



INDIANA UNIVERSITY FORT WAYNE

OFFICE OF STUDENT FINANCIAL SERVICES

2020-2021 Dependency Override Renewal

A student who does not meet the federal criteria for independent status on the 2020-2021 Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) may submit this form (with supporting documentation) for review and determination of existing unusual circumstances. The Higher Education Act allows a Financial Aid Administrator to make dependency overrides on a case-by-case basis for students with unusual circumstances.

Please Note: Parent(s) refusal/inability to contribute to your education, parents not claiming you on their tax return, and/or you supporting yourself are not considered extenuating circumstances. Approvable unusual circumstances would include but are not limited to death of parents, an abusive family environment or abandonment by parents.

Submission: Submit form, narrative, and documentation together at go.iu.edu/FASecure. You will receive an email notification in your university email account of the decision within ten business days.

Documentation Required

Personal Statement by Student

Attach a typed personal statement that summarizes the unusual circumstances with your name, university ID, date, and signature. Your statement should include the following information: (1) last date and nature of parent contact, (2) location of your parents, and (3) how you are supporting yourself.

2020-2021 FAFSA on the Web (<https://fafsa.gov>)

If you have not yet submitted the 2020-2021 FAFSA, complete and submit it as soon as possible for maximum consideration for financial aid from all sources.

Applicant Information

Name:

University ID (10 digits):

Affirmation Statement

My signature below indicates the information on this form and the supporting documents are true and accurate to the best of my knowledge.

Signature and Date: _____

To sign this form, print it then provide your signature and date.