

Chapter 6: Temporary and Conditional Accommodations

Conditional Accommodations

- Conditional accommodations are basic accommodations that are given for the semester, pending further documentation. Students must be able to explain the disability-related barrier that they are facing or provide a history of the condition.
- Why would this be given?
 - Students may have a diagnosis from a previous provider but are unable to obtain documentation from them (the provider retired, or the practice closed). These students must then find a new provider, which may be a financial barrier.
 - Students may be currently in care, seeking a diagnosis, but do not have one yet. Many disabilities can take a long time and a lot of testing to officially diagnose the correct thing. The barrier is still there, and the provider can provide details of the barriers and outline how they are working towards a diagnosis.

Temporary Accommodations

- Temporary accommodations are accommodations given for something that is a “temporary medical condition”. This may include but is not limited to:
 - The student was in a car crash and will need accommodations for 6 weeks, but not beyond that.
 - The student injured their dominant hand, cannot currently write, and needs accommodations until they recover.
 - The student broke their leg and needs accommodations until they can walk again.
 - The student had surgery and will need accommodations throughout the recovery period.
 - The student is having pregnancy complications which require disability-related accommodations through their pregnancy.