

DISABILITY SUPPORT REGISTRATION FORM

ELIGIBILITY

Support will **only be considered** for students who provide relevant documentation from a recognised health professional who has comprehensive training and experience in the particular field of disability or health profession. The health professional must be independent of the student and cannot be related to the student.

Recognised health professionals for:

- *Mental Health conditions*
Registered Psychologist, Psychiatrist and General Physician
- *Vision impairments*
Optometrist, Ophthalmologist
- *Hearing impairments*
Audiologist
- *Physical disabilities*
General Physician or Medical Specialist
- *Neurological conditions*
Neurologist, Neuro Psychologist, Psychologist, Psychiatrist and General Physician
- *Learning Disability*
Registered Educational or Neuro Psychologist with training and experience in testing for learning disability
- *Medical Condition*
General Physician or Medical Specialist

Documentation should be relevant to the student's current situation and is generally acceptable if dated:

- In the last two weeks for a temporary condition
- In the last six months for a fluctuating condition
- In the last three years for a learning disability
- No date required for a permanent disability.

If you feel that you have a disability but it has not been diagnosed, you may still register for support. However you will not be eligible and support will not be provided until medical documentation has been received. Please feel free to discuss this further with the Disability Liaison Officer.

To be completed by students who are registering for Disability Support at Chisholm.
Returning students must re-register each year with Disability Support.

1. PERSONAL DETAILS

Student Number (if enrolled): _____

Name: _____

Date of Birth: _____

Address: _____

Suburb/Town: _____

Postcode: _____

Home Phone: _____

Mobile: _____

Chisholm Student Email: _____

Personal Email: _____

Please note. Chisholm students will be contacted via their Chisholm email address

Aboriginal/TSI: _____

Country of origin: _____

How long have you been in Australia? _____

Language spoken at home: _____

2. COURSE DETAILS

Course Name: _____

Course Status: _____

Full time

Part time

Flexible

Off campus

Campus: _____

Course commencement date: _____

Expected completion date: _____

3. ACADEMIC DETAILS

Previous Secondary School: _____

Highest Secondary School level successfully completed: _____

Previous TAFE Course: _____

Highest TAFE level successfully completed: _____

4. DISABILITY DETAILS

Do you have a diagnosed disability? Yes No

What is your disability? (Please select all that apply)

- | | |
|---|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Acquired Brain Injury | <input type="checkbox"/> Mental Health condition |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Autism Spectrum Disorder | <input type="checkbox"/> Neurological |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Hearing/Deaf | <input type="checkbox"/> Physical |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Intellectual | <input type="checkbox"/> Temporary disability |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Learning | <input type="checkbox"/> Vision |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Medical condition | <input type="checkbox"/> Other |

Did you receive support at school? Yes No

If yes, what type of support?

How did the support help you?

If no, did you ever feel that you needed support?

What areas did you struggle with?

Did you have help completing this form? Yes No

Is there any further information you would like to provide?

APPLICATION CHECKLIST

Applications will only proceed once the following items have been received:

- Disability Support Registration Form
- [Disability Support Consent for provision of information Form](#)
- Medical documentation
- Copy of your timetable from your teaching area

SUBMITTING YOUR APPLICATION

Applications for support can be returned to the Disability Liaison Officer via the following methods:

Email: disabilitysupport@chisholm.edu.au

Or mail to: The Disability Liaison Officer
Chisholm Institute
Student Services
P.O. Box 684, Dandenong 3175

Once your application has been received you will be contacted to discuss your application further.

The Disability Liaison Officer will assess your eligibility for support.

Support normally takes three weeks after approval, however it may take longer if:

- Special equipment needs to be organised
- Alternative formats of materials are required
- Auslan interpreters are required.

Please note.

The Disability Liaison Officer has a responsibility to ensure that information regarding clients is kept confidential unless clients are at risk of harming themselves or others in which case appropriate people may need to be informed.