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Proposal to Amend the Reasonable Accommodations Guidance in the University of Maryland Policy on Excused Absence [V-1.00 (G)]

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DESCRIPTION OF ISSUE

The University of Maryland is committed to creating and maintaining a welcoming and inclusive educational environment for people of all abilities and not excluding any community member from participating in or accessing the benefits of the services, programs, or activities of the University.

Reasonable accommodations for students' participation in courses and course-related work are coordinated by the University Accessibility & Disability Service (ADS) through interactive engagement with the student requesting accommodations.

DESCRIPTION OF CHANGE YOU WOULD LIKE TO SEE

Revise the current language regarding excused absences based on student disability accommodations in V-1.00(G) University of Maryland Policy on Excused Absence at Sections II and III. See attachment.

SUGGESTION FOR HOW YOUR PROPOSAL WOULD BE PUT INTO PRACTICE

If the revisions to the University Policy on Excused Absence are approved, the University Accessibility & Disability Service would advise students of the change in the Excused Absence Policy when coordinating reasonable accommodations for them.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION