## Resident Undergraduate Tuition & Fees at Public Institutions in the WICHE Region

Academic Year Rates for Full-time Students (enrolled in 15 credit hours per semester or equivalent)

## 4-YEAR (MA/BA)

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						% Change		
		Tuition a	and Fees		1-year	5-year	10-year	
	2010.11	2000 40	2005.06	2000 04	2010-11 to	2005-06 to	2000-01 to	
State	2010-11	2009-10	2005-06	2000-01	2009-10	2010-11	2010-11	
Alaska	5,158	4,899	4,046	2,798	5.3%	27.5%	84.4%	
Arizona								
California	5,179	4,890	3,166	1,842	5.9%	63.6%	181.2%	
Colorado	5,383	4,922	3,473	2,387	9.4%	55.0%	125.5%	
Hawaii	5,041	4,537	2,435	2,118	11.1%	107.1%	138.0%	
Idaho	5,149	4,730	3,793	2,405	8.9%	35.8%	114.1%	
Montana	4,836	4,805	4,375	2,838	0.6%	10.5%	70.4%	
MSU Billings	5,242	5,207	4,856	3,052	0.7%	7.9%	71.8%	
MSU Northern*	4,477	4,440	4,088	2,692	0.8%	9.5%	66.3%	
MT Tech*	5,928	5,885	5,123	3,006	0.7%	15.7%	97.2%	
UM Western*	3,696	3,689	3,433	2,603	0.2%	7.7%	42.0%	
Nevada	3,563	3,248	2,220	-	9.7%	60.5%	-	
New Mexico	3,901	3,622	2,883	2,092	7.7%	35.3%	86.5%	
North Dakota	5,761	5,589	4,530	2,790	3.1%	27.2%	106.5%	
Oregon	7,065	6,523	4,693	3,389	8.3%	50.5%	108.5%	
South Dakota	6,679	6,387	4,762	3,428	4.6%	40.3%	94.9%	
Utah	4,206	3,888	2,882	2,087	8.2%	45.9%	101.6%	
Washington	6,803	6,078	4,166	2,882	11.9%	63.3%	136.1%	
Wyoming								
WICHE Average	5,286	4,932	3,648	2,588	7.2%	44.9%	104.3%	

<sup>\*</sup>lower division rate

## **Ratio of Tuition & Fees to Median Household Income**

State	2010-11	2009-10	2005-06	2000-01
Alaska	8.4%	8.0%	7.2%	5.3%
Arizona				
California	9.2%	8.7%	6.1%	3.9%
Colorado	9.6%	8.8%	6.9%	4.9%
Hawaii	9.1%	8.2%	4.1%	4.1%
Idaho	11.0%	10.1%	8.6%	6.4%
Montana	12.0%	11.9%	11.7%	8.7%
Nevada	6.9%	6.3%	4.6%	
New Mexico	9.0%	8.3%	7.4%	6.0%
North Dakota	11.5%	11.2%	10.7%	7.7%
Oregon	14.4%	13.3%	10.6%	8.0%
South Dakota	14.6%	13.9%	11.0%	9.4%
Utah	7.2%	6.6%	5.3%	4.4%
Washington	11.3%	10.1%	8.2%	6.8%
Wyoming				
WICHE Average	10.3%	9.6%	7.9%	6.3%

Note: WICHE averages are calculated as a simple average of the 15 member states (i.e. an average of state rates, not individual institutional rates); 2009 median household incomes were used for 2010-11 and 2009-10

Source: Western Interstate Commission for Higher Education, Tuition and Fees in Public Higher Education in the West. U.S. Census Bureau, Table H-8: Median household income by state: 1984 to 2009.