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We found there were few housing options available when we moved to Oregon with our adult son who must use a large, motorized wheelchair for mobility. We were lucky to find a home. We were luckier that both access to the home and features in the home were designed to accommodate a wheelchair. There are no thresholds, the halls are wider than usual, and one bathroom has a curb less shower. Many other Oregonians who struggle to find wheelchair accessible housing will benefit from housing with similar features.