



# Department Management Faculty/Staff Matters

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# Agenda



- Employee Assistance Program (EAP)
- Work-Related Injuries/Illnesses
- Leave of Absence
- Reasonable Accommodation

# Employee Assistance Program (EAP)



- Free assistance with Life, Work, Family and Wellbeing
- Professionals trained in employee assistance consultation available 24/7/365 to help.
- Services consist of assessment, referral, and short-term counseling
- [LifeMatters](#)
- Password is matadors

# Reporting a Work-Related Injury/Illness



- Priority is to provide care to employee.
- Care is provided by Klotz Student Health Center (first aid), Concentra and Kaiser On The Job.
- Required forms must be provided and completed within 24 hours.
- Contact Environmental Health & Safety and Human Resources for help. [Workers' Compensation](#)

# How Are Leaves of Absence Triggered?



- Employee requests or takes...
- 5 or more days for self or family illness.
- Time off for parental leave.
- Frequent intermittent time off due to self or family illness.
- [Request a Leave of Absence](#)

# Reasonable Accommodation



- Anytime an employee indicates that s/he is having difficulty performing their job due to a medical reason, stop and consider whether the employee is making a request for an accommodation.
- A reasonable accommodation enables the employee to perform the essential functions of the job.
- [Reasonable Accommodation](#)

# Nursing Mothers' Resources



- We support employees who continue breastfeeding when they return to work.
- 5 Lactation Spaces on campus. [Lactation Spaces Map](#)
- Required to provide a reasonable amount of break time to express milk as frequently as needed by the nursing mother. The frequency of breaks needed will likely vary and should be determined on a case-by-case basis.



# Thank you!

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