

Displaced Due to War, Conflict or Disaster (Directive 2023-019)

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Student Information

Name: _____ OHIO PID: _____

Mailing Address: _____ City: _____ State: ____ Zip: _____

Term and year for which you are seeking reclassification: Fall Semester Spring Semester Summer Semester 20_____

Instructions

1. Please print your current address and contact information in the fields provided above.
2. Read through the directive eligibility guidelines and collect the required documentation.
3. Sign and date below and submit this form along with the required documentation to the appropriate office as indicated below:

Undergraduate Students:

Mail: Undergraduate Admissions, 120 Chubb Hall, 1 Ohio University, Athens, OH 45710

Email: admissions@ohio.edu **Fax:** 740.593.0560

Graduate/Medical Students:

Mail: Graduate College, 102 Grosvenor Hall, 1 Ohio University, Athens, OH 45710

Email: graduate@ohio.edu

Please Note the Following:

- Residency and tuition benefit applications and supporting documents have a retention period of six years from the term for which you are applying for reclassification. After six years, all documentation must be destroyed and will no longer be available for retrieval. In some cases, you may be asked to resubmit materials validating your eligibility for in-state tuition in the case that your original documentation has been destroyed.
- Residency and tuition reclassification is never retroactive to a previous term.
- All documentation must be submitted to the appropriate office prior to the last day to register for the term you are seeking reclassification.
- This agreement must be renewed every two years and is currently valid only through the Summer 2025 term. Should this agreement not be renewed, you will be assessed the total non-resident fee effective from the Fall 2025 term onward.

Directive Eligibility Guidelines

This benefit is to “reduce the out-of-state surcharge for students who have been displaced from their home countries due to war, conflict or disaster.”

Undergraduate and graduate students who are in the United States on a legal immigration status of asylee, refugee or temporary protected status (TPS) and that meet all other conditions set forth in ODHE Directive 2023-019 may qualify for an out-of-state surcharge of \$1 to be effective for a two-year period.

This process is only for tuition benefits for students that are approved asylees, refugees, or students on a temporary protected status. Qualifying immigration statuses must be granted by the first day of enrollment. International students holding an F-1 student visa are not eligible under this waiver program.

To receive the tuition benefit, you must show that you meet the qualifications set by the Ohio Department of Higher Education Directive (see required documentation below).

Required Documentation

Official government documentation proving valid status of asylee, refugee, or temporary protected status (TPS) by the first day of enrollment.

Student Signature

I have read the terms of this agreement and understand the limitations of this directive. I certify that the information submitted within this document and all supporting documents is complete and accurate. I understand that submission of inaccurate information is sufficient cause for terminating both the tuition benefit and my enrollment at Ohio University.

Signature _____ Date ____/____/____