
CCCApply Enhancements

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Mon, Nov 25, 2019 at 7:20 AM

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Good Morning Patty

I just returned from the CCC LGBTQ+ Summit and they had a couple of questions on CCCApply I could not answer and shared that I would inquire and get back to them.

- In the Demographic section when it asks about gender, why is the age 19 to answer and not 18? And
- How can we make changes to the gender questions as it does not adequately reflect choices on the queer spectrum, so colleges will not get sufficient data on LGBTQ+ students?

I appreciate your prompt response. CO can assist with getting together an ad hoc workgroup to determine the correct gender choices as well. We can work with our LGBTQ+ advocates.

Thanks.

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Hi Michael,

Great to hear from you...long time, no see.

Regarding your questions about the AB 620 questions in CCCApply - I have a whole history of information on this issue. It started in 2013 and there have been several changes since that initial implementation. As of right now - upon confirmation with my development team - the questions, Transgender & Sexual Orientation, *DO APPEAR to applicants who are 18 years old and older*. The current CCCApply Data Dictionary - to my dismay - does not represent the correct data specifications. (I have already corrected the incorrect information and will publish the correct version today.)

Below are the current data field specs:

- **2012-2013:** AB 620 is a California state law that passed in 2012. it was implemented in CCCApply in late 2013. Due to the vagueness of the language in the law, the CCCTC requested a legal opinion from the CCCCCO regarding where and how the data was to be stored, and how it was to be delivered to colleges/districts. We never received this direction. Tim Calhoun can validate years of attempts to get legal direction on the data handling.
- **2014-2016:** Meanwhile, the CCCTC and the Steering Committee drafted the first implementation draft, which included a phased approach of display to minors. Somehow the documentation was written such that minors would include 18 year olds. This was updated in 2016.
- **2016 - Current:**
 - Display the Transgender question <transgender> IF the applicant is 18 years old or older at the time of application.
 - Current: Display the Sexual Orientation question <orientation> IF the applicant is 18 years old or older at the time of application.
 - Do NOT display either question if the applicant is 17 years or younger.
 - Both fields are restricted. Neither field is available to the CCCApply Download Client or stored on the CCCApply server.
 - Only authorized college, district, or CCCCCO researchers and administrators have access to this data (both fields) via Superglue delivery to a secured, college-specific staging table, or through authorized user accounts to the CCC Data Warehouse.

Let me know if you need reference docs regarding this. I have many.

Regarding the issue of the changes to the gender questions (I'm assuming you mean the AB 620 questions, right? Transgender & Sexual Orientation? Please confirm) - this is another complicated issue that we require CCCCCO legal to provide guidance in this area.

In 2016, a sub-committee on

Here are the notes from a sub-committee on changes to the gender responses in CCCApply from 2015

https://docs.google.com/document/d/1C1GL7xZ0bY_1a9KDIrONYM9haUOmNCJv-CTHHoMOsL8/edit?usp=sharing

My recollection from that meeting was that this is a very sensitive issue and there were reporting considerations that needed to be planned in conjunction with any changes made (MIS, IPeds, etc.). Also, the committee at the time needed support from CCCCCO and Academic Senate.

Let me know if you want to discuss this further. It might be easier to schedule a call. I would also include Tim Calhoun, as he attended that sub-committee and he was instrumental in the AB 620 implementation.

Thanks,
Patty

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Fri, Jan 10, 2020 at 11:49 AM

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Hi Michael!

Great to hear from you.

The LGBTQ (AB620) questions appear to end-users who are 18 or older in the Gender section on the Demographic page. This is the actual behavior in place today. To prove this, I have attached two screen shots (the Account Information shot shows my DOB for testing).

I believe there was some discrepancy on this age restriction in one of the Data Dictionaries published, but I believe that was corrected. I will double check on that.

The second question - regarding changes to this section - can be submitted, reviewed, and if/when approved - will get prioritized into an upcoming release cycle.

If the Academic Senate sponsors and approves changes - I suggest we schedule a call to review what they want and discuss the development work needed.

That's where I would start - a call to discuss the proposed changes. How do you want to get started with this?

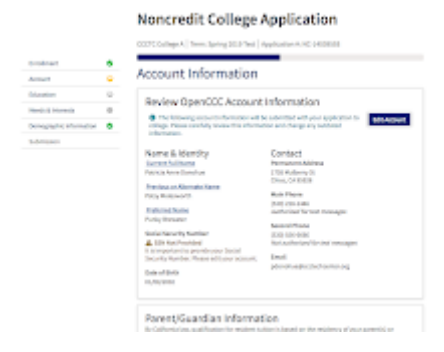
Thanks Mike,
Patty

On Mon, Nov 25, 2019 at 7:20 AM Quiaoit, Michael <mquiaoit@cccco.edu> wrote:

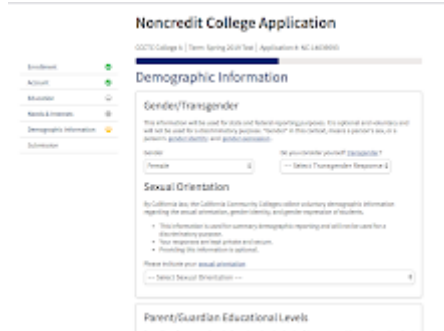
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Account Info in CCCApply 2020.png
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Gender-LGBTQ in CCCApply 2020.png
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Mohr, Rhonda <rmohr@cccco.edu>

Fri, Jan 10, 2020 at 12:54 PM

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Thanks Patty. Was the decision to limit the question to applicants above the age of 18 made by the tech center, or by your users group? If made by the users group please send us minutes of the meeting when this issue was discussed. If the decision was proactively made or supported by the Chancellor's Office, please also send any documentation of those discussions. I'm not trying to challenge the decision, I just want us to have all of our facts clear so we can respond to this community.

A change to the age limitation will be made by the CO, not by committee, and will be based on what the law requires us to do. I realize that in our normal parental way we are trying to protect minors, but if minors of the LGBTQ community reject this parental attitude then we need to take that input into consideration. I just want to put this on the table as a decision that needs to be made by the executive team at the CO since your message refers to your normal review and approval process.

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Good Morning Patty

Who on your end needs to be involved in the initial call? I will have staff set up a Zoom meeting and you and I can develop an agenda for the meeting.

Thanks.

Michael

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Hi Michael,

My apologies for the delay.

Let's start with just me (and add Jennifer Coleman as an optional invite, she'll attend if she can) and we can begin drafting the requirements/needs for these needs.

Once we get the needs and requirements nailed down, I take it back to the engineering team and discuss the technical specs. If this is just adding additional options to the existing AB620 questions - that's pretty straight-forward. If the requirements call for additional questions or replacement questions, they'll be able to draft the technical piece based on what you need.

Do you want to propose a few dates/times for a call, Michael. I can certainly work around a time that works best for your side.

Look forward to hearing from you.

Patty

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Mon, Jan 20, 2020 at 12:27 PM

To: "Tim Calhoon (CCCTC)" <tcalhoon@ccctechcenter.org>, Jennifer Coleman <jcoleman@ccctechcenter.org>

Tim,

I may need some of your support on this one. TBH, I didn't see this email from Rhonda and I have not yet responded. I think we should respond together.

Let me know. I need to respond soon and apologize for the week delay.

Thanks,

Patty

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