Led by Vice President for Student Affairs and Dean of Students Soncia Reagins-Lilly, the Division of Student Affairs works with academic partners, staff, parents and student leaders to influence our students in Living the Longhorn Life®. The Division’s nine departments, 37 units and 39 facilities offer first-class programs, facilities and services—including 15 residence halls, dining facilities, medical and mental health services, new student orientation, recreational sports and two university unions. The Division employs 1,500 students annually and supports 1,000 student organizations, student emergency and veteran services, and leadership programs.

The Center for Students in Recovery provides a supportive community where students in recovery and in hope of recovery can achieve academic success while enjoying a genuine college experience free from alcohol and other drugs.

The Counseling and Mental Health Center serves the university’s diverse campus community by providing high quality, innovative and culturally informed mental health programs and services that enhance and support students’ well-being, and academic and life goals.

New Student Services coordinates programming and initiatives for students year-round to ensure they transition both academically and socially to the university. This includes new student orientation, transition initiatives, off-campus living resources, first-generation student resources, and autism spectrum outreach and education.

The Office of the Dean of Students empowers Longhorns through leadership development, engaging programming, support for close to 1,000 student organizations, as well as specialized services. Those services include conduct, emergency support, student veteran services, hazing prevention, peer support services and more.

Recreational Sports promotes physical fitness, healthy habits and balanced behaviors through an array of recreation facilities, programs, services, special events and student employment opportunities. Programs offered include Intramural Sports, Fitness/Wellness, Outdoor Recreation, Sport Clubs, Instructional and Informal Recreation.

Texas Parents serves all students’ families who need assistance navigating university resources. All parents and families of enrolled undergraduate students are members of the Texas Parents Association, the university’s official association of parents and families that provides benefits to support and promote student success from enrollment through graduation.

University Housing and Dining oversees 15 residence halls, university apartments, and 10 dining and retail venues. By creating transformative living and learning communities, the staff fosters student engagement, growth and success.

University Health Services provides healthcare and public health leadership to support students in reaching their optimal health so they can achieve their academic and personal potential.

University Unions provides a wide array of student services, educational and leadership development opportunities, study and event spaces, and food venues. The department enhances the student experience through our unique and multi-faceted facilities, programs and services, as well as a vibrant student organization.
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