



Disability Services Office

Application for Intensive Support

As part of Centenary University's commitment to student centered learning, the Disability Services Office offers a full range of accommodations, as well as **two programs** specifically designed to support students with mild emotional and learning disabilities. These are fee based programs that are offered to students who meet specific admission criteria.

Project ABLE is an educationally based, comprehensive learning support program designed specifically for students with psychological, learning, and neurological differences. Through this program students will be offered weekly meetings with a Learning Support Specialist, group counseling, and various seminars and activities to assist them in being successful college students.

The **STEP Ahead** Program at Centenary University is an intense residential, pre-college program, for students with specific learning disabilities, held during Summer Session II that is designed to enhance the development of a student's self-advocacy, independence, interpersonal and academic skills. This program is not a stand-alone program and is only available to students who are first time freshman participating in Project ABLE for the fall semester.

Please use this form to apply to Project ABLE or both of the special program options as outlined above. In addition, applicants must also submit disability documentation. This application should be completed by the person who is planning to enroll at Centenary University. Applications will not be reviewed until all necessary materials have been submitted.

If you have further questions about these programs or other services offered through the disability services program please contact the Disability Services Office at dso@centenaryuniversity.edu.

*Application for admission to Centenary University itself is a separate procedure which can be located on the Admissions website (<http://www.centenaryuniversity.edu/cms/en/undergraduate/>). **No information will be shared between departments without the approval of the applicant.**



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If accepted to Project ABLE, I am also interested in the STEP Ahead Program

Please check **ONE** of the following regarding confidentiality of applicant's materials:

I wish for my application to Project ABLE to be processed concurrently with my application for Admission to Centenary University, therefore I am releasing my information to be shared between the two departments.

I wish to apply to Project ABLE without materials being shared with Admissions, therefore taking responsibility to send all documentation including High School transcripts and SAT/ACT scores to the Disability Services Office.

The following documentation is necessary for consideration for Project ABLE

- Completed Application for Intensive Support
- Appropriate Disability Documentation (a Psychological Evaluation, Educational Evaluation and an IEP or 504 Plan, no more than 2 years old)
- High School Transcripts
- ACT and/or SAT Scores

*For transfer students please note that in place of high school transcripts and SAT/ACT score you will need to submit your college transcripts and LOA (accommodation plan) from your previous college.

Demographic Information

Name: _____ Date: _____
First Middle Initial Last

Home Address: _____
Street City State Zip

Telephone: _____ Email address: _____

Intended Major: _____

Applicant Summary

Why do you wish to attend college?

Using your own words, briefly describe how you think that your disability will affect you in college.

What accommodations have been made for you in educational settings in the past that you would like to continue to use at Centenary University?

For example: note-taking, books in audio format, extended time on exams, etc. (List all that apply)

I hereby certify that this application has been completed by the individual that wishes to apply to the Project ABLE and that all information provided is true and accurate.

Applicant Signature _____ Date _____

Please return this application and documentation to:

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