

Tuition and Coding Presentation

District Responsible for the Costs of Education

1. Court Names a District
2. Court Fails to Name a District:

Regular Education Students ORC - 3313.64

C(2)(a) The district in which the child's parent resided at the time the court removed the child from home or at the time the court vested legal or permanent custody of the child in the person or government agency, whichever occurred first;

(b) If the parent's residence at the time the court removed the child from home or placed the child in the legal or permanent custody of the person or government agency is unknown, tuition shall be paid by the district in which the **child** resided at the time the child was removed from home or placed in legal or permanent custody, whichever occurred first;

Students with a Disability - ORC 3323.01

(L) "School district of residence...means:

(1) The school district in which the child's natural or adoptive parents reside;

(2) If the school district specified in division (L)(1) of this section cannot be determined, the last school district in which the child's natural or adoptive **parents** are known to have resided if the parents' whereabouts are unknown;

3. The court states "No District is Responsible for the costs of education".

How Received Element

- D - Non-Foster Court Placed Student
- J - Non-Foster Non-Court Placed Student
- P - Court-Placed Students, Excluding Foster Care and facilities defined by ORC §2151.65 or §2152.41
- T- Students Placed in Institutions, Non-Court Ordered
- W - Non-resident – Attending under Title I Public School Choice

Grandparent Laws

1. Grandparent Power of Attorney - filed by parent, guardian or custodian of a child
2. Child Caretaker Authorization Affidavit - (CAA) filed by the grandparent when the child's parent, guardian, or custodian cannot be located.

The Power of Attorney states the full authority for each child under the age of eighteen shall be granted to the grandparents by the parent. The Caretaker Authorization Affidavit states that full authority for each child under the age of eighteen shall be granted to the requesting grandparent.

Under both the POA and the CAA:

1. Grandparent is defined as the parent of the parent of the child.
2. This includes care, custody, and control of the child including decisions regarding school matters and to consent for any medical, dental and psychological care the child may require.
3. Remains in existence until a child graduates from high school unless the child ceases residing with the grandparent.
4. Tuition: **None to be billed. Coded as attending resident district.**

State law also provides for a child under the age of twenty-two, **not** requiring special education, with the consent of both Boards of Education eligibility to live with the resident grandparent on a year-by-year basis. It did not however go as far as to say that the grandparents have parenting rights and privileges.

DOR - Sent To Reason: 64 Situation Code: 140 Ed Dist - How Received: 7 Situation Code: 97

Placements other than Typical Foster Placements

Sent To Reasons CE vs CI

CE Court-Ordered Institutional Placements into a Facility as defined by ORC §2151.65 or §2152.41

ORC §2151.65 Facility(ies) where delinquent children, dependent children, abused children, unruly children, or neglected children or juvenile traffic offenders may be held for training, treatment, and rehabilitation. Either a single county or 2 or more adjoining or neighboring counties.

***District where the facility is located, ESC or other Non-EMIS Reporting Entity direct bills Resident District per ORC 3317.30.**

ORC §2152.41 A detention facility (for juveniles only) within a convenient distance of the juvenile court used to detain alleged delinquent children until final disposition, for evaluation, to confine children who are adjudicated delinquent children, and adjudicated juvenile traffic offenders. Detainment is for a period of 90 days or less. Either a single county or 2 or more adjoining or neighboring counties.

CI Court-Ordered Institutional Placements, excluding foster care and facilities defined by ORC §2151.65 or §2152.41 This includes both students with and without disabilities. Essentially all other facilities.

Under both ORC §2151.65 and §2152.41 the placement is made by the court. Ask the facility to declare if they are operated under either of these statutes.

Private Pilot Treatment Facilities

Students are referred to these facilities through DYS, the Department of Human Services, Children's Services, and the Juvenile Courts. Facilities are residential treatment facilities and include **RECLAIM Ohio, Abraxas** in Shelby, **Light House at Paint Creek** in Bainbridge and the **Female Initiative for Rehabilitation and Skills Training (F.I.R.S.T.)** in Mansfield.

Sent To Reason: PP Situation Code: 384

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The youth commits a crime that would be a felony if committed by an adult and is placed in DYS by the juvenile court. **Sent To Reason: FP Situation Code: 157**

Out of State Tuition

An Attorney General's opinion advised that when an abused, neglected, or dependent child has been committed to the temporary or permanent custody of a public children services agency and placed by the public children services agency in a private residential facility in another state, and the other state is a member of the Interstate Compact on the Placement of Children, the costs of educating the child shall be paid.

Sent To Reason: CO Situation Code: 614

If the student is in categories 2-6 special education and the district's costs for the fiscal year for a exceed the threshold catastrophic cost, you may submit for reimbursement through the Catastrophic Cost System.