CONFIDENTIALITY

Student information is:
- Documentation from medical professionals, educators and other healthcare providers
- Maintained according to FERPA guidelines
- Only released with written consent from the student

SDS Homewood serves undergraduate and graduate students in Krieger School of Arts and Sciences and Whiting School of Engineering.
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- Reduced distraction and ergonomic environment
- Use of Assistive Technology

**Housing Accommodations**
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**Dining Accommodations**
Submit documentation of your needs to the SDS registration portal. Requests are reviewed by SDS and accommodations determined through a collaborative process with appropriate university personnel.

**Determining Eligibility**
We comply with federal, state, and local disability regulations throughout our process. Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 and the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990 and Amendments Act of 2008 prohibits discrimination against individuals with disabilities.

SDS requires 5-7 business days to review requests once submitted.

Complete the SDS online registration form at:
- Enter your information and upload supporting documentation
- For details on SDS Documentation Guidelines, see “Prospective and Newly Admitted Students” on our website

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**Advocates for Disability Awareness (ADA)**
ADA is a student group that gives members leadership experiences and opportunities to explore disability topics in collaboration with campus partners. ADA provides community outreach, advocacy, support and mentoring for peers who are impacted by this area of diversity. For more information, email jhu.ada@gmail.com and follow ADA on social media.

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