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ABAWD – Able Bodied Adults without Dependents

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SNAP Time Limits for individuals with an ABAWD status

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Who has an ABAWD status

Adults 18 through 49 (not yet 50)

No minor child in their SNAP filing group (under 18)

Able to work

Why does it matter if someone has an ABAWD status?

Those with an ABAWD status will be required to do 80 hours of work or work related activities per month

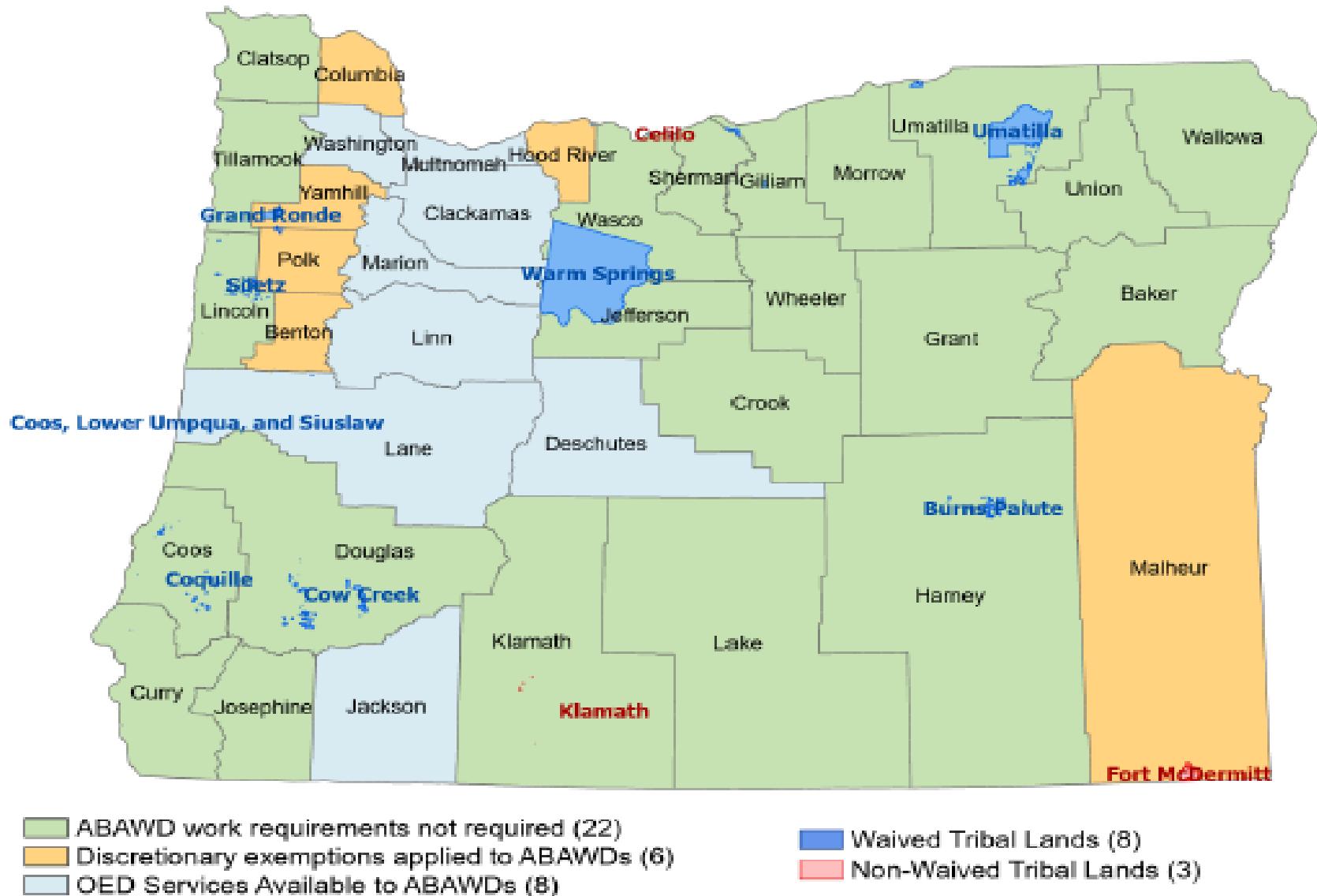
SNAP benefits will be closed if they don't participate after three months

Why is Oregon changing this rule now?

Oregon stopped
being eligible for a
STATEWIDE waiver
December 2022.

Public Health
Emergency is being
officially ended May
11, 2023.

Areas Impacted by SNAP Time Limits July 2023*



Oregon Counties – July 2023

Waived Counties	Non-Waived Counties	
ABAWD work requirements will not be required (22)	DEs applied to ABAWDs (6)	OED Services Available to ABAWDs (8)
Baker	Klamath	Benton
Clatsop	Lake	Columbia
Coos	Lincoln	Hood river
Crook	Morrow	Malheur
Curry	Sherman	Polk
Douglas	Tillamook	Yamhill
Gilliam	Umatilla	Multnomah
Grant	Union	Washington
Harney	Wallowa	
Jefferson	Wasco	
Josephine	Wheeler	

Tribal Lands- July 2023

Waived Tribal Lands	Non-Waived Tribal Lands
ABAWD work requirements will not be required (8)	See notes for each which impact application of SNAP time limits
Burns Paiute Tribe	Celilo Village
Confederated Tribes of Coos, Lower Umpqua and Siuslaw	Fort McDermitt Paiute and Shoshone Tribes of the Fort McDermitt Indian Reservation, Nevada and Oregon
Confederated Tribes of Siletz Indians	Klamath Tribes
Confederated Tribes of the Grand Ronde	
Confederated Tribes of the Umatilla Indian Reservation	
Confederated Tribes of Warm Springs Reservation	
Coquille Indian Tribe	
Cow Creek Band of Umpqua Tribe of Indians	

[1] Located within waived county, therefore not subject to SNAP time limits.

[2] Located within a county which will use discretionary exemptions.

[3] Located within a waived county, therefore not subject to SNAP time limits.

Who is exempt from the ABAWD program

Those who meet an exemption which prevents them from working

Those who are doing work related activities

Those who live in counties waived or applying discretionary exemptions

Timeline of activities





Oregon Employment Department is our primary contractor who will be providing services to those with an ABAWD status:

There are many great opportunities available through the ABAWD program at OED.

OED SNAP Coaches will help those with ABAWD status identify their training or employment goal.

For those ready to go to work:



Find out more about jobs they want



Prepare for interviews in today's job market



Receive one-on-one job placement

Training is a great option!



**ATTEND SCHOOL OR
SHORT-TERM TRAINING**



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**ENROLL IN ENGLISH
LANGUAGE ACQUISITION**

Individuals with an ABAWD status may also receive support services:

Transportation costs

Work clothes

Work Equipment

Identification

Tuition

And more!

Workfare

The Workfare program allows those with ABAWD status to participate in the ABAWD program for a reduced amount of hours based on the FLSA calculation, instead of 80-hours per month.

This program will help them develop job skills at a local non-profit or public agency.

