

G+PS Orientation – Information from Centre for Accessibility

The [Centre for Accessibility](#) facilitates disability-related [accommodations](#) and programming designed to remove barriers for students with documented disabilities and ongoing medical conditions. You will have confidentiality about the nature of your diagnosis per the language of [LR-7](#).

Is the Centre right for you?

- Do you have an ongoing medical condition or disability that impacts access to campus activities (e.g., exams/comprehensive exams, lectures, coursework, practicum, research/lab activities, dissertation/project writing, timelines/deadlines, doctoral exam)?
- Did you receive academic or other disability-related accommodations at another educational institution?

If you answered yes to one or both of these questions, we encourage you to reach out to us as early as possible in your Program.

1. Register with the Centre for Accessibility

Submit our [Information Form](#) **ASAP** so that we will be able to review your request for an intake appointment. A member of our team will review your request to determine if you meet our eligibility criteria within 24-48 hours (business days).

Note: Some accommodations take time to implement, so please contact us as early as possible.

If you have already registered with our office, do not re-submit the form.

FAQs:

1. I am not sure if this is the right place for me.

Contact us (info.accessibility@ubc.ca) to ask specific questions about your circumstances.

2. I have a temporary injury or condition that requires academic support, and I'm reasonably expected to recover within a term

The Centre for Accessibility works with students with permanent or ongoing conditions. Please contact your [Department/Program](#) or Graduate Advisor if you have a temporary condition. If your Program has questions, they can follow up with [Graduate and Postdoctoral Studies](#).