

## Survivor Tips on Moving to the “Hill”

- Carefully read the entire Housing packet to ensure that you understand the housing assignment process and policies.
- When selecting your housing choices, remember “adequate” is the key word. The housing process is designed to serve the needs of the entire community. This means that we all need to be flexible and have grace-filled attitudes toward the process. We apportion housing based on family size and there is always the possibility of a larger family displacing you in the future if you are occupying a housing unit larger than that normally assigned to a family of your size. To that end, students may wish to consider requesting a space suitable to their family to improve the likelihood of not being displaced in future lotteries.
- Familiarize yourself with what is or isn’t included with the housing you choose, for example: air conditioning, pets permitted, utility payments, etc. This can be found on the **Schedule of Dormitory and Apartment Rooms**, Document #F612.
- You **must** select at least three housing possibilities but should indicate as many as will be adequate for your needs.
- Give complete information on the Housing application and print clearly.
- If married, your spouse’s legal name **must** be included on the Housing application.
- Contact the housing office, at extension 3004, not other students, if you have a question or concern.
- Be sure to submit your housing application on time to be included in the housing assignment process. Also meet deadlines when returning signed leases and other required documents.
- After submitting your application, keep the remainder of the housing packet for future reference.
- You are responsible for your “move-in” and where you will store personal items/furniture that you can’t use in your campus housing.
- Don’t forget to breathe! Remember, many people have done this before you and they have survived!