Service Dog Testing

A service animal is a dog that is individually trained to do work or perform tasks for a person with a disability.

1. **Service dogs must be harnessed, leashed, or tethered and under the handler’s control, unless these devices interfere with the service animal’s work or the individual’s disability prevents using these devices.** In that case, the individual must maintain control of the animal through voice, signal, or other effective controls.

2. Service dogs in the Testing room must remain on the floor near the handler.

3. Service dog needs must be taken care of prior to the beginning of an exam.

4. Service dogs must not pose a disruption to other students in any way.

5. Service dogs must be trained to behave properly in all AEC facilities, which include Testing. Inappropriate behavior that disrupts the normal course of business or threatens the health or safety of others will be required to discontinue testing and reschedule the exam pending professor approval.

A service dog will be removed from Testing if:

1. The service dog is out of control and the handler does not take effective action to control it

2. The service dog is not housebroken

Staff is not required to provide care or food for a service dog.