ACCESSIBILITY RESOURCE CENTER (ARC)
Accommodation Specialist & Student Advisor

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Welcome!
Call, Email Or Stop By ARC to meet with me!
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Study/wellness/test rooms open to all students!
Our Mission

• The Accessibility Resource Center recognizes individuals with disabilities as an integral part of a diverse community and is committed to the provision of comprehensive resources to the University community in order to create equitable, inclusive, and practical learning environments.
Or More Simply

• ARC APPROVES REASONABLE ACADEMIC AND CLINICAL ACCOMMODATIONS FOR ELIGIBLE STUDENTS WITH DISABILITIES
AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT

Provides civil rights protections to individuals with disabilities.

Prohibits discrimination against individuals with disabilities in all areas of public life.

Ensures that people with disabilities have the same rights and opportunities as everyone else.

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WHAT IS A DISABILITY?

A physical or cognitive challenge which substantially limits major life activities:
University Administrative Policy 2310

• We have a commitment and desire to provide equal opportunities and reasonable accommodations to individuals with disabilities.

• UNM must provide reasonable accommodations to qualified students with disabilities.

• These accommodations should not create a fundamental alteration to the class or program. All students should be able to meet the technical standards of a program with or without accommodations.
HOW DO STUDENTS GET CONNECTED TO ARC?
Removing barriers to student success without fundamentally altering a course, degree or program requires collaboration.
Examples of Academic Accommodations

- Extended time on exams
- Glean note taking services
- Deadline extensions
- Attendance adjustment
Other Services and Support Available

Accommodations Specialist meets with students with a documented disability to:

- Identify and discuss barriers that exist between the student and the learning environment
- Gather information/documents
- Explore, choose, implement and monitor accommodations

- Advocate for Students
- Problem solve with student and if necessary, the instructor

- Provide a list of community resources
- Computer access
- Printing available
- Inform students of their rights and responsibilities
- Serve coffee
- Rooms available to access Therapy Assistance Online (TAO) and Timelycare (telehealth free to students)
For questions contact us...

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