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## **Residence Restrictions for Registered Sex Offenders**

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State+	Physical Location of Residence^	Homeless	Reside with Who?	Other*
Alabama	§15-20A-11: No adult sex offender may reside within 2,000 feet of a school or child care facility. Nor shall a residence be established within 2,000 feet of the victim's residence (also includes victim's immediate family). (exceptions under 15-20A-23 and 24).	§15-20a-12: A sex offender who becomes homeless must appear to report that fact in person to local law enforcement, and then continue to report in person every seven days until a fixed address is established and other provisions apply.	§13A-11-204: Offender may not reside with an unrelated registered sex offender.  §15-20A-11: No adult sex offender shall reside with a minor (exceptions for parents, siblings etc.)	§15-20A-42: The Department of Public Safety shall immediately forward sex offender registration information to each county or municipality where the sex offender resides; and also to the United States Marshals Service if the sex offender is relocating to a foreign country.
Alaska				§12.63.010: Upon change of address the registered sex offender must provide written notice within one working day. (For outside residents you have one

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Arizona	§13-3727: Offenders required to register may not reside within 1,000 feet of any private school, public school, or childcare facility. (exceptions for minors, probationers, and several others).	§13-3821: If a sex offender has multiple or no permanent address they must register no less than every 90 days as a transient.	working day from the time you become physically present in Alaska). §13-3822: Upon moving a sex offender shall notify law enforcement in person and in writing within 72 hours.
Arkansas	§5-14-128: Level 3 and 4 sex offenders may not reside within 2,000 feet of any public or private elementary or secondary school, public park, youth center, or daycare facility. (exceptions are made for offenders living near newly established restricted locations).  §5-14-131: A level 3 or 4 sex offender may not knowingly reside within 2,000 feet of		§ 12-12-904: Offenders must provide written notice within 5 days of relocation.  §12-12-906: Upon moving from out of state a sex offender has seven calendar days to register. [Effective until 91 days after final adjournment of the 2021 Regular Session].  §12-12-909: A sex offender changing residence within
	reside within 2,000 feet of their victim.		changing residence within the state must give 10 days prior notice to law enforcement.
California	§3003.5 which regulates where sex offenders can live	<b>§290.011:</b> Homeless or transient sex	<b>§290.010:</b> Sex offenders must register all addresses



	in relation to parks and	offenders are required	that they regularly reside at
	schools was found	to register at	regardless if they are in the
	unconstitutional by a	whatever location	same jurisdiction.
	California Court of Appeals.	they are at within 5	
	The California Supreme Court	business days of	§290.013: Sex offenders
	has granted a petition for	release. Thereafter	have five working days to
	review and will address this	they are required to	register from the time they
	issue in the near future.	register every 30 days.	enter or change their
		If the sex offender	residence in California.
	§290.010: Offenders must	establishes a	
	register every location of	residence they shall	
	regular residence regardless	have 5 business days	
	of the number of nights spent	to notify law	
	at each location (must	enforcement of such	
	register location even if it is	action. Transient sex	
	in the same jurisdiction).	offenders, as part of	
		registration, shall list	
		the places where they	
		sleep, eat work,	
		frequent or go for	
		leisure.	
Colorado		<b>§16-22-109:</b> Homeless	<b>§16-22-108:</b> A sex offender
		sex offenders should	has five business days to
		provide information	register any additional
		about public or private	residences once they are
		locations where they	established. Additionally, a
		can be found or	sex offender has five
		habitually sleep. Sex	business days to register at a
		offenders who lack a	new address if they move. If
		fixed residence are	a sex offender plans to leave
		subject to annual	the state of Colorado they



