

recommendations to the Secretary to improve services and outcomes for Veterans, members of the Armed Forces, and the families of such Veterans and members; and provide advice and recommendations on the implementation of the Draft Master Plan approved by the Secretary on January 28, 2016, and on the creation and implementation of any other successor master plans.

Membership Criteria and Qualifications: VA is seeking nominations for Board membership. The Board is composed of fifteen members and several ex-officio members. The Board meets up to four times annually; and it is important that Board members attend meetings to achieve a quorum so that Board can effectively carry out its duties. The members of the Board are appointed by the Secretary of Veterans Affairs from the general public, from various sectors and organizations, and shall meet the following qualifications, as set forth in the West LA Leasing Act:

- (1) Not less than 50% of members shall be Veterans; and
- (2) Non-Veteran members shall be:
 - a. Family members of Veterans,
 - b. Veteran advocates,
 - c. Service providers,
 - d. Real estate professionals familiar with housing development projects, or
 - e. Stakeholders.

The Board members may also serve as Subcommittee members.

In accordance with the Board Charter, the Secretary shall determine the number, terms of service, and pay and allowances of Board members, except that a term of service of any such member may not exceed two years. The Secretary may reappoint any Board member for additional terms of service.

To the extent possible, the Secretary seeks members who have diverse professional and personal qualifications including but not limited to subject matter experts in the areas described above. We ask that nominations include any relevant experience and information so that VA can ensure diverse Board membership.

Requirements for Nomination Submission

Nominations should be typed written (one nomination per nominator). Nomination package should include:

- (1) A letter of nomination that clearly states the name and affiliation of the

nominee, the basis for the nomination (i.e. specific attributes which qualify the nominee for service in this capacity), and a statement from the nominee indicating a willingness to serve as a member of the Board;

- (2) The nominee's contact information, including name, mailing address, telephone numbers, and email address;

- (3) The nominee's curriculum vitae, not to exceed three pages and a one-page cover letter; and

- (4) A summary of the nominee's experience and qualifications relative to the membership criteria and professional qualifications criteria listed above.

The Department makes every effort to ensure that the membership of VA Federal advisory committees is diverse in terms of points of view represented and the committee's capabilities. Appointments to this Board shall be made without discrimination because of a person's race, color, religion, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity, national origin, age, disability, or genetic information. Nominations must state that the nominee is willing to serve as a member of the Board and appears to have no conflict of interest that would preclude membership. An ethics review is conducted for each selected nominee. An OGE Form 450, Confidential Financial Disclosure, is required annually for all Board Members.

Dated: March 16, 2022.

M. Burney,
Federal Advisory Committee Management Officer.

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DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS

Increase in Maximum Tuition and Fee Amounts Payable Under the Post-9/11 GI Bill

AGENCY: Department of Veterans Affairs.
ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The purpose of this notice is to inform the public of the increase in the Post-9/11 GI Bill maximum tuition and fee amounts payable and the increase in the amount used to

determine an individual's entitlement charge for reimbursement of a licensing, certification, or national test for the 2022–2023 Academic Year (AY), effective August 1, 2022, through July 31, 2023.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: For the 2022–2023 AY, the Post-9/11 GI Bill allows the Department of Veterans Affairs (VA) to pay the actual net cost of tuition and fees not to exceed the in-state amounts for students pursuing training at public schools; \$26,381.37 for students training at private and foreign schools; \$26,381.37 for students training at non-degree granting schools; \$15,075.05 for students training at vocational flight schools; and \$12,813.78 for students training at correspondence schools. In addition, the entitlement charge for individuals receiving reimbursement of the costs associated with taking a licensing, certification, or national test is pro-rated based on the actual amount of the fee charged for the test relative to the rate of \$2,200.96 for one month. The maximum reimbursable amount for licensing and certification tests is \$2,000. There is no maximum reimbursable amount for national tests.

Sections 3313, 3315 and 3315A of title 38, U.S.C., direct VA to increase the maximum tuition and fee payments and entitlement-charge amounts each AY (beginning on August 1st) based on the most recent percentage increase determined under 38 U.S.C. 3015(h). The most recent percentage increase determined under 38 U.S.C. 3015(h) is 1.3%, which was effective on October 1, 2021.

The maximum tuition and fee payments and entitlement charge amounts for training pursued under the Post-9/11 GI Bill beginning after July 31, 2022, and before August 1, 2023, are listed below. VA's calculations for the 2022–2023 AY are based on the 1.3% increase.

2022–2023 ACADEMIC YEAR

Type of school	Actual net cost of tuition and fees not to exceed
POST-9/11 GI BILL MAXIMUM TUITION AND FEE AMOUNTS	
PUBLIC	In-State/Resident Charges.

2022–2023 ACADEMIC YEAR—Continued

Type of school	Actual net cost of tuition and fees not to exceed
PRIVATE/FOREIGN	\$26,381.37.
NON-DEGREE GRANTING	\$26,381.37.
VOCATIONAL FLIGHT	\$15,075.05.
CORRESPONDENCE	\$12,813.78.

POST 9/11 ENTITLEMENT CHARGE AMOUNT FOR TESTS

LICENSING AND CERTIFICATION TESTS	Entitlement will be pro-rated based on the actual amount of the fee charged for the test relative to the rate of \$2,200.96 for one month. The maximum reimbursable amount for licensing and certification tests is \$2,000.
NATIONAL TESTS	Entitlement will be pro-rated based on the actual amount of the fee charged for the test relative to the rate of \$2,200.96 for one month. There is no maximum reimbursable amount for national tests.

Signing Authority

Denis McDonough, Secretary of Veterans Affairs, approved this document on March 4, 2022 and

authorized the undersigned to sign and submit the document to the Office of the Federal Register for publication

electronically as an official document of the Department of Veterans Affairs.

Luvenia Potts,

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