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Topic: Foster Care

Subject: ORS 107.108 - Child Attending School

Applies to (check all that apply):

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| <input type="checkbox"/> All DHS employees | <input type="checkbox"/> County Mental Health Directors |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Area Agencies on Aging | <input type="checkbox"/> Health Services |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Children, Adults and Families | <input type="checkbox"/> Seniors and People with Disabilities |
| <input type="checkbox"/> County DD Program Managers | <input type="checkbox"/> Other (please specify): |

Message: Some youth in the State of Oregon’s custody may qualify for ORS 107.108 “Child Attending School”. When there is an existing active child support order between parents with ORS 107.108 language referenced, the youth will be eligible to receive their child support directly when continuing education after age 18, up to the age of 21. Eligibility requirements are: finishing high school; attendance in a trade or vocational school program; or attending community college or 4-year college, as long as they are attending at least half time.

Child Welfare workers will be contacted directly by a member of the Division of Child Support – Child Attending School (CAS) Team whenever youth on your caseload meets requirements for this program. The CAS team member will be sending the appropriate paperwork directly to Child Welfare workers, which is to be provided to these youth. The CAS team member will also be giving guidance to workers regarding timeline requirements and forms return procedures.

If you have any questions about this information, contact:

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