		registration, quarterly,	have five business days to
		and monthly	file a registration
		reporting.	cancellation form.
Connecticut	<b>§54-259a:</b> [Repealed]	<b>§17b-800:</b> Shelters	§54-253: Sex offenders
		serving homeless	moving into the state must
		families may not	register without undue
		admit sex offenders	delay.
		that are required to	§54-252: A violent sexual
		register.	offender has three days to
			register upon moving to the
			state.
Delaware	11 §1112: Sex offenders may		11 §4120: Sex offenders
	not reside within 500 feet of		have three days to register
	the property of any school.		upon becoming a
			permanent or temporary
			resident of the state. Three
			days is also the requirement
			for notification of change of
			address. Offenders can be
			considered temporary
			residents if they reside for 7
			days or an aggregate of 30
			days in a 12 month period.
Florida	<b>§775.215:</b> An offender who	<b>§943.0435:</b> Sex	<b>§943.0435:</b> Sex offenders
	has been convicted of sexual	offenders living in a	have 48 hours to report in
	battery, lewd or lascivious	vehicle or boat must	person after establishing a
	offenses committed upon or	provide a description	permanent, temporary, or
	in the presence of persons	and identification of	transient residence in the
	less than 16 years of age,	that boat or vehicle.	state. The same 48 hours is
	sexual performance by a	<b>§775.21:</b> Sex	allowed to provide notice of
	child, computer pornography	predators who live in a	change of address. Sex



	or prohibited computer usage or traveling to meet a minor, or selling or buying of minors where the victim was under the age of 16 may not live within 1,000 feet of a school, child care facility, park or playground.	vehicle, trailer, boat etc. must provide a description of the residence.	offenders also have 48 hours to give notice of intent to leave the state and must provide information about their future residence. The same is required of sexual predators under §775.21.
	(exceptions if the prohibited area is constructed after residence is established).		
Georgia	§42-1-15 (See §§42-1-16 and 17 for crimes prior to July 1, 2008): A sex offender who is required to register shall not reside within 1,000 feet of any child care facility, church, school or area where minors congregate. (Exceptions are made for residences established prior to the construction of a banned area).		§42-1-12: 72 hours notice must be given prior to a sex offender moving/changing their address.
Hawaii		<b>§846E-2:</b> If a person does not have an address when registering they must describe a place or area in which they reside for 30	<b>§846E-6:</b> Offenders must notify the attorney general in writing of the address of a new residence within three working days. Being absent for 10 days or more is considered establishing a new residence.



		(nonconsecutive) out		
		of 60 days.		
Idaho	<b>§18-8329:</b> A registered	<b>§18-8308:</b> An offender	<b>§18-8331:</b> A	§18-8309: An offender shall
	offender may not reside	that does not provide	registered sex	appear in person within two
	within 500 feet of the	a physical residence	offender may not	working days to give
	property on which a school is	address shall report in	reside in any	updated information on a
	located. (Not applicable to	person once every	residential dwelling	change of address. Any
	residences established prior	seven days to the	unit with more than	lodging lasting seven days or
	to July 1, 2006; exceptions	sheriff of the county	one person who is	more is also cause for
	are also made for	and describe the area	also required to	notification. Intentions to
	treatment/incarceration	where they are	register. (exceptions	move out of the state or the
	facilities and approved	residing. The sheriff	to those residing	United States must also be
	homeless shelters or	shall then visit the	together prior to the	made known to the sheriff.
	recovery facilities).	described location	implementation of	
		once a month to verify	this law). A city or	
		the location.	county may establish	
			residential house(s)	
			for multiple	
			offenders under	
			certain restrictions.	
Illinois	<b>730 §150/8:</b> A child sex	<b>730 §150/3:</b> A sex	<b>730 §150/3:</b> Child sex	<b>45 §20/2:</b> No person on
	offender may not reside	offender must notify	offenders must	conditional release as a
	within 500 feet of a school,	law enforcement in	report if they are	sexually dangerous person
	park, or playground. Child sex	person of their last	residing with anyone	shall have their residency
	offenders also may not reside	permanent address	under the age of 18	transferred to Illinois unless
	within 500 feet of a facility	within 3 days if they	who is not their own	they comply with the Sex
	providing services exclusively	no longer have a	child (provided their	Offender Registration Act,
	to those under the age of 18	permanent residence.	child was not the	comply with DNA
	unless they meet specified	Additionally, persons	victim of their crime).	requirements, and sign a
	exceptions.	who consistently don't	(See also <b>730</b>	form approved by DOC
		have a fixed residence	§150/6).	

