

Section 504

“No otherwise qualified person with a disability in the United States, shall, solely by reason of... disability, be denied the benefits of, be excluded from participation in, or be subjected to discrimination under any programs or activity receiving federal financial assistance.”

Population Served

All students with a verified disability who are currently enrolled at Chicago State University qualify.

Services Provided:

- Registration Assistance
- Test Accommodation
- Test Administration
- Note Takers
- Equipment Loans
- Resources / Referral
- Interpreters
- Photocopying
- Faculty Notification
- Liasonship with Dept. of Rehabilitation
- Campus Orientation
- Readers
- Research Assistance

Student Responsibilities

1. Must be currently enrolled at CSU.
2. Contact Abilities Office of Disabled Student Services to request services.

3. Must provide proof of disability to Abilities Office.
4. Notify Abilities Office in advance of need for assistance.
5. Provide Abilities of Office with a copy of class schedule at beginning of each term.
6. Return all loaned materials (tape recorders, etc.) to Abilities Office at the end of each term.
7. Discuss accommodation needs with professors and Abilities Office at the beginning of each term.
8. Attend classes regularly and comply with University Student Code of Conduct.

Useful Information

Department of Human Services
Office of Rehabilitation
1-800-ASK-DORS

Recording for the Blind & Dyslexic
(312) 236-8715

Regional Library for The Blind
1-800-757-4654

Blind Services Association
(312) 236-0808

Chicago Lighthouse for the Blind
(312) 661-1331

Chicago Hearing Society
(312) 939-6888

On Campus

Health Center ext. 2010

Student Activities ext. 2300

Student Affairs ext. 2448

TDD (ADM 106)..... (773) 995-3776

Student Support Services ext. 3864

Academic Support Serves ext. 4510

ADA / 504 Officer ext. 3755

Affirmative Action..... ext. 2380

Learning Assistance Center ext. 2273

Registrar ext. 2522

Counseling Center ext. 2383

CSU Police ext. 2111

Library ext. 2235

Mission:

Empowerment Through Education

Below is a list of outdated expressions and recommended alternatives.

Objectionable	Preferred
afflicted	has _____.
birth defect	disabled since birth, born with
cerebral-palsied	has cerebral palsy
cripple, cripp	walks with the aid of crutches
deaf mute	deaf
defective	impaired
deformed	has a physical disability
dummy	pre-lingually deaf
Elephant Man's disease	neurofibromatosis
emotionally disturbed	behavior disordered
epileptic	has epilepsy
former mental patient	mentally restored
handicapped	disabled, disability
handicapped accessible	accessible to people with disabilities, fully accessible
hearing impaired	deaf or hard of hearing
hunchbacked	has a spinal curvature
insane, deranged, deviant	has a mental impairment
lame	walks with a limp, uses crutches

midget, dwarf	short-statured or little person
Mongoloid idiot	Down syndrome
normal	non-disabled, able-bodied
paralytic, arthritic	is paralyzed, has arthritis
retarded	cognitive disability, developmentally disabled
spastic	has seizures, muscular dystrophy
wheelchair-bound	uses a wheelchair, confined to a wheelchair

For more information call the Illinois Department of Human Services Office of Rehabilitation at (217) 785-3893 (V/TTY).

CHICAGO STATE UNIVERSITY

ABILITIES OFFICE OF DISABLED STUDENT SERVICES

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Monday — Friday

The symbol on the cover is from West African cloth patterns, known as Adinkra, decorating the Student Union Building. It is Hwemudua: excellence, quality, perfection and knowledge.



Disabled Student Services
DIVISION OF STUDENT AFFAIRS