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Summary Information

Repository:	Michigan State University Archives and Historical Collections
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Title:	Resource Center for Persons with Disabilities records
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Historical Note

The Office for Handicapped Student Services was created in 1972 in the Office of Special Programs although services may have existed before that time. It was administered by the Office of Special Programs from 1972-1979 and then from 1980-1992 by the Associate Provost for Undergraduate Education. In 1992, it was administered by the Associate Provost for Student Academic Support Services. It is currently administered by Student Affairs and Services.

In 1998, the mission of the department broadened to include services for MSU employees with disabilities. Then in July 1999, the office was renamed the Resource Center for Persons with Disabilities (RCPD).

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Scope and Contents

The records of the Resource Center for Persons with Disabilities consist of the 1989 report, "MSU Transition Plan" detailing the removal of physical barriers to accessibility for MSU buildings. Also included are the "Personal Assistant Handbook", and event flyer, and brochures about the Center's services. The 1983 brochure includes an accessibility map for campus buildings.

Electronic Resources include correspondence in the form of e-mail memos.

Serial #339 contains issues of "Harbinger", the Center's newsletter.

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Controlled Access Headings

- People with disabilities -- Services for
- College students with disabilities -- Services for
- Correspondence
- Electronic mail messages
- Handbooks
- Michigan State University. Office of Programs for Handicapper Students
- Michigan State University. Resource Center for Persons with Disabilities

Collection Inventory

Title/Description	Instances	
Brochures, 1983, 2008, 2011, undated	drawer F.D.	folder 1
Flyer, 2001	drawer F.D.	folder 2
MSU Transition Plan: Federal Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended, Section 504: Subpart C – Program Accessibility, 1989	drawer F.D.	folder 3
Personal Assistant Handbook, undated	drawer F.D.	folder 4
Annual Update, 2010	drawer F.D.	folder 5
Office for Handicapped Student Services creation memo, October 30, 1972	drawer F.D.	folder 6
Oversize		
Tactile Map of MSU campus - for use with Nomad computer, 1996	drawer 5	

Annual Reports

Title/Description	Instances
Unpublished	

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Reports

1983-1984

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Serials

Title/Description	Instances
#339: Harbinger	

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Electronic Resources

Title/Description	Instances
Deans, Directors, and Chairs Memos, 2009-2014	
Announcements: Awards receptions, 2009-2012	
"Maximize Ability and Opportunity" reception, 2014	
Awards reception information, 2015	

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