

Disability Notification and Accommodation Request Form

The purpose of this form is to assist the University in determining whether, or to what extent a reasonable disability accommodation is required. The Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) has a three-part definition of disability. Under ADA, an individual with a disability is a person who: (1) has a physical or mental impairment that substantially limits one or more major life activities; OR (2) has a record of such impairment; OR (3) is regarded as having such impairment. Our intent is to be compliant with the law and we make every effort to respond to requests in a timely fashion.

Questions related to the completion of this form or requests for assistance should be addressed to <u>Accessibility@logan.edu</u> or the Associate Dean of Students at the number (636) 230-1817.

The Health Care Provider Assessment portion of this form is to be completed by a medical professional with primary oversight of the qualifying diagnosis or another qualified health care provider. To ensure timely and effective provision of services, accommodations should be requested at least one month in advance. However, requests may be made at any time, and efforts will be made to accommodate eligible requests as soon as possible.

This form is for voluntary disclosure of a disability only. You are not required to complete it unless you are requesting accommodations for a disability.

Accommodations are granted on a case-by case basis. Relevant and current documentation is needed to verify the existence of a disability and to determine the appropriate accommodations based on the functional impact of the disability related to academic courses, testing methods, program requirements, etc. The student will have an interview appointment with the Accessibility Team as part of the process.

Document Guidelines are as follows:

- Must be provided by a qualified examiner
- Must be current
 - Can provide verification of past accommodations in an educational setting.
 - For your information: When applying for Professional Examinations including National Board examinations, their requirements may be different to receive accommodations and will need to be researched by the student applying for those specific examinations.
- Must be comprehensive
 - Student provides verification of a recent diagnosis of disability, medical or a psychiatric disorder by a licensed health care provider as evidence of a functional limitation and need for accommodations in an educational setting.
 - Evaluation and diagnosis should also be accompanied by specific recommendations for accommodations in the educational setting.
- Any accommodations that are recommended must be justifiable and a rationale provided for each accommodation.

- The Health Care Providers Assessment is provided on pp. 4-5 and is to be completed by the doctor or other qualified health are professional.
- When the student provides the documentation from a doctor or other qualified health care professional, *all documents must include:*
 - Provider's name, Title, Credentials, and area of specialization
 - Date and signature of provider
 - Letter and/or reports should be on provider's letterhead
 - Diagnosis within the letter or reports provided
 - Any recommendations or restrictions listed in the letter or reports provided

*All documentation can be returned to the Associate Dean of Students by one of the three choices listed below:

Email: <u>Accessibility@logan.edu</u>

Fax: 636-207-2407

Mail: Associate Dean of Students/Accessibility & Success Coordinator Student Affairs Logan University 1851 Schoettler Rd. Chesterfield, MO 63017

Any questions on what kind of documentation to provide for an academic accommodation can be discussed with the Associate Dean of Students or Accessibility & Success Coordinator.

Student to Complete pages 2 and 3.

Name:		
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Address:	City, State:	Zip:

Phone: _____

Briefly describe the nature of your accommodation request: ______

Have you previously received academic accommodations in school? Yes: No: If yes, please explain:

Date of your most recent psychoeducational or medical evaluation:

Note: This application cannot be processed until pertinent documentation of a disability has been provided. To ensure the provision of reasonable and appropriate accommodations, students requesting these services must provide comprehensive documentation of their disability to satisfy the eligibility requirements listed on page one.

Has a physician, vocational rehabilitation specialist or other qualified health professional recommended a specific accommodation? If so, please describe the service(s) received, the name of the health provider and the provider's phone number.

Specific accommodation:

Health provider:

Phone:

By my signature below, I authorize the release of all relevant information, records, and documentation to Logan University for the purpose of determining my eligibility for disability/pregnancy accommodations related to my enrollment or participation in courses, programs, or activities offered by the University. I understand that select administrators and faculty with a need-to-know as determined by the University will have access to review copies of all documentation provided.

Student Signature: _____ Date: _____ Date: _____

Print Name:

The Health Care Providers Assessment is provided on Pages 4 and 5 and is to be completed by the doctor or other qualified health care professional.

Health Care Provider Assessment

Please provide the following information for the student (attach additional sheets if needed):				
I. Diagnosis and Date:				
Level of severity and longevity:				
II. Testing: Procedures, measures, and observations used to make the diagnosis. (Please include copies and scores of all diagnostic test batteries if applicable)				
Was medication prescribed for a disability? Yes: No: If yes, what?				
Amount and frequency of administration:				
Response to medication:				
III. Assessment : Describe the student's functional limitations in a post-secondary educational setting (please consider the on-campus academic setting and the online academic setting):				

IV. Recommended Accommodations and Rationale: What recommendations do you make regarding effective accommodations to equalize this student's educational opportunities at the post-secondary level? (Describe the services and accommodations in examination administration, classroom or student activities, or adjustment of the classroom physical environment. Please consider the on campus academic setting and the online academic setting, the student may have both type of courses):

Please include and attach any information you have on learning disability testing, intellectual functioning, and/or academic problems, which you feel we should know in order to assist the student:

Thank you for your prompt assistance in providing this information.

You may return the form and any documentation to the Associate Dean of Students by one of the three choices listed below:

Email: Accessibility@logan.edu

Provider's Name and Credentials (print):		
Provider's Address:		
City, State:	Zip:	
Provider's Phone number:		
Provider's Signature:		Date: