



UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA



# RECIPROCITY Q&A

## Wisconsin, North & South Dakota, Manitoba and the University of Minnesota Twin Cities

### What is reciprocity?\*

Students from Wisconsin, North & South Dakota, and Manitoba, CA can apply for reciprocity, which allows them to pay a tuition rate that is comparable to the in-state, resident tuition rate of students from Minnesota. For students with reciprocity, the University of Minnesota offers a world-class education at a great value.

### How do I apply for reciprocity?

You must contact the reciprocity program office in your home state before the beginning of the term for which you are admitted. Reciprocity application forms are usually available in April for the following academic year. Please contact your home office (listed on the back) for application next steps.

### Do I have to apply for reciprocity every year?

No, your reciprocity tuition status is automatically renewed if you are a continuing student on the same campus. Exceptions to this include: study abroad or study on a National Student Exchange (NSE) program for an academic year, or a one-year absence from school at the University of Minnesota for an academic year. In these cases, you must reapply for reciprocity.

### What is the deadline for the application?

Students should apply for reciprocity after they have been admitted to the U of M and **before** the start of the term for which they will enroll. Forms are generally available in April from your home state's reciprocity program office. The final deadline is the last day of class for the term for which you would like reciprocity tuition rates.

### Can my application for reciprocity be denied?

Because reciprocity is approved by your home state and is based upon your residency status in that state, you must meet **your state's** criteria for residency. You should contact your home state's reciprocity program office if your application is denied.

### What if I forget to apply for reciprocity?

Students are only eligible for reciprocity tuition rates for those terms in which reciprocity was granted by the home state. Be sure to apply as soon as possible so that you can be eligible for future terms.

### Do I have to apply for reciprocity again if I transfer to the U of M Twin Cities from another public institution in Minnesota where I have reciprocity?

You must notify, in writing, your home state's reciprocity program office that you are transferring to the University of Minnesota Twin Cities. This includes transfers between the system campuses at Morris, Duluth, Crookston, and Rochester.

### What if reciprocity agreements end?

If you enter the University under the current reciprocity agreements, and reciprocity is dissolved while you are a student, you will continue to be eligible for reciprocity under the original agreement as long as you maintain consecutive term enrollment for fall and spring semester of each academic year through graduation. In the event that the reciprocity agreement is ever dissolved, the University would be notified by the state higher education agencies well in advance of the program's end.

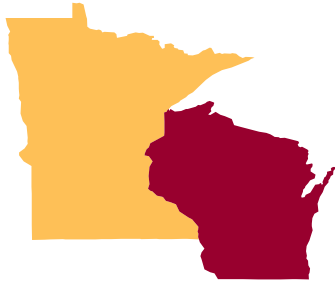
*\*Please note that the reciprocity agreement with each state excludes certain professional programs as indicated for each state on reverse.*

# RECIPROCITY QUESTIONS

If you have additional questions, please contact your home state reciprocity program office or contact us in the Office of Admissions.

Office of Admissions - Residency/Reciprocity  
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240 Williamson Hall  
231 Pillsbury Drive S.E.  
Minneapolis, MN 55455-0213  
612-625-6330 or 1-800-752-1000  
<http://admissions.tc.umn.edu>

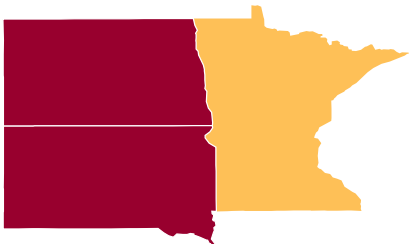
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Wisconsin Higher Educational Aids Board  
P.O. Box 7885  
Madison, WI 53707-7885  
608-267-2209  
<http://heab.state.wi.us/>

\*Please note that the reciprocity agreement with Wisconsin does not include students in the following first professional programs: Dentistry (D.D.S.), Medicine (M.D.), and Veterinary Medicine (D.V.M.).

## NORTH & SOUTH DAKOTA



**North Dakota:**  
North Dakota State Capitol Building  
600 E Boulevard Avenue, Dept. 21  
Bismarck, ND 58505-0602  
701-328-2964  
<http://ndus.nodak.edu>

**South Dakota:**  
South Dakota Board of Regents  
Reciprocity Program  
Box 511  
Brookings, SD 57007-1198  
605-688-4093  
<http://www.mheso.state.mn.us/>

\*The reciprocity agreement with North Dakota will not include students in the following first professional programs: Dentistry (D.D.S.), Law (J.D.), Medicine (M.D.), Pharmacy (D.Pharm), and Veterinary Medicine (D.V.M.).

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\*Please note the reciprocity agreement with Manitoba does not include students in the following first professional programs: Dentistry (D.D.S.), Medicine (M.D.), Pharmacy (D.Pharm.), and Veterinary Medicine (D.V.M.).