When Do I Start Verifying My Enrollment?

New this 2021-22 school year, Post-9/11 GI Bill® students are required to verify their enrollment each month.

When you start depends on the type of facility you attend. VA is rolling out the requirement in phases:

**PHASE 1**

Students attending **Non-College Degree (NCD) facilities** (not including students taking on-the-job, apprenticeship, flight, or **correspondence training**) who receive Monthly Housing Allowance (MHA) and/or kicker payments. **This phase has already started.**

**PHASE 2**

Students attending **Institutions of Higher Learning (IHL) facilities** who receive MHA and/or kicker payments. **This phase begins with terms starting after December 17, 2021.**

How do I know which type of facility I attend?

**IHL Facilities:**
- Have Associates/Bachelors/Masters/PhD degree programs.
- Are typically traditional 2-to-4-year schools.

**All other facilities are NCD facilities.**

Some NCD facility programs (e.g. on-the-job, apprenticeship, flight, or correspondence training*) are not yet included in this requirement.

*On-the-job and apprenticeship training occurs by learning a skill or trade while on the job, contracted by an employer or union, rather than through formal classroom instruction.

Visit the [Enrollment Verification webpage](#) for more information, including how to verify enrollment quickly and easily via text message!

If you have questions about the monthly verification requirement or when it applies to you, contact a VA education representative at 1-888-GI-BILL-1 (1-888-442-4551) domestically or 001-918-781-5678 overseas.

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