Excluding any appeal, the formal resolution process will be completed within 60 calendar days of the date the discrimination complaint was filed unless there are extenuating circumstances. Any reason for an extension to the 60 calendar day deadline will be communicated in writing to the Parties.

Must use a preponderance of the evidence standard in any Title IX proceedings, including any fact-finding and hearings. [https://www2.ed.gov/about/offices/list/ocr/docs/qa-201404-title-ix.pdf](https://www2.ed.gov/about/offices/list/ocr/docs/qa-201404-title-ix.pdf)

Both parties must be notified, in writing, of the outcome of both the complaint and any appeal.