

Unusual Circumstances Explanation of Housing 2024-2025

On the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA®) for 2024-25 or through communication with our office, you indicated you are homeless or at risk of being homeless which determines dependency status. As a result, the Department of Education requires us to review your living situation and determine your dependency status. Please allow up to 4 weeks for processing.

SECTION I – Independent in Prior Years
Have you been previously approved for independent status at COCC? Yes, please complete section II No, please complete section III
SECTION II – Change in Situation
Has your housing situation changed since your prior appeal? Yes, please complete section III No
SECTION III – Explanation of Housing
At any time on or after July 1, 2023, did your high school or school district homeless liaison determine that you were an unaccompanied youth who was homeless or self-supporting and at risk of being homeless? Yes, please attach a letter from your school confirming McKinney-Vento Act. No, please complete detailed explanation below.
Please provide a <u>detailed</u> explanation of your current living arrangements, including information regarding your overnight housing situation, food, transportation and any sources of income or financial support.
By signing this form, I certify the information reported is true and accurate. Adobe or signature type fonts cannot be accepted.
Student name printed COCC ID number
Student signature Date
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