

WVU College of Law Update on Accommodations

After discussions with Daniel Long and Susan Henigin of [WVU OAS](#), here is how the College of Law will address accommodation issues:

1. If you receive extended time on exams:
 - a. You will continue to receive that extra time for specifically scheduled finals during exam weeks.
 - b. Under our existing rules, take home exams that normally allow a student more than 24 hours are not entitled to extra time.
2. For individuals with reduced distraction accommodations:
 - a. We will not be able to allow individuals into the building for purposes of studying or taking exams. We apologize, but there is a strict no-access policy in place right now.
 - b. Please check with your OAS case manager and discuss whether you could get additional time on exams or other accommodations to assist with this issue.
 - c. OAS strongly recommends that you reach out to your health care provider to set up a plan to deal with distraction issues during this time.
3. If you have a handwriting accommodation, please reach out to [Associate Dean Wilson](#) to make appropriate arrangements.
4. If you have a recording accommodation
 - a. We will ask all of our professors to record their lectures based upon whatever platform they are using; however, these platforms are new to all of us so feel free to remind them ... gently ... to record and post their notes.
 - b. If you are recording a lecture on a new platform, please let your professor know that you are doing so and recall that any restrictions on use and distribution that were imposed previously continue to apply.
5. If you have a different accommodation that I have not addressed here, please reach out to [Associate Dean Wilson](#).

We know that these are stressful times and we are working with OAS to do our very best to come up with the best solutions possible in these unique times. Please don't hesitate to reach out to [Associate Dean Wilson](#) with concerns.