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Policy Title: OREGON HERITAGE POLICY

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1. **Policy Statement**

This policy defines the considerations for classification as Oregon Heritage for admissions purposes. Oregon Heritage applicants will be reviewed and assessed using the standards for Oregon residents relevant to a specific degree or certificate granting program.

To be eligible for Oregon Heritage for the purposes of admissions, an applicant must demonstrate that he/she has met one or more criteria as follows:

- Graduated from any Oregon high school and attended at least two years at any high school in Oregon
- Graduated from any regionally accredited college or university in Oregon and attended at least two years at any regionally accredited college or university in Oregon no more than 7 years prior to the time of application
- At least one parent/legal guardian resides in Oregon at the time of application
- A student with Oregon residency as defined by Policy 02-10-010.

To be considered for classification as an Oregon Heritage applicant, verification of the criteria met must be submitted with a student application in a complete and timely manner. This policy applies for admission purposes only and does not establish residency for tuition purposes.

2. **Definitions**

Eligible applicants beyond 7 years from graduation from an Oregon university are subject to the residency consideration factors outlined in OHSU policy 02-10-010.

An applicant is not eligible to establish Oregon Heritage if the applicant is an adult alien present in the U.S. with a nonimmigrant status that precludes a student from establishing a domicile in the U.S.

3. **Responsibilities**

Only duly authorized admissions officers have authority to apply and interpret these rules and procedures.

4. **Procedures**

Schools and programs will implement appropriate procedures to comply with this policy.

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