and Tri Delta – have launched a joint initiative focused on sexual assault awareness and bystander intervention.

The initiative is anchored by an online educational program, *Not Anymore*, co-created with Student Success, Inc. *Not Anymore* features modules on consent, sexual assault, dating violence, bystander behavior and healthy relationships. The program includes instructed education, scripted scenarios, campus interviews and personal testimonials. The content is personalized for each organization and designed to be augmented by peer-led open meeting modules and moderated discussions.

“The sororities’ interest and willingness to include programming on sexual violence and on engaging allies in bystander intervention to prevent sexual violence is exceptional and shows a wonderful level of caring,” said Ruth Anne Koenick, Director of the Office for Violence Prevention and Victim Assistance at Rutgers University, one of the industry experts assisting the program.

Development of the *Not Anymore* program began in 2014 and included a six-month pilot conducted by Tri Delta. Tri Delta rolled out the program full scale to new members in all of their chapters in Fall 2015. Now, Alpha Chi Omega, Alpha Sigma Tau, Delta Gamma and Kappa Kappa Gamma are also offering this program to their members.

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