Diversity Services

Diversity services shall strive to provide optimal student services for students at Northland Community and Technical College with focus on but not limited to diverse culture, values, ethnics, disability, orientation, and beliefs which will:

- Promote fair and equal access opportunities for all prospective, minority students enrolled in Northland Community and Technical College.
- Act as liaison for minority communities to express minority educational concerns about technical education and support for minority services within the state and community.
- Be an integral part of the student service system, assisting student services staff in the processes of enrollment retention and placement of minority students.

A primary responsibility of the advisor is assisting students to overcome adversity, which may inhibit completion of their educational programs. Diversity services can aid students with a number of services, including but not limited to academic advising, financial aid, personal assistance, tutoring, placement, or becoming involved in student organizations.

### Academic Advising/Counseling
Refer students to their specific program advisor for appropriate course selection and additional program knowledge, as well as facilitating retention and successful graduation. This may be accomplished through individual efforts of the multicultural student services office, as well as referrals to appropriate college staff.

### Financial Aid
There is a variety of financial aid resources available from federal, state, local, and minority scholarships. The advisor can aid students in completing financial aid forms and in seeking additional funding resources through various agency scholarships.

### Personal Assistance
A full range of counseling services, including career assessments, personal counseling, education information, and testing is available to our students through referral to college and/or community services.

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