

# Accommodate

*Automate, simplify, and track the approval and delivery of accommodations.*



## CURRENT SITUATION

To thrive as an institution of higher education, a school must be cognizant of and respectful towards the special needs of its students. Furthermore, federally funded schools in the United States are required to comply with accessibility guidelines per the Americans with Disabilities Act or face paying fines up to \$75,000 for the first violation. Being able to quickly, efficiently respond to students' requests for accommodations is not only a critical component of ensuring that all students are given a fair chance at success - it is also an integral part of protecting an institution from severe financial and reputational consequences.

Staff in accessibility offices need a central hub for consolidating and managing all aspects of the accommodations process, and students need a simple, user-friendly way of submitting their requests.

## Who Uses Accommodate?



## SOLUTION

Accommodate offers students a convenient and stress-free way of submitting accommodations requests for anything from assistive devices and alternate testing rooms to special religious or dietary requirements. Students will also be connected to an entire note-taker network so they can easily locate the helping hands they need. Accommodate eliminates the exhausting back-and-forth emailing between students and staff, since everything is automated and consolidated into one cloud-based resource. This ensures that students' needs will be met with the speed and efficiency required for them to focus on achieving their maximum potential.

Accessibility services staff will reap the benefits of having all processes and information for accommodation requests consolidated into one place, resulting in drastically increased organization and productivity.

Team members and students will share one core database, simplifying the process for everyone. Accommodate integrates with existing student information systems and calendar programs, like Outlook and Google Calendars, to maintain a clean, synchronized flow of information. Staff members can share their calendar views so students can request appointments instantly, and all accommodations requests can be approved online to save dramatically on paper costs and filing space.

Accommodate also allows staff an incredible level of control over tracking and reporting. Administrators can track device inventory and condition, view test room availability in real time and create ad hoc reports using data from the system to better predict students' future needs.

Furthermore, Accommodate creates and records full audit trails to help schools remain compliant and avoid consequences in the event of an investigation.

## WHO WE ARE

Symlicity is the market leader of student employability solutions. At Symlicity, we are deeply committed to partnering with the global higher education community to redefine student and institutional success by breaking down departmental silos and leveraging Symlicity's smart, innovative technology.



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