

# REQUEST FOR DISABILITY RELATED HOUSING ACCOMMODATIONS



- Students seeking specific housing consideration due to disability or medical necessity must complete and sign the **STUDENT INFORMATION** and **AUTHORIZATION TO RECEIVE HEALTH CARE INFORMATION** sections below.
- In order to effectively evaluate how Medaille College can best meet a student's need for medical housing consideration, the College requires specific diagnostic information from a licensed medical professional or health care provider. The provider should be familiar with the history and functional limitations of the student's physical or psychological condition(s). The provider must complete and sign the **MEDICAL / HEALTH CARE PROVIDER** sections on pages 2 and 3 of this form. *The provider cannot be a relative of the student requesting disability-related housing accommodation.*
- **Emotional support animal requests (ESA)** please have healthcare provider complete Section I of this form and refer to the policy for additional documentation needed.
- **All other disability-related housing accommodations** please have medical provider complete Section II.
- The student's signature on this form constitutes permission for the appropriate and qualified Medaille College staff member(s) to speak with the provider who completes this form. This request is valid for the current academic year only and must be re-submitted each academic year.

## STUDENT INFORMATION

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Student ID# \_\_\_\_\_  
Last First Middle

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_ @medaille.edu Gender: \_\_\_\_\_ DOB: \_\_\_\_\_  
mm/dd/yyyy

Home Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Street City State Zip Code

Local Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Street City State Zip Code

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Type of Request: \_\_\_\_\_ Specific Room Type or Location \_\_\_\_\_ Off-Campus Housing (*Request to Terminate Room and Board Agreement* form also required) \_\_\_\_\_ Room or Residence Hall Fixtures, Equipment, etc.

\_\_\_\_\_ Other (please specify): \_\_\_\_\_

## AUTHORIZATION TO RECEIVE HEALTH CARE INFORMATION

*I authorize Medaille College to receive information from the provider below. Furthermore, I authorize my provider to discuss my condition(s) with the appropriate and qualified Medaille College personnel on an as needed basis.*

Provider Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Provider Specialty: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_  
Street City State Zip Code

Student's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**Parent/Legal Guardian signature is required if the student is under 18 years of age:**

Parent/Legal Guardian Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

**OPTIONAL:** I authorize Medaille College to exchange applicable information with the following person on my behalf: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship to student: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Student's signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**TO BE COMPLETED BY MEDICAL / HEALTH CARE PROVIDER**

**SECTION I. To be completed by health care professional ONLY if requesting an EMOTIONAL SUPPORT ANIMAL.**

1) Does the student who you have individually examined and treated have a physical or mental impairment that substantially limits one or more major life activities? \_\_\_\_\_

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2) If yes, describe what major life activities are impaired: Identify the disability-related need for an ESA, and explain how the animal alleviates one or more of the identified substantially-limiting major life activities (thereby reducing the identified symptoms or effects of this individual's existing disability). \_\_\_\_\_

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3) What type of animal is being requested? \_\_\_\_\_

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**SECTION II. To be completed by a health care professional for all non-ESA disability-related housing accommodation requests.**

To determine eligibility for disability-related housing, Medaille College requires current and comprehensive documentation of the student's condition(s) from a licensed medical professional or health care provider familiar with the history and functional limitations of the student's condition(s). The provider completing this form cannot be related to the student.

**Items 1 – 5 must be completed in full and be legible.** If more space is needed, please attach a separate sheet of paper. Reports which provide additional information may also be attached.

1) What is the student's diagnosis and how does it impact them in a college residential living environment?

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a) How long has the student had the condition(s)? \_\_\_\_\_

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b) What is the severity of the condition(s)? \_\_\_\_\_

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c) How long is the condition(s) likely to persist? \_\_\_\_\_

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2) Why is a medical single or off-campus living a medical **necessity or requirement** for participation in college? If the student were to not have this consideration would the student still be able to attend college?: \_\_\_\_\_

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3) Please list the student's current medication(s), dosage, frequency, and adverse side effects: \_\_\_\_\_

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4) Are there any significant limitations to the student's functioning directly related to the prescribed Medication (s)? \_\_\_\_\_ If yes, please explain: \_\_\_\_\_

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5) Please state specific recommendations regarding housing, and a rationale as to why these housing needs are warranted. Indicate why the change(s) to the student's housing are necessary (e.g., if a single room or living off-campus is suggested, state the reasons related to the student's condition for the request): \_\_\_\_\_  
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a) Which, if any, of the following are medically necessary? Check all that apply.

- Off-Campus Housing
- Specific Room Type or Location (please specify): \_\_\_\_\_
- Room or Residence Hall Fixtures, Equipment (please specify): \_\_\_\_\_
- Other (please specify): \_\_\_\_\_

6) If current treatments/medications are successful, please state why the above housing changes are necessary:  
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**MEDICAL/HEALTH CARE PROVIDER INFORMATION**

**THIS SECTION MUST BE COMPLETED, SIGNED OR STAMPED WITH PROVIDER'S OFFICE INFORMATION**  
*The provider completing this form cannot be related to the student*

Provider Name/Title (please print): \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Provider's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

License Number: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_

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