



HISTORY OF TITLE IX

TITLE IX OF THE EDUCATION AMENDMENTS ACT OF 1972

"No person in the United States shall, on the basis of sex, be excluded from participation in, be denied the benefits of, or be subjected to discrimination under any education program or activity receiving Federal financial assistance."

20 U.S.C. § 1681 (1972).



EARLY FOCUS OF ENFORCEMENT

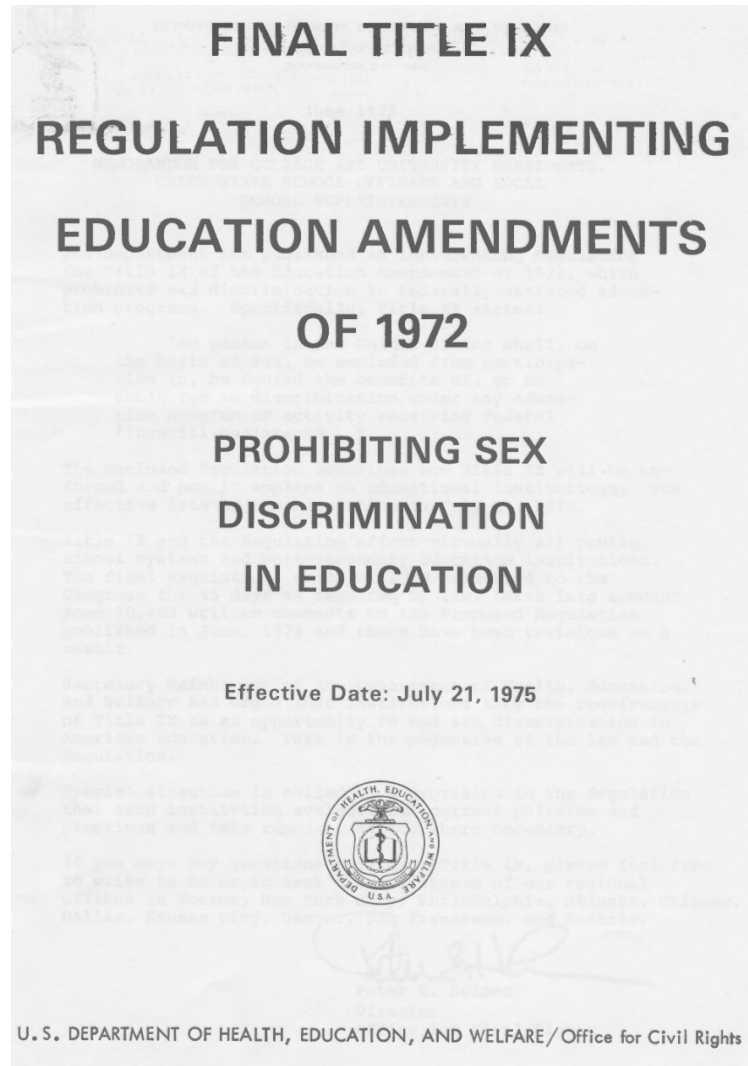
- Equity/access in:
 - *Athletics*
 - *Admissions*
 - *Educational Programs*

CURRENT, EXPANDED FOCUS OF ENFORCEMENT

Title IX applies to all forms of sex discrimination, including but not limited to:

- Sexual Harassment
- Achievement Awards
- Athletics
- Benefits
- Financial Aid
- Leaves of absence and re-entry policies
- Opportunities to join groups
- Pay rates
- Recruitment
- Retention Rates
- Safety
- Screening Exams
- Sign-on Bonuses
- Student and Employee Benefits
- Thesis Approvals
- Vocational or College Counseling
- Research opportunities

