



Accommodations and Barriers

Current Accommodations

- Designated quiet room with a live stream of the program
- American Sign Language (ASL) interpreter during the program
- Closed Captioning for all videos during the program
- Accessible entrances
- Volunteers available to assist attendees
- Service animals are welcome during the event
- Wellness room for lactation, religious practices, or other needs
- All signs for event rooms include Braille
- Drinking fountains available between the Pavilion and the Great Northern spaces
- Defibrillator available on site
- An all-gender restroom available outside of the Great Northern space

Accommodations Available on Request

- Wheelchair seating at dinner tables
- Halal meal option
- Kosher meal option
- Gluten-free meal option
- If cost is a barrier, please call Mia at 612-946-4930 or email at <u>mkalter@lifeworks.org</u>

Potential Barriers

- Many of the event spaces can get very crowded and noisy
- This event is not scent-free
- Attendees will not be required to provide proof of vaccination, proof of negative COVID test, or wear face masks
- Most of the spaces use fluorescent lighting
- There are no automatic door switches for the restrooms in the Prefunction areas
- Some of the flooring in the event spaces, like the Great Northern and the Pavilion, are carpeted and could make wheeled travel more difficult
- Children are welcome, but the program, dinner, and activities are planned with adults in mind, and the whole event may run over 3 hours
- The sidewalks immediately outside the building and in the parking lot may be uneven and subject to weather conditions, such as water buildup from rain or ice if the weather is still cold