

Support Services for Students with Disabilities

Hamilton College is committed to providing equal opportunity and access to qualified students with disabilities. Although the College does not have a specialized program for students with disabilities, the Associate Dean of Students will coordinate individualized accommodations and support services for any student who has a documented need. In addition, support services such as the Writing Center, the Language Center, the Quantitative Literacy Center, the Oral Communications Center and the Peer Tutoring Program are available to all students.

Students seeking special arrangements due to a disability should provide the Associate Dean of Students with a recent evaluation conducted by a specialist in the appropriate field. It should include a specific diagnosis, information regarding onset, longevity and severity of symptoms (preferably within the last three years), information on how the disability and/or related medications and treatments interfere or limit any major life activity including participation in the courses, programs and activities of the college, and recommended accommodations if appropriate.

Using this information, in consultation with the student, his or her professors and, if necessary, other qualified experts, the Dean will help develop a system of support services that are appropriate to the student's needs. Requests for special arrangements should be made well in advance of the time they will be needed.

To notify the College of a disability and request accommodations, please complete and return the attached forms to:

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