

9) APPLICATIONS AND ACCEPTANCES BY DISABILITY

TABLE 9.1 *Applicants and acceptances to Cambridge by disability 2009 and 2008*

Disability	2009			2008		
	Applicants	Acceptances	Success rate (%)	Applicants	Acceptances	Success rate (%)
Specific learning difficulty (i.e. dyslexia)	273	62	23	272	64	24
Blind or partially sighted	24	7	29	32	7	22
Deaf or hard of hearing	21	2	10	31	10	32
Wheelchair/mobility difficulties	20	8	40	14	2	14
Mental health difficulties	35	9	26	20	4	20
Unseen disability (i.e. diabetes, epilepsy, heart condition)	78	18	23	70	16	23
Two or more of the above	28	4	14	20	7	35
Other disability or special need	74	14	19	81	15	19
Autistic spectrum disorder or Asperger's Syndrome	36	14	39	21	5	24
No disability declared	15,104	3,341	22	13,934	3,401	24
Totals	15,693	3,479	22	14,495	3,531	24

This data relates to applicants (who may apply for up to five courses in their UCAS application) rather than the total number of applications made by applicants.