Borrower Eligibility

The Hudson Public Library provides free and open access to services, materials, and programs for all residents of the community and rural service area regardless of origin, age, background or views.

As a participant in the State Library of Iowa's *Open Access Program*, the Hudson Public Library also extends to eligible patrons (as defined by the State Library), the same borrowing privileges and reference services as patrons within our local jurisdiction with the exception of Bridges, Iowa's eLibrary consortium, and other subscription databases as requirements dictate.

Library privileges are enabled for residents within the jurisdiction of the Hudson Public Library upon the completion of a registration card and provision of any identifying documentation. Patrons under the age of 13 must have the signature of an adult accepting legal responsibility for the return or replacement of library materials.

Patrons with accumulated fines of \$10.00 or more will have checkout privileges suspended. Patrons with materials more than 2 months delinquent will have checkout privileges suspended.

NON-PERMANENT RESIDENTS:

Persons who are visitors to the Hudson area or have a non-permanent address may be issued a temporary card with a privilege limit of 6 months. Temporary cardholders may have up to two items checked out at one time.

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