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		must report weekly in	acknowledging these
		person to law	requirements.
		enforcement and	<b>730 §150/3:</b> A sex offender
		report where they	must register with the chief
		stayed for the last 7	of police or sheriff after
		days. (See also 730	residing or temporarily
		§150/6).	residing in an area for an
			aggregate of 3 days in one
			year.
			<b>730 §150/4:</b> A sex offender
			leaving the state must
			register in the new
			jurisdiction within 3 days.
			(See also <b>730 §150/6</b> which
			in addition to replicating the
			provisions above requires a
			10 day prior notice of
			moving outside of the
			state <b>).</b>
Indiana	§11-13-3-4: A probationer or	**§11-8-8-12:	** <b>§11-8-8-7:</b> A sex offender
**(Retroactive	parolee may not reside	Offenders who live in	must register in Indiana if
application of	within 1,000 feet of their	temporary housing	they spend 7 out of 180 days
any of these	victim for a period of 5 years.	must report every 7	in the state or if they own
sections may be	The parole board may require	days in person.	property and are present in
affected by Vida	as a condition of parole for	Offenders who do not	the state. If the offender
v. State 946	an offender to reside in a	have a residence must	resides in more than one
NE.2d 664;	certain area. Notice to	also report in person	county then they shall
however the	schools is required if that	every 7 days and also	register in both. Upon
opinion is	area is within 1,000 feet.	give an address for	moving to a county or
unpublished).	(Unconstitutional under	where they will be	acquiring real estate in a
	Bleeke v. State 982 NE.2d	staying.	

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			address, then the offender has 72 hours to appear in person and notify law enforcement of the change.
			(Repeated in §11-8-8-11).
	§692A.114: Offender shall not reside within 2,000 feet of as school or a childcare facility. Exceptions are provided by law.		§692A.104: Within 5 days of moving, sex offenders shall report the change of residence in person. If an offender resides in multiple counties they shall register in both counties in person and provide dates for when they will be at each residence.  §692A.105: If an offender leaves their primary residence for 5 days or more, they shall appear in person to notify the sheriff of the location and duration they will be gone.
Kansas		<b>§22-4905:</b> Transients must report to law enforcement within 3	<b>§22-4905:</b> Offenders must register in person within 3 days of moving to a county.

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		days of entering a jurisdiction. After that transients must register every 30 days and provide a list of places where they sleep or can be found.	They must register in person upon any commencement, change, or termination of residence.
Kentucky	§17.545: No offender shall reside within 1,000 feet of a school, preschool, daycare, or publically owned playground. If a school or other prohibited place is established, 90 days are allowed for compliance.  *(See unconstitutional ex post facto application in Com v. Baker 295 S.W.3d 437).		§17.510: A sex offender moving into the state or a county must register within 5 working days of relocation. A change of address within the same jurisdiction shall be given to law enforcement at the time of or before the move. If moving out of jurisdiction, notice shall be given to the current jurisdiction on or prior to the move.
Louisiana	§15:538: As a condition of probation, parole, or suspension, offenders are prohibited from residing within 1,000 feet of any school, day care, group home, residential home, or child care facility as defined in R.S. 46:1403, a family child day care home as defined in R.S. 46:1441.1, playground,		§15:542: Offenders must register in person within 3 days of establishing a residence in Louisiana.  *(Unconstitutional at least in part under Doe v. Jindal 851 F.Supp.2d 995 – legislation pending).  §542.1.2: Offenders must notify in person within 3 days if they are leaving their



public or private youth	residence permanently,
center, public swimming	establish a new or different
pool, or free-standing video	residence, or if they have
arcade facility.	been absent from the
areade raemey.	current address of
	registration for more than
	thirty consecutive days or an
	aggregate of thirty days or
	more per calendar year and
	is physically present at
	another address during that
	same time period. Also, the
	offender shall give notice in
	person at least three days
	prior to establishing
	temporary lodging and
	provide temporary lodging
	information regarding any
	place where the offender
	plans to stay for seven
	consecutive days or more.
	<b>§542.1.3:</b> Out of state sex
	offenders have 3 business
	days to comply with
	registration and 21 days to
	comply with notification
	requirements. New
	residents must register
	every 3 months until a
	determination of frequency
	is made. Residents of

