Request for Housing due to Medical Issues

The following guidelines have been established to accommodate students who have special needs that may impact their housing.

Policy Statement:

All requests will be reviewed on a case-by-case basis and documentation of a special need or disability does not guarantee that your application will be approved. Assignments are made only if space is available. Assignment to a specific residence area cannot be guaranteed. Learning disabilities, attention deficit disorder, and most psychological disorders generally do not warrant special housing. All requests will be reviewed by the Director of Health Services and by the Director of Housing and Residential Life on a case-by-case basis. It should be noted that medical requests are for an individual, not a group. The Office of Housing and Residential Life makes all final decisions for medical requests.

Procedure:

1. Complete the attached form.
2. Submit forms with supporting documentation to the Office of Housing and Residential Life in Rotunda 387.
3. Students need to re-apply each year and submit updated supporting documentation as necessary.

If you have any questions regarding this policy, please contact the Office of Housing and Residential Life at (845) 575-3307.

Continuing Resident Students must complete the form below and submit the completed form to the Office of Housing and Residential Life prior to November 17, 2017

Name: ______________________________ CWID #: ________________________
Campus Address: __________________________ Cellular Phone: __________________
Home Address: __________________________ Home Phone: __________________
Submit the following form to the diagnostician who performed your original evaluation (if available) or a comparable source. The diagnostician must be an impartial individual who is not a family member nor in a dual relationship with the student.

Diagnosicton Name: _________________________  Phone Number: _________________________

Diagnosicton Signature: _________________________  Date: _________________________

Professional License Number: _________________________  Email: _________________________

Please provide the following information regarding the above named student’s request for special housing accommodations at Marist College. It should be forwarded on letterhead to the appropriate office listed below along with this form.

• A copy of the most recent evaluation.
• The current impact of (or limitations imposed by) the condition
• Treatments, medications, devices or services currently prescribed or used to minimize the impact of the condition
• The expected duration, stability or progression of the condition
• A clear connection between the recommended housing arrangement to the impact of the condition.
• A statement of the level of need for (or consequences of not receiving) the recommended configuration
• A clear description of the recommended housing arrangement

Office of Housing and Residential Life
Marist College
3399 North Road
Poughkeepsie NY, 12601
Telephone: (845) 575-3307
Fax: (845) 575-3788
Special Housing Accommodations for Health/Medical Concerns

Please have your primary care provider fill out this form to be considered for special housing.

Student Name _____________________________________ Date ______________________________

Diagnosis __________________________________________________________________________

Medications __________________________________________________________________________

Last hospitalization for this diagnosis ________________________________________________

Last exacerbation of this diagnosis ____________________________________________________

Treatment plan _______________________________________________________________________

Accommodations needed:
   _ Air Conditioning _ Handicapped Accessible
   _ Single Space _ Handicapped Bathroom
   _ Other (Specify) _______________________________________________________________

Duration accommodations required ______________________________________________________

Role Accommodations will play in treatment plan _________________________________________

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Health Care Provider Signature _________________________________________________________
Print Name __________________________________________________________________________
Address _____________________________________________________________________________
Telephone ___________________________________________________________________________

This form will be reviewed by the Director of Office of Housing and Residential Life and the Director of Health Services. By submitting this form, the student is giving the Director of Health Services permission to contact her/his primary care provider for further information, if necessary.

Student Signature __________________________________ Date ______________________________

Please submit this form to:
Office of Housing and Residential Life
Marist College
3399 North Road
Poughkeepsie, NY, 12601
Or Fax to (845) 575-3788
Request for College Housing due to Psychological/Psychiatric Disability Needs

Please have your treating professional fill out this form to be considered for special housing.

Student Name_____________________________________ Date form completed __________________

Name of person completing this form____________________________________________________

Professional credentials _____________________________ Title ______________________________

Address _____________________________________________________________________________

Telephone ___________________________________________________________________________

Role of person completing form: □ treating professional   □ evaluator
  □ other _____________________________________________________________________________

Date of first contact (d/m/y, if possible) _________________________________________________

Frequency of continuing contact with student:  □ none  □ weekly
  □ other (explain) ___________________________________________________________________

Is the student in treatment?  □ yes  □ no  □ no information

Is the student on medication?  □ yes  □ no  □ no information

If yes, what medication(s) _______________________________________________________________

What is the date of your most recent contact with the student? _______________________________

Is the student compliant with treatment?  □ yes  □ no  □ no information

Does the treatment mitigate some of the functional limits caused by the student’s impairment?

  □ yes  □ no  □ no information

How long do you expect that this student will be in treatment? _______________________________

Describe the continuing treatment plan: ___________________________________________________
What accommodations do you recommend?

Detail any relevant history regarding how these or other accommodations have affected this student in similar settings or how you anticipate that the accommodations will affect the student in this setting:

Functional Limitations: (Please feel free to use additional pages for comments) Describe the student’s functional limitations that significantly impair a major life activity (i.e., learning, thinking, concentrating, interacting with others, caring for oneself, speaking, performing a Manual task, sleeping, or working).

Please submit this form to:

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Poughkeepsie, NY, 12601
Or Fax to (845) 575-3788
Request for Service and Support Animals

Please have your treating professional complete this form when submitting a medical request that includes a request for a Service or Support Animal.

Student Name_____________________________________ Date form completed __________________

Name of person completing this form_____________________________________________________

Professional credentials _____________________________ Title ______________________________

Diagnosed Disability___________________________________________________________________

In what way is the animal necessary to afford this student with the above named disability an equal access to Marist College’s educational program?

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Is there an identifiable relationship or nexus between the disability and the assistance the animal provides? If yes, please explain.

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Is the animal house broken? ☐ yes ☐ no

Does the animal pose a threat to the health and safety of others? ☐ yes ☐ no

Has the animal caused substantial damage to any property in the past? ☐ yes ☐ no

Is the student capable of taking effective action to control the animal at all times? ☐ yes ☐ no

Has the animal ever scratched or bitten any person or animal in the past? ☐ yes ☐ no

Does having the animal in residence impact the College’s emergency, maintenance, or residential programs? ☐ yes ☐ no