

On-Campus Opportunities:

- 1. East-West Center (EWC) Housing:** Located on the UH campus but technically not part of UH, the EWC, probably the best place on campus for graduate students to live since the residence halls are right across the street from the Department of Linguistics and close to the library. The Center has two housing facilities for its student scholarship recipients -- Hale Manoa and Hale Kuahine. In addition, housing in these residence halls is available to students with no formal affiliation with the East-West Center, e.g., University of Hawaii graduate students as space permits. Priority is given to students: 1) majoring in Asia-Pacific related studies, 2) with research or major projects focusing on the Asia-Pacific region, and 3) with professional commitment to the Asia-Pacific region.

- a. Hale Manoa** is a 13-story dormitory serviced by two elevators. Certain floors or units are designated for male only or female only room assignments. Other areas are for coeducational living where married couples are accommodated in double rooms.

Rooms are arranged into living units, with each unit consisting of two double and five single rooms. All rooms have telephone service and broadband internet connectivity. Each living unit has shared bathroom/toilet facilities.

Limited kitchen facilities and coin-operated laundry machines are located on each floor. In addition, residents have access to lounges for TV viewing and small meetings or social functions.

- b. Hale Kuahine** is a four floor dormitory with no elevator. Physical arrangements are similar to Hale Manoa single and double rooms.

The contact information for East-West Center Housing is:

East-West Center

Housing Office

1777 East-West Road

Honolulu, HI 96848

Phone: (808) 944-7801 or Fax: (808) 944-7790

E-Mail: housing@eastwestcenter.org

Website: <http://www.eastwestcenter.org/about-ewc/housing/student-housing/>

- 2. UH Student Housing:** Offers on-campus resident halls and apartments as housing options. **Residence Halls** comprise roughly two-thirds of all on-campus accommodations. The majority of rooms are double occupancy and are furnished with beds, desks, chairs, desk lights and closets. Rooms are equipped with data ports and cable TV outlets. Bed linen, pillows and other personal articles are not provided. If you have a documented special need that requires telephone related attachments (e.g. answering machine, TTY, flashing ringer, flashing alarm clock, etc.), please inform the Student Housing office prior to your arrival. The only halls with air conditioners in its rooms are in Hale Anuenue and Frear Hall. Residents assigned to the residence halls are required to participate in the board program. ALL residence halls are co-ed and smoke-free living environments. There are two complexes which make up residents halls:
 - a. Mauka/Makai Complex:** Frear Hall, Hale Anuenue, Hale Laulima, Hale Kahawai, Gateway Housing and Johnson Hall
 - b. Hale Aloha Complex:** Hale Aloha Ilima, Hale Aloha Lokelani, Hale Aloha Lehua and Hale Aloha Mokihana.

All residence halls offer wired internet access and cable TV. Resident halls are decent to live in although it could be noisy as the majority of the students residing in the dorms are undergraduate students.

Apartments: These facilities were designed for upperclassmen who seek independent living; first-year undergraduates are not assigned here. The one-bedroom apartments (two students) and two-bedroom apartments (four students) are fully furnished with complete kitchen, living room, bathroom and bedroom(s). Utilities are included in the rent charge. Rooms are equipped with data ports and cable TV outlets. Residents must furnish their own kitchen and dining utensils, linen, pillows, telephone and other personal supplies. If you have a documented special need that requires telephone-related attachments (e.g. answering machine, TTY, flashing ringer, flashing alarm clock, etc.), please inform the Student Housing office prior to your arrival. None of the buildings are air conditioned.

- a. **Hale Noelani** – Accommodates residents in five 3-story buildings accessible by stairs and elevators. Consumption of alcoholic beverages are prohibited in this hall. Second-year undergraduates are eligible to reside in Hale Noelani.
- b. **Hale Wainani** – Accommodates students in two high-rise towers (13 and 14 stories) and two low-rise buildings. Units are accessible by stairs and elevators.

The contact information for UH Student Housing is:

Student Housing Services

Frear Hall

2569 Dole Street

Honolulu, HI 96822-2328

Phone: (808) 956-8177 or Fax: (808) 956-5995

E-Mail: uhmsh@hawaii.edu

Website: <http://www.housing.hawaii.edu/>

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- 1. Off-Campus Housing Referral Program** - Located in Student Housing Annex, Johnson Hall B Basement. A referral service provided by the University of Hawai'i, this program has an extensive list of off-campus accommodations (<http://www.housing.hawaii.edu/och/basicoch/OCHaccom.cfm>) are either within walking distance to the University of Hawaii or are along a bus route. Like the Student Housing Office, they also receive an overwhelming number of applicants prior to the start of a semester. Space is limited, therefore it is well advised that you contact these dorms for more specific information and apply immediately. *Rates are subject to change without notice. This list is provided only as a general information item; the University of Hawaii has not inspected these facilities and is not making any recommendations concerning them. Prior to signing a contract be sure to read carefully and be aware of any part of the contract that you are unclear or hesitant about.*

Contact information for the Off-Campus Housing Referral Program:

Central Residential Life Office, Johnson Hall A (Diamond Head side)

2566 Dole Street

Honolulu, HI 96822

Telephone: (808) 956-7356

E-Mail: och@hawaii.edu

Website: <http://www.housing.hawaii.edu/och/>

- 2. Honolulu Star-Advertiser** – A local newspaper that offers daily advertisements for studios, apartments and houses. The Moiliili, Makiki and Manoa neighborhoods are the ones preferred by students because of the close proximity to the university and it's relative safety. You can check their on-line listing at: <http://www.staradvertiser.com>
- 3. Craigslist** – Is a centralized network of online communities, featuring free online classified advertisements – with sections devoted to jobs, housing, personals, for sale, services, community, gigs, résumés, and discussion forums. You can check their on-line listing at: <http://honolulu.craigslist.org/oah/>