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**Resolution in Support of Reproductive and Trans-Inclusive Healthcare**

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**WHEREAS:** Senate Bill No. 1023, Section 2b, states, “Family planning services shall include, but not be limited to: Medical treatment and procedures defined as family planning services under the published Medi-Cal scope of benefits. Medical contraceptive services such as diagnosis, treatment, supplies, and followup. Informational and educational services.”

**WHEREAS:** Model Contraceptive Equity Act, Section 1, states, “The Legislature intends to build on existing state and federal law to promote gender equity and sexual and reproductive health, and to ensure greater contraceptive coverage equity and timely access to all federal Food and Drug Administration approved birth control drugs, devices, and products, and related services, for all individuals.”

**WHEREAS:** Welfare and Institutions Code, Section 52, Part C, states, “shall include, but is not limited to, the following: Culturally and linguistically appropriate health education and counseling services, including informed consent; psychosocial and medical aspects of contraception, sexuality, fertility, pregnancy, and parenthood; infertility; reproductive health care; preconceptual and nutrition counseling; prevention and treatment of sexually transmitted infection; use of contraceptive methods, devices, and supplies; possible contraceptive consequences and followup; interpersonal communication and negotiation of relationships to assist individuals and couples in effective contraceptive method use and planning families.”

**WHEREAS:** California State Student Association’s Public Policy Agenda 2019-2020 promotes “access to...wellness resources that promote overall student health and safety.”

**WHEREAS:** Cal Poly Pomona’s Student Health and Wellness Services’ mission states “To promote students’ healthy lifestyles and academic success by providing quality medical, psychological, and wellness services.”

- WHEREAS:** Executive Order 943 from the Chancellor’s Office states, “Campuses who wish to apply to become providers for governmental and other agency programs (e.g., Family PACT or Medi-Cal) can do so with the approval of the President or designee.”
- WHEREAS:** Senate Bill 24 of the California Legislature states “The bill would require, on and after January 1, 2023, each student health care services clinic on a California State University or University of California campus to offer abortion by medication techniques, as specified.”
- WHEREAS:** Senate Bill 24 of the California Legislature states, “Abortion care is a constitutional right and an integral part of comprehensive sexual and reproductive health care.”
- WHEREAS:** Student Health and Bronco Wellness Center provides no cost services of “Well-Womxn Exam, Common STI/STD testing (Gonorrhea, syphilis, Chlamydia), Free latex and non-latex barriers (including internal and external condoms) and lubrication, a variety of health and hygiene products (toothbrushes, reusable water bottles, hand sanitizer)”
- WHEREAS:** The Feminist Fight Club is an activist club on campus that is campaigning for trans-inclusive healthcare, as well as birth control and medical abortion access and we found:
- WHEREAS:** CSUSB, CSULB, CSUF, CSUSM, CSUEB, CSUChico, CSULA, and CSU Bakersfield have successfully applied for and now provide F-PACT funding to have expanded free birth control services for their student bodies
- WHEREAS:** Depo-Provera Shot is \$86/dose, costing one student \$344/year, and would be free under F-PACT, and
- WHEREAS:** Plan B emergency contraception is \$20 per dose, and would be free under F-PACT, and
- WHEREAS:** Birth Control pill options currently range from \$8-56 per month, and would be free under F-PACT, and
- WHEREAS:** Nexplanon arm implant is not offered, which can cost up to \$1,300 and would be free to insert under F-PACT, and
- WHEREAS:** There is currently no option for IUD/IUC, which can cost up to \$1,300 and would be free under F-PACT, and
- WHEREAS:** The California Legislature through the Office of Family Planning has made available to citizens of the State who are of childbearing age comprehensive medical knowledge, assistance, and services relating to the planning of families
- WHEREAS:** Students need abortion by medication techniques up to six weeks of pregnancy accessible to them on the Cal Poly Pomona campus.
- WHEREAS:** Students need access to trans-inclusive healthcare including hormone replacement therapy and sexual reassignment surgery.

**WHEREAS:** The Affordable Care Act requires HRT accessibility, therefore, students should be offered it as well by their campuses.

**WHEREAS:** All 10 UC campuses have already implemented hormonal replacement therapy and sexual reassignment surgery offered to their students since 2013.

**WHEREAS:** Governor Gavin Newsom signed Senate Bill No. 24 that would require, on and after January 1, 2023, each student health care services clinic on a California State University or University of California campus to offer abortion by medication techniques, as specified

**WHEREAS:** F-PACT funding is available for the campus to apply for through HHS.gov by May 28th

**WHEREAS:** There is a lack of comprehensive sexual education offered by the University and available to students on the Cal Poly Pomona campus

**WHEREAS:** The Feminist Fight Club has been organizing sexual education workshops but has been limited in its magnitude without the support of campus resources; therefore be it

**RESOLVED:** The Associated Students, Incorporated recognizes that the F-PACT offers a comprehensive family planning services in order to establish and maintain optimal reproductive health.

**RESOLVED:** The Associated Students, Incorporated recognizes the need for the University to bring the Family Pact Program (F-PACT) to Cal Poly Pomona.

**RESOLVED:** The Associated Students, Incorporated recognizes that by the University not implementing FPACT on campus, it creates barriers for students to receive healthcare that is defined as a constitutional right.

**RESOLVED:** The Associated Students, Incorporated will look into having the University bring providers on Campus who must be able to provide the full range of services covered by the Program.

**RESOLVED:** The Associated Students, Incorporated will encourage Cal Poly Pomona to apply for enrollment by completing and submitting an application packet.

**RESOLVED:** The Associated Students, Incorporated supports the creation of these services using existing student fees or federal or state, such as funding the authorization of a universal biller to assist in the implementation of FPACT on campus.

**RESOLVED:** The Associated Students, Incorporated demands Student Health Care Centers to have student voices in the implementation of Senate Bill 24, and to implement the services required by the bill with urgency.

**RESOLVED:** The Associated Students, Incorporated supports the inclusion of HRT in the Student Health Care Centers.

**RESOLVED:** The Associated Students, Incorporated asks the University to support the Feminist Fight Club's sexual education workshops' growth through help with supplies and outreach.

**RESOLVED:** The Associated Students, Incorporated will help the Feminist Fight Club market their sexual education workshops and will include said workshop as a part of ASI student leaders' training.

**RESOLVED:** That copies of this resolution be distributed widely, including, but not limited to: the California State University Board of Trustees; University President, Dr. Soraya M. Coley and her cabinet; the University Academic Senate; the University Staff Council; the University Human Resources; the California State Student Association, the Poly Post; the Cultural Centers; the ASI Student Government; the ASI staff; and the students of Cal Poly Pomona.

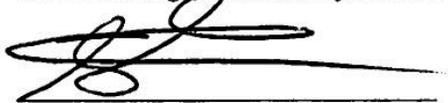
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