ACCOMODATIONS AVAILABLE AT THE SLU-MADRID CAMPUS

Academic (Please review SLU-Madrid Academic Accommodations)

In the classroom
- Extended time testing
- Special attendance policy arrangement
- Student volunteer note-taking service

Testing
- Quiet testing in a room outside the classroom

Housing
Unavailable.
(The Host Family Experience: The Housing office always tries to place students according to their preferences, but cannot guarantee these preferences)

Dietary
On Campus
- There are options for vegetarians at the SLU-Madrid cafeteria run by Sodexo

In the host family system arranged by the University
- Most families accommodate to minimal food allergies (a specific type of food: a specific fruit; a specific type of meat or fish).
- Very few families accommodate to dietary restrictions for religious beliefs

* Students with more than one food allergy and/or with any food intolerances must opt for kitchen privileges when applying for host families arranged by the University (lactose intolerance, gluten intolerance, several food allergies)
* Students with severe food allergies and/or food intolerances that require separate cooking facilities should seek housing at a residence, Colegio Mayor or their own apartment

Health care
Unavailable

Transportation/Mobility
Classes would be in the classrooms which are wheelchair accessible. The SLU-Madrid Campus is wheelchair accessible.

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SLU-Madrid Policy for students with Medical preconditions:

Students with any medical precondition (physical or mental) will be responsible for following the guidelines provided by their physicians in their home countries and for seeking the adequate resources to continue any treatment while they study in Madrid. Students may use their Sanitas Medical Insurance which is included in the tuition price. Students may contact Dr. Borrás, general practitioner in Sanitas, who will be able to refer you to any specialist within Sanitas at ryborras@telefonica.net and/or SLU-Madrid Counseling Center at conselingcenter-madrid@slu.edu.

While SLU-Madrid will make every effort to support students with severe medical conditions so that they may be capable of successfully completing their academic work, at times, such medical conditions are so severe that they negatively affect both the student as well as other members of the campus community.

Students with such conditions may continue to study at SLU-Madrid and access services such as Housing as long as the medical condition does not affect the coexistence of the student among the SLU-Madrid community members to the extent of being disturbing and disruptive. Examples of these disturbing/disruptive behaviors include, but are not limited to: poor social interaction with host family/roommates, or social interaction that is aggressive, hostile, threatening, or disturbing to others; behavior suggesting the presence of a medical and/or mental illness that is causing significant disruption/distress to the student's family/roommates, such as depression (e.g., self-injurious behavior, suicide threats/attempts, isolating oneself in the room while at home, etc.), anxiety disorders (e.g., becoming hostile or excessively anxious when family members/roommates do not follow rigid routines, etc.), eating disorders (e.g., excessive weight loss, binge eating, vomiting frequently, or unusual requests regarding food and menus, etc.), and substance abuse, among others.

When the presence of such behaviors is detected, the Department of Student Life, in coordination with the University Counseling Center, and the Dean's Office, will make a determination regarding the appropriate action required, including, but not limited to: continuing academic studies, while receiving appropriate treatment for the medical condition; leaving the home stay; taking a leave of absence; or withdrawing from SLU-Madrid.

(You may find the policy mentioned above at: Medical Information and Host Family Norms: Expectations and Information for the Host Family Relationship)