JININAH UNIVERSITY FOR WOMEN



Student Disability Policy

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Students with Disabilities

Jinnah University for women has formed the Accessibility Committee as per the guidelines mentioned in the HEC's Revised Policy for Students with Disabilities at HEIs in Pakistan (2021) and has further sent a statement of compliance to the HEC regarding the same.

Statement of Compliance

The Accessibility Committee, a mentioned in the HEC's Revised Policy for Students with Disabilities at Higher Education Institutions in (2021), has been set up at the Jinnah University for Women (JUW) as per the guidelines mentioned in the above-mentioned policy. The following will be the members of the Accessibility Committee at the JUW:

<u>Name</u>	Designation
1- Dr. Rabia Badar (Chair)	Advisor Student Affairs
2- Ms. Samreen Lodhi (Coordinator)	Lecturer
3- Ms. Nida Rasheed (Coordinator)	Lecturer
4- Ms. Syeda Shafaq Shah (Member)	Student
5- Ms. Saniya (Member)	Medical Nurse

The university is currently working on making relevant changes to the University website, the prospectus, and the student handbook to include all information regarding the facilities the university provides to disabled students and the contact information of the appointed disability coordinators.

This task will be completed during the first quarter of 2022.

Moreover, the admission form of the University has now been altered to include the following section for prospective disabled students:

Please provide details of any disability – particularly those that may necessitate your requiring any type of assistance during the course of your studies at the University.

Do you have a disability?	Yes	No 🗌
Nature of disability?		
Cause of disability?		
Student use wheel chair?	Yes 🗌	No 🗌

Additional information regarding special needs:

Currently, the university infrastructure specially the older buildings, which cannot endure major changes, have been fitted with handrails for support while the newer buildings have ramps for wheelchair access etc.

Also, we will take in consideration all the civil engineering matters regarding disable persons.