

Counseling and Disability Resources Center

Monday–Friday, 8:30am - 5:30pm Closed Daily for Lunch (Noon to 1pm) Closed Saturday and Sunday

## **COUNSELING AND DISABILITY RESOURCES CENTER**

### The Counseling and Disability Resources Center (CDRC) Focus

Sensitive to the needs of individual students, our staff is committed to the philosophy of full integration of students with various disabilities and counseling needs into campus life. We make reasonable accommodations as we work to provide them:

- · access to educational opportunities
- an environment that provides students the opportunity to function independently
- opportunities for social, leadership, and self-advocacy development at Madonna University

### Services

The CDRC offers individualized accommodation(s) to assist students with disabilities in participating fully in their university experience.

### **Eligibility for Services**

Students with a documented disability are encouraged to reach out to the CDRC for support services. To respect each student's privacy, the CDRC strictly adhere to the institutional policy regarding confidentiality. For more information, please visit madonna.edu/cdrc.



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# **SUPPORTIVE LEARNING AT MADONNA**

### Testimonials

*"I feel welcome when I go into the CDRC office. The services they offer are very beneficial to me and other students.* 

Josh, sport management

"I felt comfortable in the CDRC environment while I was test taking. The staff at the CDRC treated me as if I did not have a disability. With this accommodation I was able to concentrate and my test scores improved dramatically."

Monica, nursing

"The CDRC played a key role in providing me with full communication access ... I am grateful for the services provided. It is tremendously important for the services to continue."

#### Kathleen, social work

"The office of disabilities {CDRC} is a great resource that has made a tremendous difference in my college experience. The staff in the CDRC are always kind and encouraging. They are great advocates for those who need a little extra help. Without their aid, I wouldn't be as successful as I've been."

Emily, nursing

"The alternative testing, offered through the CDRC office, has allowed me to establish confidence in my test-taking abilities and succeed with the excellence needed to make the Dean's list."

Ron, education

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Since 1976, the Counseling and Disability Resources Center (CDRC) has been providing services for students with disabilities. Members of the Madonna family embrace and nurture a diverse academic community where students discover and develop their individuality. Faculty and staff foster a supportive learning environment through cooperation and collaboration.



#### Mission Statement

The mission of Madonna University, a Catholic and Franciscan institution of higher learning, is to instill in its students Christian humanistic values, intellectual inquiry, a respect for diversity, and a commitment to serving others through a liberal arts education, integrated with career preparation and based on the truths and principles recognized within a Catholic tradition.

Madonna's mission receives its spirit from these Franciscan Values:

- Respect for the dignity of each person
- Peace and justice
- Reverence for creation
- Education for truth and service