Special Housing Accommodations: 2020-2021
South Dakota School of Mines & Technology
Residence Life

In limited circumstances, the University approves students for special housing accommodations based on medical need and/or disability status. If you have special needs that make it necessary to have a specific type of housing, please be sure to follow these steps:

1. Submit a housing application through the Residence Life website.
2. Provide Disability Services with a completed Special Housing Accommodation Form (found below).
3. Provide Disability Services with detailed supporting documentation that meets the University’s documentation criteria (contact Amanda at Amanda.Lopez@sdsmt.edu for criteria or visit sdsmt.edu/Campus-Life/Student-Support/Disability-Services).
4. For returning students: a maximum of three roommates may be included in a Special Housing Accommodation Petition.

Please note that residential housing is not a distraction-reduced environment. Accordingly, students are not granted housing accommodations for learning or attention disabilities. Students who need distraction-reduced study environments should speak with the staff in Disability Services.

Students with environmental allergens will be permitted to purchase and bring allergen-proof fabric covers for bedding, a dehumidifier and/or HEPA filter air purifier. Generally, housing accommodations are not granted for environmental allergens. Students with allergies are encouraged to visit the American Academy of Allergy, Asthma & Immunology website for specific tips & support at: www.aaaai.org.

Requests for Special Housing Accommodations and their relevant documentation must reach Disability Services by March 23, 2020 for returning residents and June 10, 2020 for new residents.
Special Housing Accommodation Form

To apply for housing through the Special Housing Accommodation Round, complete the following:

First Name: ________________________________
Last Name: ________________________________
Student ID: ________________________________
Cell Phone: ________________________________
SDSMT Email: ______________________________

Residence Hall Requested: __________________________________________

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Room-Type Requested: __________________________________________

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Rationale for Request: __________________________________________

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Please list preferred roommates (up to 3) for this petition. The below people must agree to live with you and submit a Housing Application before housing is granted.

First Name__________________ Last Name __________________________
Student ID________________________

First Name__________________ Last Name __________________________
Student ID________________________

First Name__________________ Last Name __________________________
Student ID________________________

Please submit this petition along with all necessary documentation to:
SD Mines Disability Services Office
Attention: Special Housing Request
501 E. St. Joseph St.
Phone (605) 394-2533
Fax (605) 394-2721