

Accommodation Policy of Azerbaijan Technical University

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Purpose

This policy aims to provide equitable access to university accommodation for all students, including those with disabilities, in alignment with the institution's commitment to diversity, inclusion, and equal opportunities.

Scope

The current "Document" applies to all students, academic and administrative staff, who participate in all educational, educational programs, and social activities of AzTU.

Goals

Access and Inclusivity: Ensure equitable access to university-provided accommodation for all eligible students, fostering a diverse and inclusive residential community that reflects the student body's demographics and needs.

Safety and Well-being: Create a safe, secure, and supportive living environment within university housing facilities, prioritizing the physical, mental, and emotional well-being of residents.

Academic Success: Support residents' academic success and personal development by providing a conducive living environment that facilitates learning, collaboration, and intellectual growth.

Access and Facilities: University provides elevators for students, especially with disabilities. Furthermore, it will be designed, maintained, and equipped to ensure accessibility for those students.

Safety and Well-being: Create a safe, secure, and supportive living environment within university housing facilities, prioritising the physical, mental, and emotional well-being of residents.

Academic Success: Support residents' academic success and personal development by providing a conducive living environment that facilitates learning, collaboration, and intellectual growth.

Monitoring

Audits and Inspections at AzTU: Conduct regular audits and inspections of accommodation facilities to assess compliance with accessibility standards, safety regulations, and cleanliness requirements. Document findings and address any deficiencies promptly.

Data Collection and Analysis: Collect data on accommodation allocation, occupancy rates, resident feedback, and incident reports to monitor trends and identify areas for improvement. Analyze this data regularly to assess the effectiveness of accommodation services and inform policy revisions specific to AzTU.

Compliance

Regulatory Compliance: Monitor adherence to local Azerbaijani laws and regulations regarding accommodation services, including disability accommodations, safety standards, and privacy laws specific to the context of AzTU.

Documentation and Record-Keeping: Maintain comprehensive records of all accommodation-related activities at AzTU, including accommodation requests, approvals, modifications, and communications, to demonstrate compliance with policy requirements and local regulations.

University Responsibilities

Accommodation Provision: The university is responsible for providing suitable accommodation options that meet the diverse needs of students, including those with disabilities.

Support Services: Providing necessary support services, such as counselling, academic advising, to ensure the well-being and success of all students.

Safety and Security: Maintaining a safe and secure living environment within accommodation facilities, implementing appropriate security measures and emergency protocols.

Student Responsibilities

Compliance with Policies: Adhering to all university policies, rules, and regulations governing accommodation services, including those related to behaviour, safety, and respect for others.

Respect for Facilities: Respecting and taking care of accommodation facilities, including communal areas and personal living spaces, to maintain cleanliness and functionality.

Cooperation: Cooperating with university staff and residential advisors in matters related to accommodation allocation, maintenance, and safety.

Respect for Diversity: Respecting the rights, privacy, and dignity of fellow residents, including those with disabilities, and refraining from behavior that may discriminate or cause harm.

Review

This policy will be reviewed at least every 2 years. The previous version of the policy will remain in full force and effect until the adoption of new version.