

## **Some Key Players Threatening the Rights of Oregon Parents and Guardians** *Compiled by Parents' Right in Education, 2012*

Healthy Kids (Oregon Health Authority) - [Oregon Health Authority Minor Rights: Access & Consent to Health Care](#) This document was distributed at the Oregon Adolescent Sexuality Conference 2012. It guides minor youth on what they can access/do without parental consent.

[OR Youth Sexual Health Plan](#) – The Oregon Department of Education, along with many other organizations use this to tout Oregon as being the leader in the nation and receive millions of tax dollars to promote it. You MUST read this!

[Oregon Teen Pregnancy Task Force](#) – The 2 primary goals of this organization are: orchestrate the annual Oregon Adolescent Sexuality Conference and compile annual editions of “The Rational Enquirer”.

Oregon Department of Education ([ODE](#)).

Planned Parenthood: Columbia Willamette and Southwest Oregon

Annual Conference which includes many scholarships for youth attendees [Oregon Adolescent Sexuality Conference 2012](#) (\*look at agenda items. Organizers encourage that these conversations take place “These conversations are occurring at the middle school and high school levels”

[The Rational Enquirer](#) Intended to be passed out to youth, used in health classes. Be sure to look at past editions of The Rational Enquirer,

[Advocates for Youth](#)

[SIECUS](#), (“Oregon has \$1.5 million dollars geared toward sexuality education and SIECUS has been working behind the scenes to help make this happen; they are our biggest advocate in Washington D.C.”, as stated by Brad Victor, ODE Sexuality Specialist). SIECUS President & CEO Monica Rodriguez, M.S., President and CEO praises the United Nations and the [World Health Organization's 1999 Declaration of Sexual Rights](#) and in at the 2012 Adolescent Sexuality Conference she shared that there is a “Sexual Health Workgroup” working on a definition of sexual health here in the U.S.

[W.I.S.E. in Oregon](#) (Working to Institutionalize Sexuality Education in Oregon) promoted by ODE/Brad Victor Sexuality Specialist and boasts that it has reached 43,000 kids and trained k-12 teachers throughout Oregon. SIECUS is thrilled with what Oregon is doing.

[Let's Talk About Sex](#) –Documentary which promotes Advocates for Youth and the Oregon Youth Sexual Health Plan

[OSBHC Network](#) (Oregon School-based Health Centers) – Vital source to watch and learn about how they are advocating confidential reproductive services to our kids!

**YAC ([Youth Advisory Council](#))**. ODE encourages Youth advisory councils to be formed in schools around Oregon. State Youth Advisory Council advocates for SBHC, convenient access to reproductive resources, and to break down barriers..

Example of some youth websites, <http://www.scarleteen.com/> , <http://www.takecaredownthere.org/>, <http://www.amplifyyourvoice.org>, <http://www.advocatesforyouth.org>