Accessible Housing

In this document, VORSCHUB has compiled information on accessible housing – both in general and specifically to RWTH. For more information and individual case questions, students may contact vorschub@asta.rwth-aachen.de.

Who Can Offer Advice?

General Contact Points
Before studying, it is wise to get a general overview of the situation from the Gesamtverband der deutschen Studierendenwerke. For general aspects of accessible student housing, see the following website: https://www.studentenwerke.de/de/content/wohnen-1. When you have decided on a university, you can write to the Studierendenwerke (student services) and ASTA there. Important: the Studierendenwerke manage the University's dormitories, while ASTA answers questions about housing in general, including outside of dormitories.

Contact Points at RWTH
The main point of contact for accessible housing at RWTH is Studierendenwerk. The goal of Studierendenwerk is to find individual solutions for the needs of the residents. Therefore, students are encouraged to contact Studierendenwerk directly to explain their needs. The equipment and furnishings of the dormitories can be adapted under certain circumstances. Basically, residential homes have different types of furnishings available for wheelchair users, and those with visual or hearing impediments, for example.
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www.asta.rwth-aachen.de/beratung/behinderung-chronic-illness/

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Domitories and Accessible Living

Accessible housing is available in the Mattschö-Moll-Weg, Kastanienweg 21-35, Hainbuchenstraße 4, 8, 10 and Heinrich-Mußmann-Straße 48-54 (Jülich) dormitories. The Studierendenwerk website can be used to filter according to the amenities of individual dormitories/rooms. This is how it works:

1. In the search mask, go to the "Typ"/type) field.

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2. Scroll down and select "behindertengerechtes Apartment" (accessible apartment):

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3. Select one of the locations and click on "mehr Infos" (more info):

4. At the bottom right you will find an indication of the number and facilities of the dormitories:

Studierendenwerk will be happy to offer advice on individual questions.
Source: https://www.studierendenwerk-aachen.de/de/wohnen/faq.html