EARLY RULEMAKING—1975

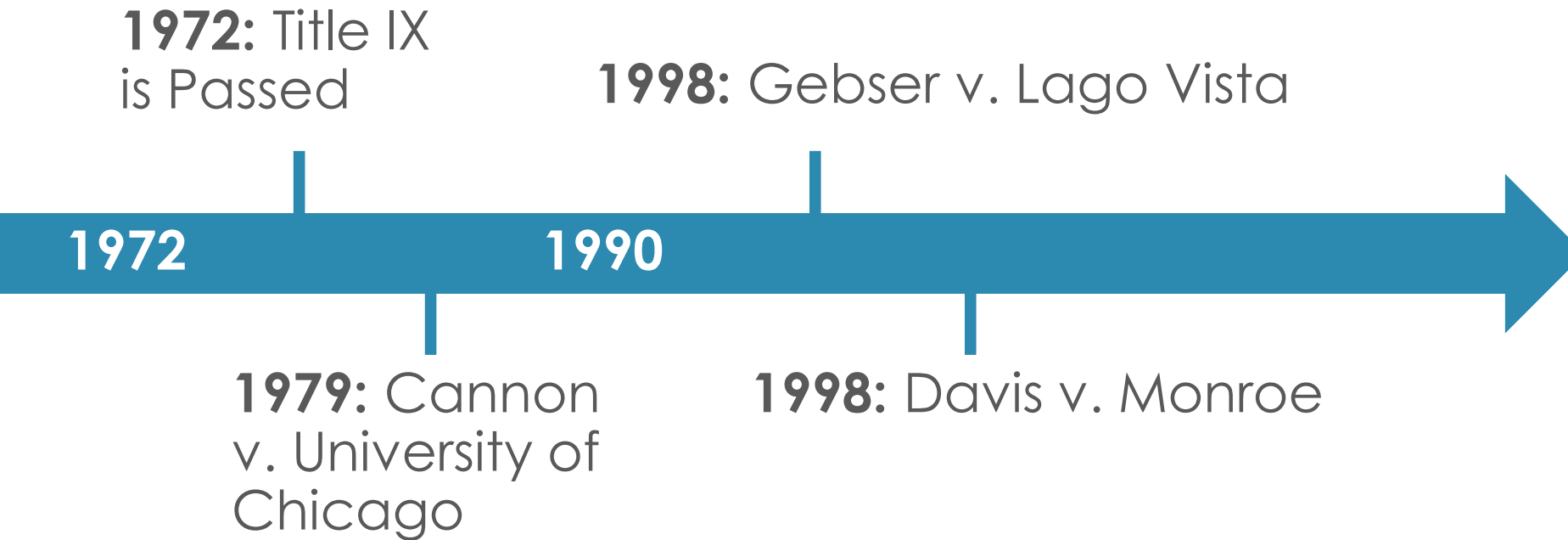


1975 Regulations

Providing structure around Title IX's implementation

COURTS DEFINE THE LIABILITY FRAMEWORK

Timeline

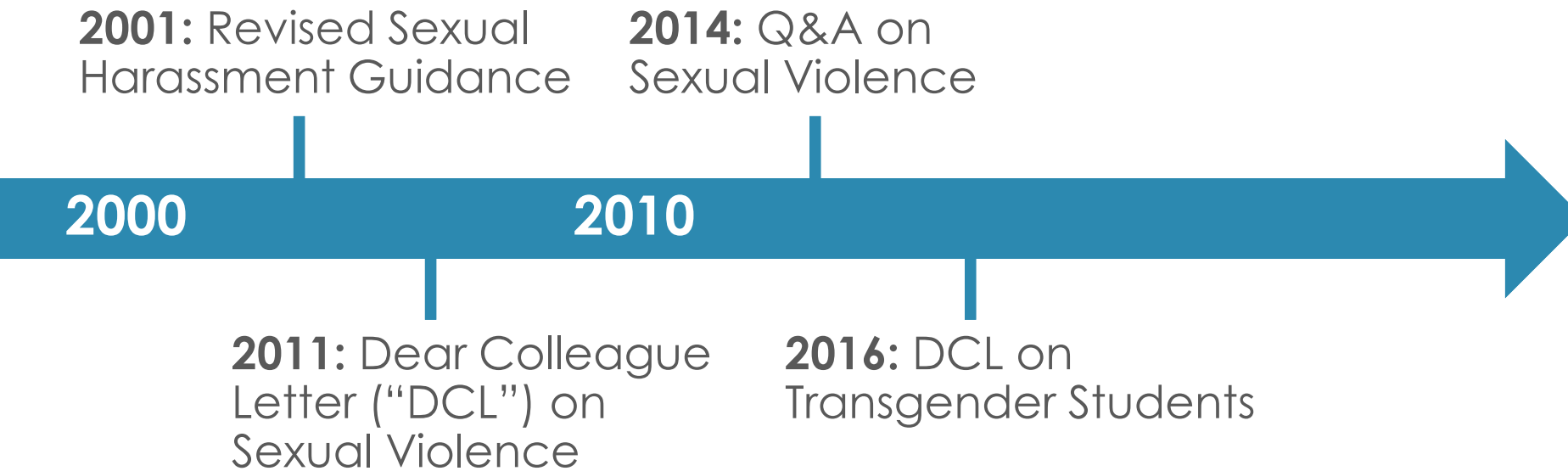


Other Early Key Cases:

- **1979:** Cannon v. University of Chicago
- **1992:** Franklin v. Gwinnett

ADMINISTRATIVE EXPANSION OF TITLE IX

Timeline



Note: In 2014, Congress reauthorized the Violence Against Women Act

TITLE IX FORMAL RULEMAKING

2018: U.S. Department of Education issues Notice of Proposed Rulemaking (NPRM)

2023: U.S. Department of Education issues NPRM

2018

2023

May 2020: Final Title IX Rule is Published

2024: Final Title IX Rule is Published and preliminarily enjoined in several states

January 9, 2025 - Nationwide vacatur of 2024 Title IX Regulations; 2020 Title IX Regulations remain in effect.



After all the regulation, guidance, and litigation...at its core, Title IX is an access statute.



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