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Excuse Note Policy

Student Health and Counseling (SHAC) at Carleton College does not provide excuse notes for illnesses, injuries or mental health problems that may lead to missed classes, labs, studios, exams, projects or deadlines. This policy resembles those of most other colleges and universities and is consistent with the recommendations of the American College Health Association.

Carleton College expects that students will be honest with their professors regarding their ability to complete work and professors are expected to work with students on these issues. Staff at the [Dean of Students Office](#) is available to provide assistance to students or faculty members who have concerns about attendance issues.

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