



NWCC Accommodate: Faculty FAQs

What is NWCC Accommodate?

[NWCC Accommodate](#) is the College's accommodation management system used to coordinate accommodation requests, accommodation letters, testing accommodations, and communication related to Disability Services.

This system helps streamline processes for students, faculty, and Disability Services staff while improving accessibility, efficiency, and record management.

How will I receive accommodation letters now?

Disability Services will continue to review accommodation requests and generate accommodation letters; however, letters will now be securely housed and distributed through the NWCC Accommodate platform.

Faculty will receive automated notifications from the Accommodate system with secure links to review accommodation letters electronically.

What if I have questions about a student's accommodations?

Faculty are encouraged to contact Disability Services whenever questions or concerns arise regarding accommodations, implementation, attendance, testing, accessibility, or essential course requirements.

Disability Services works collaboratively with faculty and students to help ensure accommodations are implemented appropriately while maintaining academic standards and course integrity.

Do I need to create an Accommodate account as a faculty member?

No. Faculty accounts are automatically generated through the system using NWCC credentials. Faculty will log in with their NWCC username and password.

When can students request accommodations?

Students may request accommodations at any time during the year; however, students are strongly encouraged to begin the accommodation process as early as possible to allow adequate time for review, implementation, and communication with faculty.

Accommodations are not retroactive and become effective only after the accommodation process has been completed and faculty notification has been issued.

How can I support students who are unfamiliar with our new system?

Faculty can support students by encouraging them to contact Disability Services with questions regarding accommodation requests, documentation, testing procedures, or use of NWCC Accommodate.

Instructors are also encouraged to include Disability Services information in course syllabi and direct students to available campus resources when appropriate.

What should I do if I have concerns about how to implement an accommodation in my course?

Faculty should contact Disability Services as soon as possible if questions or concerns arise regarding accommodation implementation, essential course requirements, clinical or lab expectations, attendance, testing, or academic integrity.

Faculty should not independently deny or modify approved accommodations without first consulting Disability Services.

What are the benefits of this system for faculty?

NWCC Accommodate helps streamline accommodation-related processes by providing:

- electronic accommodation letters,
- centralized accommodation records,
- improved communication between faculty and Disability Services,
- testing accommodation coordination,
- easier access to accommodation information, and
- more efficient documentation and tracking processes.