

Northeastern University
Off Campus Student Services
Community Ambassadors
6 to 8 Hours/Week



Off Campus Student Services serves as a communication link and educational resource to Northeastern University students who live off-campus.

Students who do not live in University housing are considered to be off-campus students; approximately half of all Northeastern undergrads reside off-campus. Living off-campus can be stressful at times for students. Learning how to deal with realtors and landlords for the first time, feeling disconnected from campus, and learning to interact with non-student neighbors are some of the issues off-campus students face.

The mission of the Community Ambassadors is to foster and enhance the off-campus student living experience through education, advocacy, and involvement. Community Ambassadors are student employees who work with Off Campus Student Services as liaisons in outreach, program planning, and community building for off-campus students. Responsibilities of a CA include:

- Keep students connected to the university and the community.
- Regularly communicate with students to help with questions about off-campus living.
- Plan and present workshops about renter's rights, moving off-campus, safety, and more.
- Plan events and outings for students in the neighborhood.
- Lead students in community events (i.e. Mission Hill Road Race, Service Day).
- Attend neighborhood association meetings.
- Be a model citizen and student in the neighborhood.
- Inform students about their local neighborhood and community events.
- Inform and educate students about city services and resources.

Qualifications:

Upper-class student; Reside off-campus in local neighborhood fall and spring semester; Good standing at the university (academic and judicial); Satisfactory completion of training.

Skills:

Responsible & dependable; Community-minded; Strong communication skills; Team player; Leadership/mentor skills.

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