

Can students still be tested for a learning disability (LD) during COVID-19?

The American Psychological Association and the Chancellors' Office have authorized us to not test students virtually or in person during campus closure. As the campus is now open, the DRC is currently working on a plan for how to provide LD assessment safely. At the moment, we can provide temporary accommodations while students are waiting to be tested for a learning disability. Here is the protocol

is given to us by the CA Chancellors' Office:

- The first step of the LD testing process, which consists of completing the application and an interview, can be conducted virtually.
- Then students will be placed on the waitlist to be tested when the campus reopens.
- While we are waiting for the campus to reopen, the DRC will provide temporary academic accommodations.

What if I disagree with an approved accommodation?

If you do not agree with an approved accommodation, it is because it probably doesn't apply to your particular course or you are misunderstanding the details of the meaning of the accommodation.

Therefore, it is very important that you meet with your students who deliver an accommodation letter to you. Please take about 15 minutes to discuss all of the details of their accommodations with them.