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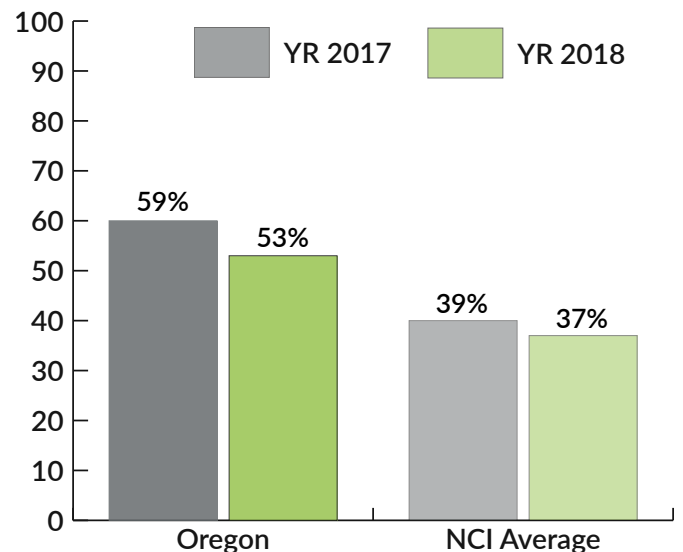
People with Disabilities Voting in Oregon

People with disabilities have the right to accessible voting.

All registered adult US citizens who are not currently incarcerated with a felony have the right to vote in Oregon, regardless of type of residence or guardianship status.

The National Core Indicators (NCI) In-Person Survey collects information on the proportion of people who have ever voted or had the opportunity to vote in a local, state, or federal election. In the 2017-2018 survey cycle, Oregon was significantly above the national average, ranking fourth with 53% of respondents confirming they voted or had the opportunity to vote. The average of the thirty-six states reporting data for this NCI indicator was 37%. This is lower than the 2016-2017 survey cycle where Oregon ranked second at 59% compared to the average of 39%. Although Oregon is one of the top ranked states in voting, there is room for improvement.

Percentage of respondents who had the opportunity to vote



Registering to vote:

You can register to vote online at oregonvotes.org, with a paper form, at your county elections office, or any state office that is a voter registration agency. You can register at any time but remember if you want to vote in a specific election, you must register 21 days before the Election Day. Contact your local county elections office for more information about voter assistance and accommodations.

Voting resources:

County Election Officials: <https://sos.oregon.gov/elections/Pages/countyofficials.aspx>

Services for Voters with Disabilities: <https://sos.oregon.gov/voting/Pages/disabilities.aspx>

Register to vote: <https://sos.oregon.gov/voting/Pages/registration.aspx?lang=en>

Disability Rights Oregon: <https://droregon.org/topics/voting/>

NCI In-Person Survey 2017-2018 report: https://www.nationalcoreindicators.org/upload/core-indicators/17-18_IPS_National_Report_PART_I_3_20_19.pdf