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Sectors of Intervention

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Technology

Policies and Procedures

Education and Training

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Technology

Technology should be accessible to anyone:

Softwares

Hardwares

Assistive Technology

Any Form of Technology

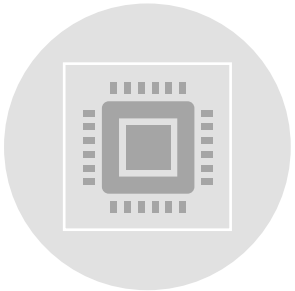
Accessible technology Adoption, Development and Procurement

Accessibility Committee

(Faculty, Staff, and Students)

Policies and Procedures

Develop and implement policies and procedures that ensure all technology used in the institution is accessible.



This includes standards for purchasing, developing, and maintaining technology, as well as monitoring and auditing technology for accessibility.

Education and Training

- Ensure awareness among staff, faculty, and students about the importance of accessibility and how to use accessible technology.

- Train the different types of users on disability types and accessibility guidelines, such as Universal Design for Learning (UDL) and the Web Content Accessibility Guidelines (WCAG).

Student's Academic Experiences Virtual & Physical

Accessible Digital Content

Accessible tools (websites, documents, multimedia can be read with AT)

Accessible Classrooms

Accessible Testing Centers

Trained Staff