Addendum

Resources to assist school officials, educators, students, families, and communities in promoting more positive school climates include:

- The National Center on Safe Supportive Learning Environments, <u>safesupportivelearning.ed.gov</u>, offers tools, training, and technical assistance to schools, institutions of higher education, families, and communities to contend with many factors that affect the conditions for learning and impede the building and maintenance of safe and supportive learning environments, such as bullying, harassment, and violence;
- StopBullying.gov, <u>www.stopbullying.gov</u>, serves as a clearinghouse for all Federal anti-bullying resources and information about State laws and model policies to stop bullying and protect children; and
- The Department of Education has collected resources for immigrants, refugees, asylees, and other new Americans at www.ed.gov/about/overview/focus/immigration-resources.html.

Additional resources about bullying and harassment of students on the basis of race, religion, and national origin include:

- U.S. Department of Justice, Community Relations Service, *Twenty Plus Things Schools Can Do to Respond to or Prevent Hate Incidents Against Arab-Americans, Muslims, and Sikhs*, www.justice.gov/crs/pubs/20-plus-things.pdf;
- U.S. Department of Education, Office for Civil Rights, *Checklist for a Comprehensive Approach to Addressing Harassment*, www.ed.gov/ocr/checklist.html;
- New York Office of Temporary and Disability Assistance, Bureau of Refugee and Immigrant Assistance, Anti-Bullying Instructional Resources, otda.ny.gov/programs/bria/documents/WtOS-Anti-Bullying-Resource.pdf; and
- U.S. Department of Justice, Community Relations Service, *Programs for Managing School Multicultural Conflict*, <u>www.justice.gov/crs/pubs/school-multicultural-conflict.pdf</u>.

Federal resources describing students' rights and schools' obligations under Federal laws addressing bullying and harassment on the basis of race, religion, and national origin include:

 U.S. Department of Education, Office for Civil Rights, Dear Colleague Letter: Harassment and Bullying (Oct. 26, 2010), www.ed.gov/ocr/letters/colleague-201010.pdf;

- U.S. Department of Education, Office for Civil Rights, *Dear Colleague Letter:* First Amendment (July 28, 2003), www.ed.gov/ocr/firstamend.html;
- U.S. Department of Education, Office for Civil Rights, Investigative Guidance: Racial Incidents and Harassment Against Students at Educational Institutions (Mar. 10, 1994), www.ed.gov/ocr/docs/race394.html;
- U.S. Department of Justice, Civil Rights Division, Federal Protections Against National Origin Discrimination (Aug. 2010), www.justice.gov/crt/publications/natorigin2.pdf;
- U.S. Department of Justice, Civil Rights Division, Protecting the Religious
 Freedom of All: Federal Laws Against Religious Discrimination (Aug. 2015),
 www.justice.gov/crt/combating-religious-discrimination-and-protecting-religiousfreedom-10; and
- U.S. Department of Justice, Civil Rights Division, *Harassment Fact Sheet*, www.justice.gov/crt/about/edu/documents/eosaapimassa.pdf.

Some of the resources above are available in other languages:

- U.S. Department of Education, Office for Civil Rights offers many of its resources in other languages at www.ed.gov/ocr/docs/howto-index.html;
- U.S. Department of Justice, Civil Rights Division, Federal Protections Against National Origin Discrimination (Aug. 2010) is available in several languages at http://www.justice.gov/crt/publications;
- U.S. Department of Justice, Civil Rights Division, Harassment Fact Sheet is available in Punjabi at www.justice.gov/crt/about/edu/documents/eosaapimassapunjabi.pdf; and
- The White House Initiative on Asian Americans and Pacific Islanders and its partners have translated basic information from StopBullying.gov into several AAPI languages at https://acttochange.org/#resources.