# Campus Resources

*Keep in mind that campuses vary in the breadth of resources offered and the offices’ names and functions, below are some common offices to which a Disability Services Office may refer students.*

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| **Financial Aid/Student Employment** | Support with financial aid including grants, loans, scholarships, and campus jobs. Assists students identify other funding opportunities for books, transportation, and emergency-based needs.  |
| **Computer Labs/Assistive Technology Resource Centers** | Assists with providing students with disabilities equal access to technology and electronic information. Services include assistive technology (adapted computing hardware and software) assessments, accommodations, training and technical assistance. software packages for speech recognition, reading and writing, and blind and low vision support. |
| **Adult Learner and Veteran Services** | Assists with the transition of non-traditional students including veterans and adult learners to campus life; serves as a conduit for other services on campus. May provide career counseling, financial aid assistance, connection with peers, and group support.  |
| **Career Centers** | Internship and career planning resources (resume labs, mock interviews) job/internship search tools, and information to help choose a major or graduate school. Conducts career fairs and on-campus interviews with employers. Some offer professional clothing for interviews.   |
| **Student Success and Academic Resource Centers** | Provide direction and support to assist students with academic, personal and professional goals. May offer individualized and group services by teaching academic skills, supporting work in courses. Supporting might include math labs, writing centers, academic coaching, career counseling, leadership development. Peer and professional supports may be available, some services may be fee-based.  |
| **Dean of Students/Case Management/Behavioral Intervention Team** | In difficult situations, which might include medical, mental health, personal or family crisis, illness, or injury, a student might benefit from a coordinated needs assessment, appropriate referral, and follow-up.  |
| **Student Diversity and Cultural Centers** | Foster a sense of cultural identity, encourage student leadership, facilitate critical reflection, and stimulate informed action and social justice advocacy. They often also act as social hubs. |
| **Library** | Assistance with research, reference materials, private and collaborative study spaces. |
| **Academic Advising** |  Support with major/minor selection, navigating classes, degree progress, academic petitions. |
| **Child Care Services** | Some campuses offer on-campus child care services or provide a subsidy for student parents to enroll their child(ren) on a local child care center while they attend classes.  |
| **Title IX** |  A school has a responsibility to respond promptly and effectively to reported or suspected sexual harassment or sexual violence. Through this office, students have options for legal assistance, medical care, supportive measures and other university assistance. This office may also ensure pregnant or parenting students are not discriminated against.  |
| **Information Technology** | Technical assistance with hardware and software, connectivity issues |
| **Health & Wellness Center** | Onsite medical services and wellness education. Sleep hygiene, healthy dining options, drug/alcohol education, healthy relationships, stress management, and other wellness programs. |
| **Counseling/Crisis Center Hotlines** | Mostly confidential services (with some exceptions) to help students navigate a range of social and emotional challenges. Referral appropriate whenever students appear to be experiencing personal discomfort, difficulty in coping that interferes with their daily functioning, or behaviors that don’t conform to normative expectations.  |
| **Residential Services** | Support in getting acclimated to campus life, dealing with personal or roommate issues, connecting with friends, attending social events.  |
| **Instructors’ Office Hours** | Support with course work, recommendation letters, career guidance. |
| **Public Safety** | Referral for matters relate to safety and crime. Some serve as first-responders for medical emergencies. Often provide shuttle and courtesy escort services, parking registration, and safety education programs. |
| **Recreation Center** | Assistance with supporting wellness goals, many recreation centers offer group exercise classes, intramural and club sports, programs, fitness equipment. |
| **Student Engagement** | Offers programming and events to foster social connections and help students step into peer-to-peer leadership roles |
| **Off campus providers** | Consider providing students with a list of local counseling centers, diagnostic providers, physical therapist, and other health related providers. |