

GRAND VALLEY STATE UNIVERSITY DIVISION OF STUDENT AFFAIRS

WHO WE ARE

The Division of Student Affairs (DSA) helps students get the most out of their experience and achieve personal, educational, and career success. DSA is comprised of departments, programs, facilities, services and staff who work within the Division of Student Affairs.

STRONG MISSION

To elevate, challenge, and empower all learners to develop their passions and purpose in a healthy, inclusive, and equitable environment. The Division of Student Affairs positively impacts the university through engaging experiential learning and exceptional student support.

FORWARD VISION

Every learner will belong, persist, and create meaningful lives, careers, and communities.

CORE VALUES

As student affairs professionals, we value:

- Advancing Diversity, Equity, and Justice
- Creating a Community of Care and Respect
- Embracing Collaboration and Creativity
- Empowering Experiential and Engaged Learning
- Enhancing Health and Well-being
- Seeking Understanding Across Differences

STUDENT-CENTERED DEPARTMENTS

Alcohol & Other Drugs Services | Children's Enrichment Center | Dean of Students Office Housing & Residence Life | Office of Student Conduct & Conflict Resolution Office of Student Life | Recreation & Wellness | Student Health Services (Campus Health Center) Student Ombuds | University Counseling Center

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Alcohol & Other Drugs Services | gvsu.edu/aod

Provides prevention, education, and recovery support to assist in establishing healthy choices related to alcohol and other drugs.

Children's Enrichment Center | gvsu.edu/child

Serves GVSU and surrounding community families while educating children, families, and students to nurture habits of intellectual growth, curiosity, and a love for learning.

Dean of Student Office | [gvsu.edu/dso](https://www.gvsu.edu/dso)

Provides advocacy and support for students and families/supporters. Faculty, staff, and community members may use the CARE referral process for students of concern.

Coordinates new student and parent/supporter programs and communication.

Housing & Residence Life | [gvsu.edu/housing](https://www.gvsu.edu/housing)

Provides an option to live independently in a supported environment that promotes community involvement and focuses on growth and development of residents.

Office of Student Conduct & Conflict Resolution | [gvsu.edu/osccr](https://www.gvsu.edu/osccr)

Addresses student code issues while developing a greater sense of self awareness and supporting paths to becoming engaged and productive citizens.

Office of Student Life | [gvsu.edu/studentlife](https://www.gvsu.edu/studentlife)

Offers opportunities that promote engagement and student development through student organizations, Fraternity and Sorority Life, civic engagement, leadership development, campus programs, and the Kirkhof Center.

Recreation & Wellness | [gvsu.edu/rec](https://www.gvsu.edu/rec)

Offers diverse and inclusive fitness, wellness, outdoor, sports and employment opportunities that inspire participation and promote health and wellbeing.

Student Health Services (Campus Health Center) | [gvsu.edu/campushealth](https://www.gvsu.edu/campushealth)

Provides convenient and quality care for injury, infections and illness, women's health, allergies, physicals, and more. Operated by Trinity Health.

Student Ombuds | [gvsu.edu/ombuds](https://www.gvsu.edu/ombuds)

Provides a safe and private environment to discuss and process difficulties, receive guidance, and discuss other available resources.

University Counseling Center | [gvsu.edu/counsel](https://www.gvsu.edu/counsel)

Enhances healthy development through prevention and education, psychological services, and consultation.

For more information:

<https://www.gvsu.edu/studentaffairs/>