the Office of Disability Services (ODS) at Texas State University is
dedicated to supporting the lives of students with disabilities who seek
the goal of higher education. Because each individual's situation is
unique, the ODS asks that any interested student meet with office staff.
Since documentation requirements vary by situation, the ODS staff
member will discuss documentation during the initial consultation,
but no student should delay out of concern for not having appropriate
paperwork.

Texas State University does not discriminate on the basis of disability
in the recruitment and admission of students though students with
disabilities must meet the same admission requirements as all other
prospective students. A student whose educational and/or personal
goals for success have been negatively impacted due to disability-based
reasons may wish to address this in the supplemental essay portion
of the admission application. Students needing sign language or oral
interpreting services for admissions counseling, disability counseling or
academic advising should contact ODS one week prior to the event to
ensure interpreter availability.

Students with disabilities may be entitled to financial assistance from the
Department of Assistive and Rehabilitative Services (DARS).

Texas State University has established a grievance procedure for
the prompt and equitable resolution of complaints related to illegal
discrimination on the basis of disability. This grievance procedure is
described in UPPS No. 04.04.46 (http://www.txstate.edu/effective/UPPS/
UPPS-04-04-46.HTML), Prohibition of Discrimination or Harassment. A copy
is available in the university library, the office of Disability Services and
most other university offices. Students who have concerns or complaints
should contact the ODS Director at 512-245-3451 or the university
Americans with Disabilities Act Coordinator at 512-245-2278.