

CONSENT

Consent is an affirmative, conscious and voluntary agreement to engage in sexual activity. Both parties must give affirmative consent to sexual activity. Affirmative consent must be ongoing and can be revoked at any time.

ACTIVE

Consent is unmistakable via words or actions.

AFFIRMATIVE

Consent is a knowing, voluntary, and mutual decision among all participants to engage in sexual activity.

VOLUNTARY

All are willing participants, with no physical or emotional force used.

REQUIRED

Consent cannot be implied or assumed, even in a relationship.

18+

In California, those under the age of 18 cannot give consent.

CLEAR

Consent must be directly communicated, not inferred from clothing or alcohol consumption.

KNOWING

Someone who is incapacitated by alcohol or drugs cannot consent to sex.

ONGOING

Consent is confirmed at each level of sexual activity.



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Only YES means YES



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