

INCLUSIVE Studying



A compact guide

**for current and prospective students
with a disability or chronic illness**



Further information is available here:



**[www.uni-bonn.de/en/
studying/consultation-and-service/
inclusive-studying](http://www.uni-bonn.de/en/studying/consultation-and-service/inclusive-studying)**

University of Bonn Representative for Students with Disabilities or Chronic Illnesses

If you have a disability or chronic illness that is having or will have an impact on your studies, you can contact the **Representative for Students with Disabilities or Chronic Illnesses** (known as the Disability Representative for short), even before you start your degree program. Her counseling services are aimed at students with sensory impairments or reduced mobility as well as those with chronic somatic or mental health conditions, autism spectrum disorder, dyslexia or other learning difficulties.

She provides advice on anything to do with studying with a health condition or disability, especially regarding **accessibility accommodations for the admission process, during a degree program and in examinations**. She also helps put together applications for individual accessibility accommodations for coursework and examinations, which include extensions for written examinations as well as other adjustments relating to examination formats, practical projects, internships, field trips, stays abroad and the like. It is also a good idea to ask about **leaves of absence, aids** and other relevant aspects.

Counseling is given **confidentially and with a focus on finding a solution** so that students with a disability or chronic illness can study successfully and with self-determination.

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Alongside details of other people you can contact, this web page also has a video for first-semester students as well as information on what those facing special circumstances can apply for, accessibility accommodations, specific services and other topics.



Other counseling available

Central Study Advisory and Counseling Service

Poppelsdorfer Allee 49, 53115 Bonn

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zsb@uni-bonn.de

 www.zsb.uni-bonn.de

If you need additional help or are experiencing a mental health emergency, you can find details of who to contact in the **“Psychological Counseling” information flyer** produced by the Central Study Advisory and Counseling Service.



Other specific counseling services

Students with a disability or chronic illness can obtain specific advice from a student perspective from the **General Students' Committee (ASTA)**:

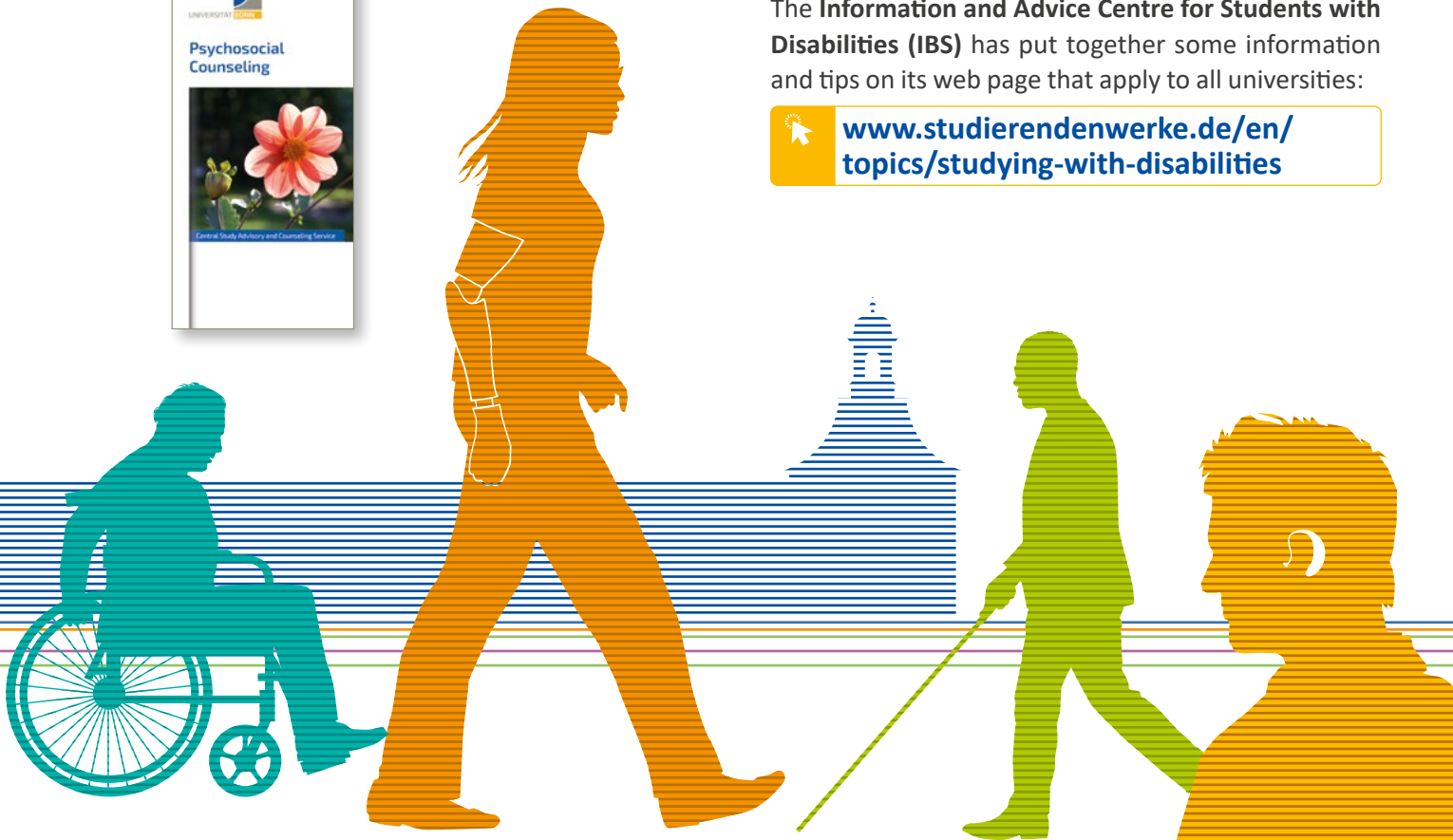
 www.asta-bonn.de/en/departments/cimnd-department

With its Welfare Advice centers, the **Studierendenwerk Bonn** is a key port of call for funding and accommodation matters as well as providing psychological counseling:

 www.studierendenwerk-bonn.de/en

The **Information and Advice Centre for Students with Disabilities (IBS)** has put together some information and tips on its web page that apply to all universities:

 www.studierendenwerke.de/en/topics/studying-with-disabilities



What constitutes a “disability”?



§ 2, para. 1 of Book IX of the Social Code

“Persons with a disability are deemed to be those with physical, mental, intellectual or sensory impairments that, in combination with attitudinal and environmental barriers, are highly likely to prevent them from participating in society with equal rights to others for more than six months if their physical condition and state of health differ from those considered typical for their age. Persons are at risk of disability if an impairment within the meaning of sentence 1 is to be expected.”