Association of Women in Agriculture

Find your Community
AWA has been called a home-away-from-home for up to 24 woman residents each year since 1994. The organization built the house in an effort to provide affordable housing and a welcoming community for female students interested in agriculture. AWA continues to be a place of refuge and connection for students while keeping them close to campus, classes, collegiate sports and everything else UW-Madison has to offer. Plus, AWA’s cooperative-style living builds life skills and teamwork among house members.

Our fully-furnished house is located at 1909 University Avenue, just a few minutes walk from the ag campus, Camp Randall, Union South and more.

Features:
- Five living pods, complete with kitchenette areas
- Renovated main kitchen (summer 2017)
- Fourteen bedrooms, including six single rooms and two three-person suites
- Free laundry and Wi-Fi
- Quiet study areas, basement meeting room
- Secure keyless entry, state of the art sprinkler and fire system
- On-site parking for up to six residents and street parking available for up to six additional residents
- Repairs and maintenance overseen by House Manager
- Grocery shopping during school year handled by House Steward
- Home-cooked meals served Monday through Thursday (school year only)

Purpose of AWA
To help members prepare for a career in agriculture and agricultural related fields, to aid women in agriculture in achieving their goals, to improve communication among women in agriculture, and for the general betterment of agriculture.

What else to know
AWA is a professional, service and social organization affiliated with the College of Agricultural and Life Sciences (CALS) at the University of Wisconsin-Madison. You don’t need to be a CALS major to join AWA or live in the house. Housing applications are available each year for two separate renting seasons, school year and summer.

Please contact us for a house tour or more information.
awamadison.org/students/housing