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## Disability Services Office

### Application for Intensive Support

As part of Centenary University's commitment to student centered learning, the Disability Services Office offers a full range of accommodations, as well as **two programs** specifically designed to support students with learning differences who would benefit from academic coaching. These are fee based programs that are offered to students who meet specific admission criteria.

**Project ABLE** is an educationally based, comprehensive learning support program designed specifically for students with psychological, learning, and neurological differences. Through this program students will be offered weekly meetings with a Learning Support Specialist, a weekly interpersonal skills support group, and various seminars and activities to assist them in being successful college students.

The **STEP Ahead** Program at Centenary University is an intense residential, pre-college program, for students with learning differences, held during Summer Session II that is designed to enhance the development of a student's self-advocacy, independence, interpersonal and academic skills. This program is not a stand-alone program and is only available to students who are first time freshman participating in Project ABLE for the fall semester.

Please use this form to apply to Project ABLE or both of the intensive support programs as outlined above. In addition, applicants must also submit disability documentation. This application should be completed by the person who is planning to enroll at Centenary University. Applications will not be reviewed until all necessary materials have been submitted.

If you have further questions about these programs or other services offered through the disability services program please contact the Disability Services Office at [dso@centenaryuniversity.edu](mailto:dso@centenaryuniversity.edu).

\*Application for admission to Centenary University itself is a separate procedure which can be located on the Admissions website (<http://www.centenaryuniversity.edu/freshmen/>). **Information will be requested from Admissions (i.e. HS transcript and SAT/ACT scores) after the student has informed Disability Services that they have already been admitted to the University--nothing will be shared prior to that point.**



## Application for Intensive Support Project ABLE

If accepted to Project ABLE, I am also interested in the STEP Ahead Program

Please be aware that some information will be shared with other offices once a student has applied to and/or been accepted into Project ABLE in order to ensure proper delivery of services.

**The following documentation is necessary for consideration for Project ABLE**

- **Completed Application for Intensive Support**
- **Appropriate Disability Documentation (a Psychological Evaluation, Educational Evaluation and an IEP or 504 Plan, no more than 2 years old)**
- **Proof of Admission to Centenary University**

**\*For transfer students please note that in place of an IEP or 504 plan you must submit an LOA (accommodation plan) from your previous college.**

### Demographic Information

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
                    First                      Middle Initial                      Last

Home Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
                                    Street                                      City                                      State                                      Zip

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email address: \_\_\_\_\_

Intended Major: \_\_\_\_\_

**Applicant Summary**

Why do you wish to attend Centenary?

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Using your own words, briefly describe how you think that your disability will affect you at Centenary.

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What accommodations have been made for you in educational settings in the past that you would like to continue to use at Centenary University?

For example: note-taking, books in audio format, extended time on exams, etc. (List all that apply)

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I hereby certify that this application has been completed by the individual that wishes to apply to the Project ABLE and that all information provided is true and accurate.

Applicant Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Please return this application and documentation to:

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