

**DISABILITY RESOURCE CENTER (DRC)**

	1996-97		1997-98		1998-99	
	FTE	Budget	FTE	Budget	FTE	Budget
<b><u>Category of Expense:</u></b>						
Staff Salaries	5.30	193,907	5.30	200,395	6.58	232,838
General Assistance		14,524		14,524		14,524
Nonsalary/Other		41,271		85,271		58,950
<b>TOTAL by Category</b>	<b>5.30</b>	<b>\$249,702</b>	<b>5.30</b>	<b>\$300,190</b>	<b>6.58</b>	<b>\$306,312</b>
<b><u>Source of Funds:</u></b>						
General Funds	5.30	249,702	5.30	300,190	6.58	306,312
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**MISSION**

As a public post-secondary institution, UCSC is mandated by State and Federal law to make all programs, services, and activities accessible to qualified students and other people with disabilities. The goal of the Disability Resource Center (DRC) is to ensure equal educational access to students with disabilities, and support their retention and graduation.

**DESCRIPTION**

The Disability Resource Center offers the following services to qualified students with disabilities: disability management advising, and services orientation, liaison with faculty, community, and staff, diagnostic screening and referral, test accommodation and other academic adjustments, notetaking, authorization for on-campus van transportation, parking permit recommendations, tutoring referrals, adaptive equipment loan, readers, proofreaders, scribes, typists and transcribers, mobility assistance, library/lab assistance, sign language interpreting and real-time captioning, priority enrollment, Department of Rehabilitation liaison, access to materials in alternate formats, assistance with other access issues, and referrals to on and off campus resources.

**GOALS**

- To work directly with students, faculty and staff to provide reasonable accommodations and effective academic support services for students with disabilities.
- To serve and educate the campus community as a primary resource in providing program access and in ADA/504 compliance; focus on informal complaint resolution and on helping students understand and accept changing accommodation requirements.
- Participate in collaborative efforts to retain and graduate all UCSC students, and specifically target students "at risk".

**ACTIVITY DATA**

- DRC served 550 students with disabilities last year and hired/trained 300+ student employees to perform the following services to qualified students with disabilities.
- As always, the DRC will support and participate in Divisional student retention efforts; continue affiliation with the Coalition for Student Academic Success (CSAS) by all professional staff.