Off-Campus Housing Q&A

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Beyond The Diag Information

- Housing search and roommate finder support
- Information and resources for students living off-campus
- Conflict resolution and mediation resources
- Landlord and community liaison
- Neighborhood Ambassadors, providing peer-to-peer activities, programming and support
- Critical Incident and crisis support from Dean of Students
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Neighborhood Ambassadors

- Upper-class UG, and PG students
- Experience of living off-campus
- Able to share lived experiences, and knowledge of navigating off-campus housing landscape
- Offer Virtual Office Hours, for peer assistance and support
- Available during Fall and Winter terms
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Housing search website

- Key features include:
  - Housing search
  - Roommate Finder
  - Resources and other important info
- New website - laptop and mobile friendly!
- Offcampushousing.umich.edu
- Take Time Before You Sign Videos
  - Provides helpful information to know before signing your lease!
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Student Legal Services Information

What is a lease?

What should I consider before signing my lease?

Can I break or cancel my lease?

How do I get my security deposit back?

For more information contact:

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Questions?

Click “raise hand” and you will be called on or you can submit your question via the chat.
Other Upcoming Orientation Events:

Peer-to-Peer Conversation:
- **Housing and Setting up Household Utilities** - August 11, 9-10AM
- **Transportation** - August 12, 1-2PM

Orientation Workshops from Departments:
- **“It’s not just a good idea...It’s the Law!”** - August 16, 10-11:30AM
  - Hosted by Student Legal Services

All workshops are hosted in Eastern Daylight Time, but recordings will be available in the IC Summer Orientation Canvas course for later viewing