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			Louisiana should provide 3
			days notice prior to moving
			out of state.
Maine	<b>30-A §3014:</b> State law		<b>30-A §11222:</b> Within 24
	prohibits any local regulation		hours of establishing a new
	of sex offender residency		residence in Maine, sex
	except as specifically		offenders shall notify local
	provided for Class A, B, or C		law enforcement.
	sex offenders whose crime		Additionally, offenders shall
	was against someone under		then notify the bureau in
	the age of 14. Local		writing within 5 days.
	government may restrict		Offenders moving out of
	these specific offenders by		state also have 5 days to
	issuing residence ordinances.		notify the bureau of the
	Those ordinances may only		change in writing. Other
	restrict residences to a		restrictions on registration
	proximity of 750 feet to		and notice are imposed
	schools or municipal owned		based on the year the
	property that's primary use is		offender was sentenced.
	for children.		(See also <b>30-A §11223</b> ).
Maryland		[Crim. Pro.] §11-705:	[Crim. Pro.] §11-705:
		Transient and	Offenders have 3 days to
		homeless offenders	register after establishing a
		have 3 days to register	temporary or permanent
		in person initially upon	residence in the state,
		entry into the state	applying for a drivers
		and each county	license, or habitually living in
		thereafter. Following	the state. Transient
		initial registration,	offenders also have 3 days
		homeless offenders	to register upon entry into
		shall register in person	the state. If provision of

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	on a weekly basis until	additional information is
	they are no longer	necessary, registration in
	homeless.	person may be required. If
		an offender changes
		residences within the state
		they also have 3 days to
		register. Offenders shall
		also give notice of 3 days
		prior to leaving the United
		States. If the offender
		resides at a different
		residence for more than 5
		days or if they plan to be
		absent from their residence
		for more than 7 days they
		must provide notice in
		writing or in person. (See
		also §11-710).
Massachusetts	<b>Ch. 6 §178F:</b> An	Ch. 6 §178E: An offender
	offender who is	intending to move within
	homeless must mail a	the commonwealth shall
	registration form to	give notice in writing 10
	the board every 30	days prior. Notice in writing
	days.	is also required 10 days prior
	Ch. 6 §178F1/2:	to leaving the
	Homeless sex	commonwealth.
	offenders shall also	
	appear in person	
	every 30 days to verify	
	registration.	

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	Ch. 6 §178F3/4: A		
	homeless offender		
	shall wear a GPS or		
	comparable device		
	administered by		
	probation.		
<b>§28.735:</b> Specific offenders	<b>§28.727:</b> Homeless		§28.724: Specified offenders
shall not reside within a	offenders must		shall register with local law
school safety zone.	provide a location or		enforcement immediately
Exceptions are made for	areas used in lieu of a		after becoming domiciled or
inmates, committed	residence and the		establishing a temporary
individuals, students etc.	village, city, or		residence.
Offenders have 90 days to	township where they		§28.725: Offenders shall
comply with this requirement	will spend most of		report in person and notify
after a conviction that	their time.		the registering authority
requires registration.			immediately after vacating
			their residence, of intending
			to reside somewhere
			besides their domicile for
			more than 7 days. Offenders
			moving out of state shall
			also immediately report in
			person and provide notice.
			Offenders re-locating out of
			the country, must provide
			notice no later than 21 days
			before residency change.
			§28.727: Offenders must
			provide information on any
			residence that they will
			reside at for more than 7
	shall not reside within a school safety zone. Exceptions are made for inmates, committed individuals, students etc. Offenders have 90 days to comply with this requirement after a conviction that	homeless offender shall wear a GPS or comparable device administered by probation.  §28.735: Specific offenders shall not reside within a school safety zone. Exceptions are made for inmates, committed individuals, students etc. Offenders have 90 days to comply with this requirement after a conviction that  homeless offender shall wear a GPS or comparable device administered by probation.  §28.727: Homeless offenders offenders aust provide a location or areas used in lieu of a residence and the village, city, or township where they will spend most of their time.	homeless offender shall wear a GPS or comparable device administered by probation.  §28.735: Specific offenders shall not reside within a school safety zone. Exceptions are made for inmates, committed individuals, students etc. Offenders have 90 days to comply with this requirement after a conviction that  homeless offender shall wear a GPS or comparable device administered by probation.  §28.727: Homeless offenders must provide a location or areas used in lieu of a residence and the village, city, or township where they will spend most of their time.



