Northwestern

# 2027-28 Parent Marital Status Statement

This form is needed to confirm a dependent student's parent marital status due to conflicting information on the financial aid applications. Please read the instructions carefully, complete and sign the form, and return it to our office. We encourage you to submit the form using our secure document upload that can be found on the top of the Financial Aid website's main page.

## A. Student and Parent Information

Student Name: _____ NU ID: _____

Parent 1 Name: _____

Parent 2 Name: _____

## B. Parent Marital Status

Please select the option that applies to your parent's marital status **as of the date that 2027-28 FAFSA was completed.** Any additional documentation that is required is listed in each section.

☐ **Married/Remarried**

Date of Status (required): _____/_____(MM/YYYY)

**Required Documentation**

- Marriage certificate

☐ **Divorced/Widowed**

Date of Status (required): _____/_____(MM/YYYY)

**Required Documentation**

- **Divorced:** Copy of divorce decree and copy of utility statements showing separate addresses for each parent.
- **Widowed:** Copy of death certificate.

☐ **Separated**

Date of Status (required): _____/_____(MM/YYYY)

**Required Documentation**

- Proof of separate residences, including utility bills or residential lease.
  OR
- 2026 Federal tax documentation, including either the W2 or tax return, showing the current address.

**Certification Statement:** Signing this form certifies that the information provided is accurate and complete. If requested, I agree to provide additional proof of information I have provided on this form.

Parent 1 Signature Date

Parent 2 Signature (if applicable) Date