

Dislocated Worker Verification (DWKR)

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Student's Name _____

Student ID # _____

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Student's UNC Asheville Email Address _____

Student's Phone Number _____

(_____) _____

Dependent Students: According to our records, you answered YES to question 85 on the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) stating that your parent is a dislocated worker.

Independent Students: According to our records, you answered YES to question 103 on the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) stating that you or your spouse is a dislocated worker.

In general, a person may be considered a dislocated worker if he or she:

- is receiving unemployment benefits due to being laid off or losing a job and is unlikely to return to a previous occupation; or,
- has been laid off or received a lay-off notice from a job; or,
- was self-employed but is now unemployed due to the economic conditions or natural disaster; or,
- is a displaced homemaker. A displaced homemaker is generally a person who previously provided unpaid services to the family (e.g., a stay-at-home mom or dad), is no longer supported by the husband or wife, is unemployed or underemployed, and is having trouble finding or upgrading employment.

If a person quits work, generally he or she is not considered a dislocated worker, even if, for example, the person is receiving unemployment benefits.

DIRECTIONS:

Dependent Students: Answer question 1 about your parents.

Independent Students: Answer question 2 about yourself and your spouse, if married.

1. As of today, is either of your parents a dislocated worker?

_____ Yes, my parent is a dislocated worker. Please attach copies of official documentation to support your claim.

_____ No, I made a mistake on the FAFSA. I authorize corrections to be made to my Student Aid Report.

2. As of today, are you or your spouse, a dislocated worker?

_____ Yes, I am, or my spouse is, a dislocated worker. Please attach copies of official documentation to support your claim.

_____ No, I made a mistake on the FAFSA. I authorize corrections to be made to my Student Aid Report.

OFFICIAL DOCUMENTATION:

1. Letter of explanation regarding your situation.
2. Copy of certification showing that your parent (for dependent students) or you / your spouse (for independent students) are classified as a Dislocated Worker. You can become certified as eligible at any Work Source Career Center or Employment Security Commission in your state of residence.

By signing this form, each person certifies that all of the information reported to qualify for federal student aid is complete and correct.

WARNING: If you purposely give false or misleading information on this form, you may be fined, be sentenced to jail, or both.

Student's Signature: _____

Date: _____

Parent's / Spouse's Signature: _____

Date: _____