



## DEPENDENCY OVERRIDE

Financial Aid Office has the authority, through Section 480(d)(7) of the Higher Education Act, to change a student's status from dependent to independent in cases involving unusual circumstances for financial aid purposes.

Premiere Career College will review your file for a Dependency Override in cases of abuse, abandonment, or neglect. If your situation falls under one of these reasons, reach out to one of our Financial Aid representatives for proper determination and application.

We cannot process a dependency override for any of the following reasons:

- Parents refuse to contribute to the student's education;
- Parents are unwilling to provide information on the application or for verification;
- Parents do not claim the student as dependent for income tax purposes;
- Parents live in another state or country;
- Student demonstrates total self-sufficiency.

### HOW TO APPLY FOR A DEPENDENCY OVERRIDE:

1. Complete the Application for Federal Student Aid from the Financial Aid Office
2. Submit all forms and supporting documentation to Financial Aid Office
3. Allow 2-3 weeks for the Dependency Override to be processed.

Contact Financial Aid Office for more information:

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