			days. Dates of residence at the temporary lodging shall
			also be submitted.
Minnesota		<b>§243.166:</b> Upon	<b>§243.166:</b> A person in the
		leaving a permanent	state for 14 days or longer
		address and not	shall be required to register.
		gaining a new one, an	Written notice must be
		offender has 24 hours	provided at least 5 days
		to register. Every time	prior to a change of
		an offender without a	residence within or outside
		permanent address	of the state.
		enters a new	
		jurisdiction they have	
		24 hours to register.	
		When registering,	
		offenders should	
		describe where they	
		are staying with as	
		much specificity as	
		possible. If an	
		offender remains	
		homeless, they shall	
		report weekly unless	
		other arrangements	
		are made for	
		registration.	
Mississippi	<b>§45-33-25:</b> Offenders that	<b>§45-33-25:</b> If the	§45-33-25: Offenders must
	are required to register	offender's residence is	update registration
	cannot reside within 3,000	a car, trailer, mobile	information for addresses
	feet of any public or private	home, or boat, the	and temporary addresses if
	school, child care facility,	offender shall provide	

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	residential child-caring	the VIN number,	they are away for more than
	agency, a children's group	license number, hull	7 consecutive days.
	care home, a ballpark,	identification number,	<b>§45-33-27:</b> Offenders
	playground, or other	serial number, a	moving to or returning to
	recreational facility utilized	description of the	the state shall provide 10
	by persons under the age of	residence and its	days advance notice to the
	18. Statute provides for	location.	Department of Public Safety.
	specific exceptions and	iocation.	Upon arrival the offender
	established residences may		has 3 days to appear in
	be exempt.		person at the Department of
	be exempt.		Public Safety.
			<b>§45-33-28:</b> During a
			declared state of emergency
			an offender who resides in
			an emergency shelter has 24
			hours to provide notification
			of such.
			§45-33-29: Within 10 days
			of changing addresses
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			(including temporary
			lodging) the offender must
			appear in person at the Department of Public Safety.
Missouri	SECC 147: No offender may		§589.414: An offender shall
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	reside within 1,000 feet of		appear in person to inform law enforcement of a
	any public school, private		
	school, or child care facility.		change of residence. Must
	(Exceptions provided by		provide notice of relocation
	statute; <i>See</i> also §566.149).		no later than 3 days after
			change of residence.



Montana	<b>§45-5-513:</b> High-risk	§46-23-504:	<b>§46-23-504:</b> Offenders have
	offenders may not reside	Transients shall	3 business days to register
	within 300 ft. of a school,	register within 3	upon entering the state to
	daycare, playground or other	business days of	establish a residence, or to
	area/business whose	entering the state or a	establish a temporary
	principal is to educate, care	county. Transients	residence for longer than 10
	for, or entertain minors.	shall report monthly in	days or an aggregate of 30
	·	person and provide	days in a calendar year. If
		information on where	offenders reside in more
		they stayed and where	than one residence or
		they plan to stay in	county then they have to
		the next month.	provide information on all
			residences.
			<b>§46-23-505:</b> Offenders who
			change addresses
			/residences shall have 3
			business days to appear in
			person and give notice of
			that change. If an offender is
			absent for more than 10
			days from their county of
			residence, on the 11 <sup>th</sup> day
			they must register in the
			county they are present in.
			<b>§45-5-513:</b> High risk
			offenders may not reside
			with a minor unless the
			offender is the parent,
			grandparent, or stepparent



			of the minor (exceptions
	500 505 1	Coo soos weeks o	outlined by statute).
Nebraska	<b>§29-4017:</b> A political	<b>§29-4004:</b> Within 3	§29-4004: Offenders must
	subdivision may enact an	business days of	provide notice in person 3
	ordinance, resolution, or	becoming homeless,	business days prior to a
	other legal restriction	offenders shall give	change of address,
	prescribing where sex	notice of such in	temporary domicile, out of
	offenders may reside only if	person. While the	state move, or change in
	the restrictions are limited to	offender remains	habitual living location.
	sexual predators, extend no	without residence,	
	more than five hundred feet	they shall report in	
	from a school or child care	person every 30 days	
	facility. (Statute provides for	and describe where	
	exceptions).	they are living.	
Nevada		<b>§179D.151:</b> If the	<b>§179D.447:</b> Within 3 days of
		offender or sex	changing residences the
		offender has no fixed	offender shall appear in
		residence, they must	person to notify local law
		provide the address of	enforcement.
		any dwelling that is	<b>§179D.460:</b> Presence for 48
		providing the offender	hours in a city or county is
		temporary shelter, or	sufficient to make the
		any other location	offender a resident and
		where the offender or	subject to registration in
		sex offender habitually	person and other
		sleeps, including, but	requirements.
		not limited to, the	<b>§197D.470:</b> If an offender
		cross streets,	remains in a jurisdiction
		intersection, direction	longer than 30 days after
		and identifiable	initially reporting a stay of
		landmarks of the city,	less than 30 days, the sex

