

Office of Academic Accessibility

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Voluntary Disclosure of Disability Form

Name: _____ Phone: _____

Student ID: 930_____ Email: _____@unca.edu

Preferred Pronoun: _____ (e.g. he/him, she/her, they)

Preferred method of communication: _____ (e.g. email, phone, other)

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Please address ALL of the following. Feel free to use the back of this form, or type your response on a separate sheet of paper. If written response is difficult for you, you may record your responses and submit an audio file. If you'd like to request help completing this form, please contact the Office of Academic Accessibility at 828-232-5050 or academicaccess@unca.edu

In addition to your own responses, you may ask others who currently know you to submit answers to these questions.

Classroom Curriculum:

1. Considering the skills required to access classroom curriculum (such as: reading, writing, paying attention, mathematics, etc.) please describe what's difficult for you in accessing this curriculum, and what academic accommodations or services you believe will be required for you to participate in the classroom setting. (If you aren't sure what accommodations will be helpful, you may ask the OAA for assistance.)

2. If you will be participating in community settings as a part of your classroom curriculum (including, but not limited to: field placements, service learning, internships, etc.) and you'd like accommodations to be considered, please describe what may be difficult for you in accessing this community setting, and what accommodations may be helpful to you in accessing the curriculum. (If you aren't sure what accommodations will be helpful, you may ask the OAA for assistance.)

Residential Accommodations:

1. If you are requesting residential accommodations, please state your request here:

2. How will this residential accommodation provide equivalent access to curriculum, services, activities, or facilities? Be as specific as possible. You may use additional paper if necessary.

History of Accommodations:

1. Please list any accommodations you may have used in the past. If you've never had accommodations, please write N/A.

Please note that accommodations offered elsewhere are not necessarily considered appropriate/reasonable here at UNCA, as each institution is required to assess accommodations individually. For this reason, lack of accommodations offered previously in no way affects the student's ability to receive reasonable accommodations at this institution.

Reasonable accommodations are determined individually and are intended to minimize the impact of a disability/condition in order for a qualified student to have equivalent access to university programs, services, activities, and facilities. Students will be contacted via their UNC Asheville email address. Information provided to the Office of Academic Accessibility is protected under FERPA privacy laws. Documentation and evaluation information will not be released without the signed consent of the student. OAA staff will only discuss needed accommodations and disability-related issues with faculty and University staff who have a legitimate need to know.

In order to identify appropriate reasonable accommodations, OAA staff may need to discuss documentation with physicians, psychologists, or other qualified professionals for clarification. By signing below, I am authorizing the Office of Academic Accessibility staff to do so.

Student signature: _____ Date: _____

Return completed form to:

Mail: Office of Academic Accessibility
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Fax to: Office of Academic Accessibility
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Email: AcademicAccess@unca.edu (Please note that email is not considered confidential communication. Confidentiality cannot be guaranteed or protected for any information shared through email.)

Hand Deliver: Office of Academic Accessibility
005 Ramsey Library (Open Mon-Fri, 8-5, closed on University Holidays)