

OUR MISSION

UW-Whitewater is committed to the development of the individual, the growth of personal and professional integrity, and respect for diversity and global perspectives. With this in mind, the mission of the Center for Students with Disabilities (CSD) is to be partners in creating an accessible learning community where students with disabilities have an equal opportunity to participate fully in all aspects of the educational experience. Through partnership with students, faculty, and staff, we promote student independence and recognition of a student's ability, not disability.



CENTER FOR STUDENTS *with* DISABILITIES



Center for Students with
Disabilities (CSD)

Andersen Library, Room 2002
800 West Main Street
Whitewater, WI 53190-1790

Phone: 262-472-4711

Fax: 262-472-4865

A photograph of a graduation ceremony. Several black graduation caps are seen flying through the air against a blue sky. In the foreground, the hands of graduates in black gowns are raised in celebration.

**ACCESS
EXPERIENCE
ACHIEVE**

For more information, please visit
our website at uw.edu/csd.

- Documentation Guidelines
- CSD Application for Services
- Rights & Responsibilities
- Transitioning to College Resources
- Student & Faculty Resources



OBTAINING SERVICES



Apply and be admitted to UW-Whitewater.



Submit documentation of a disability and an application for services to CSD, located in Andersen Library, room 2002. The documentation will be reviewed.

Documentation must be:

- Submitted in a timely matter
- Current and complete
- Specific in the description of the student's disability and suggest accommodations



If a student is eligible for services:

- An individual accommodation plan is written
- The student is trained on the implementation and use of accommodations

You can expect to receive most services within 2-4 weeks after eligibility; more involved services may take 6-8 weeks.



Schedule an intake appointment with CSD to review disability documentation and student needs. Accommodation and services will be determined based on student needs.

ACCESS

Students, CSD, faculty, staff and administration work together to create an accessible and universally designed campus and community.

EXPERIENCE

UW-Whitewater provides a variety of opportunities for students to live, learn, and socialize. CSD is a partner in creating full access to all opportunities.

ACHIEVE

Students self-determine their level of achievement by choosing to participate in opportunities, in and out of the classroom.



SERVICES

- ▶ Assistive Technology
- ▶ Alternative Testing
- ▶ Alternative Media
- ▶ Note-taking
- ▶ Case Management
- ▶ University Housing Accommodation
- ▶ Employment Connections
- ▶ Interpreting/ Captioning

Current federal and state legislation (e.g. the Americans with Disabilities Act [ADA]. Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act Wisconsin State Statue 36.12) prohibits discrimination against qualified individuals with disabilities in college programs. Title II of the ADA requires that the campus provide persons with disabilities reasonable access to services, programs, and activities.

FEE-BASED SERVICES

- ▶ **Adaptive Transportation**
Pick-up/drop-off service for both on and off campus rides.
- ▶ **Project ASSIST**
Supplementary, fee-based program that provides individual tutoring support.
- ▶ **Summer Transition Program**
Six credit transition program for incoming freshmen.
- ▶ **Out of Class Aides**
Assistance with completing homework activities and projects (no tutoring support).