



## The Guide to Oregon Residence Classification

Here is a summary of a few key considerations\* in determining classification as a resident for tuition purposes:

- 1) Establishment of a domicile and predominant physical presence in Oregon for a period of 12 months or more prior to the beginning of the term in which resident status is sought.
- 2) Financial dependence on an Oregon resident or financial independence.
- 3) Primary purpose for being in Oregon other than to obtain an education.
- 4) Nature and source of financial resources.
- 5) Various other indicia of residency (e.g., ownership of Oregon living quarters, permanent Oregon employment, payment of Oregon income taxes)

*\* These key considerations are for quick reference purposes only. For a complete explanation of these factors, refer to the rules in the Residency Standards.*

### Instructions for Applying for Oregon Resident Status for Tuition Purposes

To be considered for classification as a resident you must submit the **Residence Information Affidavit** and all other required materials and documents by the last day to register for the term in which resident status is sought (UO summer term: first day of class), but it is highly recommended that all materials be submitted at least 30 days prior to the first day of the term.

### Instructions for Completing the Residence Information Affidavit

#### For Financially Independent Students:

*Please see the Residency Standards for the complete definition of a "financially independent person."*

- 1) Fill out the complete Residence Information Affidavit.
- 2) Provide the following supporting documents:
  - a) Copies of rent receipts, lease agreement, letter from landlord, cancelled checks, or home purchase agreement verifying residency in Oregon for 12 months prior to the first day of the term in which resident status is sought.



## APPENDIX II: Residency Procedure

### A. Definitions

Definitions in the Residency Standards shall also apply to this Residency Procedure.

### B. Changes in Residence Classification

1. Unless otherwise specified in the Residency Standards, if an Oregon resident student enrolls in an institution outside of Oregon and later seeks to enroll in a University that applies these Residency Standards, the residence classification of that student shall be re-examined and determined on the same basis as for any other person.
2. A student who becomes eligible for resident tuition during a term of enrollment at a University will not qualify for resident tuition until the beginning of the next term.
3. Once established, classification as a resident continues so long as the student remains in continuous academic year enrollment in the classifying University.
4. A person who seeks eligibility for resident