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- [NCLC replied to a letter](#) by Senators Jones, Warren, Harris, and Cortez Masto requesting ideas on how to address racial disparities in student debt and the broader challenges faced by students of color in college and career training, Feb. 15, 2019
- [Coalition letter](#) to the U.S. Department of Education on the Department's failure to protect Education Corporation of America students, (disproportionately students of color) leading up to the for-profit school's closure, Jan. 17, 2019

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Litigation

- [NCLC and ACLU File Lawsuit against U.S. Department of Education Over Failure to Disclose Debt Collection Practice Data](#), March 30, 2016
- Case against the United States Department of Education
The National Consumer Law Center is co-counsel in a Freedom of Information Act suit requesting public records of the U.S. Department of Education regarding race and debt collection practices of third-party debt collectors hired by the Department, March 30, 2016 [Complaint](#), [Exhibit 1](#) (FOIA request, May 7, 2015), [Exhibit 2](#), [Exhibit 3](#), and [Exhibit 4](#), and [press release](#)

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Testimony

- [NCLC attorney Joanna K. Darcus testimony to the U.S. House Financial Services Subcommittee on Oversight and Investigations re: "An Examination of State Efforts to oversee the \\$1.5 Trillion Student Loan Servicing Market,"](#) June 11, 2019; [Press Release](#)