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# 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
- ◆ Website is laptop and mobile friendly
- ◆ [Offcampushousing.umich.edu](https://offcampushousing.umich.edu)
- ◆ [Take Time Before You Sign Videos](#)
  - ◇ Provides helpful information to know before signing your lease!

# Beyond The Diag - upcoming events

## On campus orientation events

- Many orientation days in June, July and August, including:
- Transfer student orientation events

## Canvassing

- Visiting near-campus neighborhoods to discuss housing needs and university resources (taking place Tuesday, Aug 20)

## Party in the Park

- Welcome to Michigan event for students living off campus (taking place Monday, Sept 2)

# Beyond The Diag Information

## Contact us

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# Student Legal Services Information

- The Lease Agreement
- Considerations before signing a Lease Agreement
- [Right to Renew](#) in Ann Arbor
- Protecting your [Security Deposit](#)

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You can also [request an appointment](#) online

# Questions?

*Click “raise hand” and you will be called on or  
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