

## POLICY 1.47 - Accessibility at Western

Policy Category: General

Related Procedures: Procedures for Service Animals on Campus

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Supersedes: (NEW)

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1.0 The University of Western Ontario is committed to recognizing the dignity and independence of all staff, students, faculty and visitors and seeks to ensure that persons with disabilities have genuine, open and unhindered access to University goods, services, facilities, accommodation, employment, buildings, structures and premises.

- 2.0 The University will comply with all applicable Federal, Provincial and Municipal legislation with respect to accessibility and will implement the standards specified under the <u>Accessibility for Ontarians with Disabilities Act, 2005</u> ("AODA, 2005").
- 3.0 Policies, procedures and practices with respect to accessibility, including those required under the AODA, 2005 and its accompanying standards shall be made available on the University's accessibility website at <a href="http://accessibility.uwo.ca">http://accessibility.uwo.ca</a>.