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	county, state and zip code of that location. §197D.470: If an offender has no fixed residence they must provide notice every 30 days of any temporary dwelling or where they habitually sleep.	offender shall, not later than 48 hours after such a change in status, provide notice of the change in status in person or in writing.
New Hampshire		\$651-B:5: Within 5 business days of changing in any registration information (including residence), offenders shall provide notice of the new information to local law enforcement. Offenders moving out of state have 10 business days from the time of reporting to NH law enforcement to report to out of state law enforcement.  \$651-B:4: Offenders have 5 business days to report to local law enforcement after establishing a residence. Part of registration includes listing all residences

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		including those outside of
		NH.
New Jersey		<b>§2C:7-2:</b> Within 10 days of
		establishing residence or
		returning to this jurisdiction,
		sex offenders shall register
		with law enforcement. Prior
		to moving within the state,
		offenders must give 10 days'
		notice to law enforcement
		in their current jurisdiction
		and also in the future
		location.
New Mexico	<b>§29-11A-4:</b> When a	<b>§29-11A-4:</b> An offender shall
	sex offender who is	register no later than 5 days
	registered or required	after their arrival in New
	to register is homeless	Mexico to establish a
	or does not have an	residence. Change of
	established residence,	address requires written
	but lives in a shelter,	notification to law
	halfway house or	enforcement within 5
	transitional living	business days of the change.
	facility or stays in	<b>§29-11A-4.1:</b> If a sex
	multiple locations in	offender has plans to move
	New Mexico, the sex	from the State of New
	offender shall register	Mexico, then no later than
	each address or	30 days prior to the move
	temporary location	they shall notify law
	with the county sheriff	enforcement at their current
	for each county in	residence of the move.
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		is living or temporarily located. The sex offender shall register no later than five business days after a change in living arrangements or temporary location.	state shall also provide written notice of which state they are moving to 30 days prior to leaving.
New York		. ,	§168-k: Offenders moving into the state have 10 calendar days to register after establishing residence. §168-c: Parolees and probationers who are required to register have 48 hours to give notice of change of address.
North Carolina	§14-208.16: Registrants may not reside within 1,000 feet of a school or childcare center. (Statute provides for specific exemptions).		§14-208.9: If a person is required to register and then moves, that offender shall report in person and provide written notice of the new address not later than 3 business days after the change to law enforcement. In person reporting is also required within 3 business days of moving out of the state. If a person provides the notice indicated above and then decides not to

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		leave they then have 3 days
		from the original date of
		departure to provide notice
		that they are not leaving.
		<b>§14-208.7:</b> An offender
		moving to the state must
		register with law
		enforcement within 3 days
		of obtaining a residence or
		within 15 days of being
		present in the state.
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		<b>§14-208.8A:</b> If, due to
		employment, the offender
		has taken up temporary
		residence in a new county
		that exceeds 10 days,
		notification must be
		provided within 72 hours.
North Dakota	<b>§12.1-32-15:</b> A sexual	<b>§12.1-32-15:</b> An offender
	offender who is	required to register has 3
	currently assigned a	days to register from the
	moderate or high-risk	point that they enter the
	level by the attorney	county where they establish
	general may not use a	a residence. The same 3
	state park of this state	days for registration applies
	as a residence or	to those who are physically
	residential address to	present in this state for
	comply with the	more than thirty days in a
	registration	calendar year or at a
	requirements of this	location for longer than ten



