**Temporary Disabilities**

Disability Services offers academic accommodations to students with temporary disabling conditions. Examples of temporary disabilities may include, but are not limited to: broken limbs, hand injuries, pregnancy, or short term impairments following surgery or medical treatments. The Office of Disability recognizes the importance of having appropriate services and resources available for all students with temporary and permanent disabling conditions. For more information, please contact the Disability Coordinator at (361) 354-2728 or email disability@coastalbend.edu.

**Application Process**

1. Fill out and submit the Request for Temporary Services Form.

2. Submit appropriate medical documentation from a licensed professional such as a medical doctor.

**Medical documentation must:**

- Provide information regarding the student's medical condition
- Describe functional limitations (In an educational setting.)
- Describe specific accommodations
- Provide side effects caused by medications (if any)
- Provide an estimated time frame of disabling condition

3. Call and set-up an appointment with the Disability Coordinator to review documentation and discuss possible accommodations.

4. After academic accommodations have been discussed and approved, a letter will be given to the student. It is your responsibility as a student, to provide a copy of the letter to all instructors in a timely manner to begin to receive services. Students are required to communicate with their instructors regarding their approved accommodations and make any arrangements with them, as needed.

*** Additional documentation may be requested to verify the need for continued services after the estimated duration of the condition has expired. ***

Academic accommodations are approved on a case-by-case basis. Examples of accommodations:

- Note takers
- Scribes for Exams
- Tape Recorder for Lectures
- Extended Testing Time

Disability Services **DOES NOT** provide personal assistance to students with temporary disabilities such as building-to-building transportation or the transport of books or other personal items. Wheelchairs, scooters and other mobility devices are considered personal devices and are not provided by Disability Service.
Request for Temporary Services

Semester Attending: _______________________________________  Today’s Date: ________________
(fall, spring, summer)  (Year)

Name:_____________________________________________ CBC ID#________________________

Address:___________________________________________________________________________
Street Address                                 City                                 State                                 Zip

Phone: _______________________________ Email: ______________________________________

CBC Location (Please Check One):_______ Alice _______ Beeville _______ Kingsville _______ Pleasanton

Career Goal/Major:___________________________________________________________________

Cougar Sport (if applicable):
_____ Baseball     _____ Basketball     _____ Volleyball     _____ Softball     _____ Soccer

Disability Information:
Please describe your medical condition:
_________________________________________________________________________________
_________________________________________________________________________________
_________________________________________________________________________________

Date of injury: ____________________  Duration: ____________________

Date of follow-up doctor visit: _________________________________

Student’s Signature: _________________________  Date: _________________________________

Disability Services: _______________________________  Date Received: ______________________

Coastal Bend College does not discriminate on the basis of race, color religion, gender, national origin, age or disability in the recruitment and admission of students; the availability of grants and scholarships. No qualified disabled person shall, on the basis of being disabled, be subjected to discrimination in education, training, or employment. Inquiries or complaints concerning these matters should be brought to the attention of: Dean of Student Services.