UNIVERSITY DINING SERVICES

Overview

The University Dining Services is a self-supporting auxiliary enterprise which sells food and drinks. It also provides related services, such as catering for students, faculty, and staff. The mission is to provide quality cash and catering services to the University community, to pay all costs incurred in providing these services, and to achieve and maintain an income stream sufficient to cover expenses. University Dining Services at the University are provided through a contract with a commercial food service provider. Selection of the University food service contractor is handled through a competitive "Request for Proposal" (RFP) process, in accordance with University of Texas System Policy, UTS 130, “Vending Machine Contracts”. As the RFP development, bid evaluation, and contractor selection processes occur, meaningful input from students and patrons will be solicited.

In addition to participating in the contractor selection/renewal process, student input may also be solicited during the term of the contract. This input will be in the form of periodic customer satisfaction surveys and possible meetings with student patrons to discuss University Dining Services’ performance.

Information about the University Dining Services, including operating hours, catering information, and weekly menus, is available on the University's web page under Materials Management, University Dining at http://uthscsa.edu/business/materialsmgmt/i-dining-vending.html.

Cafeteria

The University Dining Services, aka Panorama Cafe, located on the first floor of the Academic Learning & Teaching Center building, serves a full-service breakfast and lunch. The Panorama Cafe is open Monday through Friday from 7:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. For information regarding The Panorama Cafe, call 567-0766. For information regarding Catering, contact the Department of Materials Management at 567-5960.
Catering Services

The University Dining Services provides a variety of catered events including breakfasts, luncheons, receptions, and parties. Catering services are offered to any UT Health San Antonio group, or any group sponsored by a department or program. Before catering arrangements are made, a reservation for space must be made with the Office of Academic Space Allocation, Planning and Scheduling (ASAPS) in accordance with the Handbook of Operating Procedures (HOP), Section 9.1.3, “Scheduling of San Antonio Facilities”. Arrangements for tables, chairs, equipment, and set-up needs are made with Housekeeping. Food service arrangements are to be made with the University Dinning Services manager. Please visit our catering web site https://uthscsa.catertrax.com to make catering arrangements.

Sandwiches

The University Dining Services operates a sandwich shop in the Lecture Hall foyer. Normal hours of operation are Monday through Friday from 7:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. During the months of June through August, the sandwich shop is open Monday through Friday from 7:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. The hours of operation are available at http://uthscsa.edu/business/materialsmgmt/i-dining-vending.html. For information regarding the sandwich shop, call 450-8079. For information regarding Catering, call 567-0766 or the Department of Materials Management at 567-5960.