

OFFICE OF DISABILITY SERVICES

The Office of Disability Services provides academic assistance to qualified individuals with a documented disability. Documentation must adequately verify the nature and extent of the disability according to current professional standards and techniques and must clearly substantiate the need for the student's specific accommodation requests. Services may include readers, peer note takers, alternate test formats, texts on tape, adaptive technology, general advocacy, and referral services. The office is located in SLB 11 and is open from 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday. An adaptive technology lab, featuring some of the latest technology available for individuals with special needs, is located in SLB 15. For more information, call the office at (217) 206-6666 (voice) or (217) 206-6668 (voice/TTY).

FOOD SERVICE

The Food Emporium, located in the Public Affairs Center, features a variety of choices: the Cook's Nook has "home-style" meals; the Showtime area has cooked-to-order specialties; the grill and deli areas offer hot and cold sandwiches, side dishes, and snacks; the pizza area offers pizza by-the-slice or made-to-

order pizzas with your favorite toppings. In addition, there is a soup/salad bar, bakery items, desserts, beverage isle, and a Grab-n-Go Express area that allows you to get pre-packaged items when you're on the run.

During the fall and spring semesters, the Food Emporium is open Monday-Friday from 7:30 a.m.-8 p.m. and on Saturday and Sunday from 11:30 a.m.-2:30 p.m. and 3:45-6:30 p.m. During the summer term the Food Emporium is open only Monday-Friday. Purchases can be made with cash or by using your i-card with a meal plan. Customers who pay with their i-cards receive discounts.

Another place to get food on campus is the Café, located in the Lincoln Residence Hall. Offering convenience-style items as well as pizza, salads, and sandwiches to those with late-night cravings, the Café is open till midnight every day. The Café opens at 8 p.m. Monday-Friday and at 6:30 p.m. Saturday-Sunday. The Café is a cashless operation. You can make purchases only if you have an i-card and meal plan. The Café is closed during the summer term.

HOUSING

Student housing at UIS includes Lincoln Residence Hall, as well as 146 on-campus apartments and

townhouses; additional townhouse units are scheduled to open in 2003. Both single students and student families are housed on campus. Several residence hall rooms and apartments are specially designed and equipped for students whose mobility is impaired.

Lincoln Residence Hall is home to first- and second-year students enrolled in the Capital Scholars program. Students are accommodated in a four-person cluster arrangement that includes two double-occupancy rooms sharing a bath. Lincoln Residence Hall also includes a fitness room, several floor lounges, and a large multipurpose room as well as a café and serving area. Residence hall students are required to participate in a campus meal plan. Meals are served in the PAC Food Emporium.

Upper-division and graduate students reside in the on-campus apartments and townhouses. Single students are housed in furnished two- or four-bedroom units, where both private and shared bedroom assignments are available. Married students and students with children are assigned to one- or two-bedroom apartments that may be furnished or unfurnished. The number of family units is limited, and the maximum family size that can be accommodated is