		section. Before	consequitive days Offerdays
			consecutive days. Offenders
		arriving at a state park	must registers at least 10
		for overnight lodging	days prior to changing
		or camping, a sexual	addresses.
		offender who is	
		assigned a moderate	
		or high-risk level by	
		the attorney general	
		shall notify a parks	
		and recreation	
		department law	
		enforcement officer at	
		the state park where	
		the sexual offender	
		will be staying.	
Ohio	<b>§2950.034:</b> No person who	<b>§2950.05:</b> If an	§2950.04: Offenders shall
	has been convicted of, is	offender gives written	register personally with law
	convicted of, has pleaded	20 days notice of a	enforcement of the county
	guilty to, or pleads guilty to a	change of residence	within 3 days of the
	sexually oriented offense or a	and the new residence	offender's coming into a
	child-victim oriented offense	is not a fixed	county in which the
	shall establish a residence or	residence then the	offender resides or
	occupy residential premises	offender shall provide	temporarily is domiciled for
	within 1,000 feet of any	a description of where	more than 3 days. Tier III sex
	school premises or preschool	they will be staying. If	offenders who want to
	or child day-care center	the offender re-	reside in a particular county
	premises.	obtains a fixed	must send written notice 20
		address they shall	days prior to moving.
		report so via written	<b>§2950.05:</b> If an offender
		notice the following	plans to move they should
		business day.	give written notice at least



				20 days prior and provide the new address of residence. If an offender is moving out of state they should comply with the new state's laws or register prior to the change of address by 7 days.
Oklahoma	57 §590: It is unlawful for any offender to reside, either temporarily or permanently, within a 2,000 foot radius of any public or private school, educational institution, property or campsite used by an organization whose primary purpose is working with children, a playground or park that is established, operated or supported in whole or in part by city, county, state, federal or tribal government, or licensed child care center.	57 §584: Transients who cannot provide a mappable address must report in person to the nearest law enforcement agency every 7 days and provide information about where they are staying and plan to stay.	57 §590.1: It is unlawful for two or more persons required to register as sex offenders to reside together in any individual dwelling during the term of registration as a sex offender. 57 §590: It shall be unlawful for any person whose registration is based on any offense in which a minor child was the victim to reside with a minor child or establish any other living accommodation where a minor child	57 §584: An offender who is moving shall appear in person and give notification to the Department of Corrections and the local law enforcement authority of the change of address and the new mappable address with zip code no later than 3 business days prior to the move. The offender shall also notify law enforcement at the new address.

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		resides. Provided, however, the person may reside with a minor child if the person is the parent, stepparent or grandparent of the minor child and the minor child was not the victim of the offense for which the person is required to register.	
Oregon	OAR 291-202-0040: A sex offender classified as a sexually violent dangerous offender or a predatory sex offender may not reside near locations where children are the primary occupants or users (administrative rule provides for exceptions).	· og.occii	§163A.010: Offenders must report in person within 10 days of changing residence.  §163A.020: Within 10 days of moving into the state, an offender must report in person to law enforcement.
Pennsylvania	provides for exceptions):		<b>42 §9799.15:</b> Offenders shall appear in person within 3 business days to report a change of address.
Rhode Island	§11-37.1-10: An offender who knowingly resides within 300 feet of any school is guilty of a felony. A level 3 sex offender who knowingly		§11-37.1-9: Prior to moving out of state offenders must notify their current registering agency of their new address in the new



	resides within 1,000 ft of any	state. Prior to moving
	school is guilty of a felony.	elsewhere within Rhode
		Island, offenders must notify
		their local registry and notify
		local law enforcement at the
		new address within 24 hours
		of establishment.
South Carolina	<b>§23-3-535:</b> Specific sex	<b>§23-3-460:</b> If an offender
	offenders (statute lists	moves within their
	offenses) are prohibited from	registration county they
	residing within 1,000 feet of a	must provide written
	school, daycare center, child	notification within 3 days.
	recreational facility, park or	Upon acquiring real
	public playground. (Statute	property in any county,
	provides specified	offenders have 3 days to
	exemptions). Localities are	register with law
	preempted from adopting	enforcement. When moving
	restrictions that are more	within the state written
	lenient or strict.	notice must be provided to
	<b>§23-3-465:</b> Offenders	the old registry agency 3
	required to register are	days prior to moving and
	prohibited from living in	registration at the new
	student housing on higher	address must occur within 3
	education campuses	business days of the change
	supported in whole or in part	of address. Written notice 3
	by the state.	days in advance is also
		required for offenders
		moving out of state.
South Dakota	<b>§22-24B-25:</b> No locality may	<b>§22-24B-12:</b> Any offender
	increase or mitigate	who changes addresses has



Tennessee	residence restrictions established by statute. §22-24B-22 to 23: Offenders may not reside within community safety zones; which are defined as five hundred feet from the facilities and grounds of any school, public park, public playground, or public pool, including the facilities and grounds itself. (Exemptions are provided by statute). §40-39-211: No violent offender or offender whose victim was a minor may establish a residence within 1,000 feet of a school, day care, other childcare facility, public park, playground, recreation center, or public athletic field. Similar offenders are barred from living within 1,000 feet of	§40-39-204: Homeless offenders are required to report to their registering agency monthly.	§40-39-211: Specified offenders shall not knowingly reside with a minor with specified exceptions. It is a violation for 3 or more offenders to establish a common primary or secondary residence.	\$40-39-204: 21 days prior notice must be given for offenders traveling outside of the country. 24 hours is allowed for emergencies. \$40-39-203: Offenders must provide notification within 48 hours of any change of address. Offenders moving to the state must register in person within 48 hours of
	their victims or their victims immediate family members.			establishing residency.
Texas	,	§62.055: If an offender resides where there is no assigned legal address for more than 7 days		§62.055: Offenders intending to change address shall report in person no later than 7 days prior to the move. Offenders have the

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		they shall report on a	same 7 days to report in
		monthly basis and	person at their new
		provide a description	residence. When moving to
		of the area in which	a new state the offender
		they are residing.	must notify the new state
			within 10 days. If the
			offender does not move
			after providing notice they
			must report that
			information within 7 days
			and continue reporting not
			less than weekly until an
			address is established.
Utah	§77-27-21.7: An offender		<b>§77-41-105:</b> Offenders shall
	may not be within 1,000 ft of		register within 3 business
	victim's residence, a daycare		days of a change of address.
	center, school, playground,		,
	public swimming pool or		
	park.		
Vermont		<b>13 §5407:</b> An offender	<b>13 §5407:</b> Within 10 days of
		with no permanent	establishing a residence or
		address shall report	being present in the state,
		daily or make other	an offender must register.
		arrangements with	Offenders changing
		law enforcement to	addresses within the state
		keep their information	have 3 days to register
		current.	unless they are classified as
			high-risk offenders then
			they have 36 hours to report
			and verify that there are no
			minors residing at the new



Virginia	§18.2-370.3: Specified offenders may not reside within 500 feet of any place the offender knows or has reason to know is a child day care center, or school. Other specified offenders may not	§9.1-903: Offenders with no legal residence shall register a location where they are habitually located.	address. Offenders moving out of state have 3 days to notify law enforcement of such.  13 §5411d: Non-compliant high risk offenders have one day to give notice of a change of address.  §9.1-903: Offenders who are moving have 3 days to register at their new location. Offenders leaving the state shall register in person 10 days prior to the move. See also §9.1-905.
	reside within 500 feet of a public park. Statute provides specified exceptions.		
Washington		§9A.44.130: Any person who lacks a fixed residence and leaves the county in which he or she is registered and enters and remains within a new county for twenty-four hours is required to register with the county sheriff not more than three business days after	§9A.44.130: Offenders have 3 business days to register after moving to or returning to Washington or moving within Washington. Notice must be given within 3 business days of ceasing to have a fixed residence.

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West Virginia	§62-12-26: Specified offenders are prohibited from establishing a residence within 1,000 feet of a child care facility, school, or the victim or the victim's residence.	entering the county. Additionally, offenders lacking a fixed residence must report weekly in person.	<b>§62-12-26:</b> Specified offenders may not reside with anyone under the age of 16, with specified exceptions.	§15-12-3: Offenders must inform law enforcement of a change of residence within 10 business days.
Wisconsin				
Wyoming		<b>§7-19-305:</b> Offenders who are transient must report on a weekly basis.		§7-19-305: Offenders must inform of a change of address within 3 working days of relocation. See also §7-19-302.

<sup>\*</sup>These provisions include registration requirements for change of address or presence within a jurisdiction however they do not capture registration requirements for students and out of state laborers.

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<sup>^</sup>These restrictions include laws that are specific to where an offender may establish a residence and do not include laws that prohibit physical presence or loitering in protected areas despite the fact that those sections would also likely prohibit establishment of a residence. +This chart does not include any regulatory provisions.