

Dependents Educational Assistance – Chapter 35

If you are a Dependent or Survivor of a Veteran and applying for Dependents Educational Assistance entitlements, please answer the questions below. Please proceed to Step 3 after completing the corresponding paperwork/questions.

Question 1: Have you applied for VA education benefits in the past and have a Certificate of Eligibility from the federal VA?

- If NO, proceed to the next question.
- If YES, and you have a copy of your Certificate of Eligibility specifically stating Allied Health Institute as your school of attendance, complete and submit the following paperwork to the Allied Health Institute Veterans Affairs Office:
 - ✓ Copy of Certificate of Eligibility (COE)
 - ✓ Veteran Responsibility Letter
- If YES, and you have a copy of your Certificate of Eligibility and it doesn't specifically state Allied Health Institute as your school of attendance, complete and submit the following paperwork to the Allied Health Institute Veterans Affairs Office:
 - ✓ Copy of Certificate of Eligibility (COE)
 - ✓ VONAPP application or VA Form 22-5495
 - ✓ Veteran Responsibility Letter

Question 2: As a Dependent or Survivor of a Veteran, have you applied for VA education benefits in the past?

- If NO, complete following paperwork:
 - ✓ VONAPP application or VA Form 22-5490
 - ✓ Veteran Responsibility Letter
- If YES, complete the following paperwork:
 - ✓ VONAPP application or VA Form 22-5495
 - ✓ Veteran Responsibility Letter

Question 3: Are you a Dependent or Survivor of a Veteran and requesting Transfer of Entitlements (TEB) of Post-9/11 benefits from an eligible service member?

- If NO, proceed to the next question.
- If YES, complete the following process/paperwork:
 - ✓ Eligible service member must receive authorization for entitlements transfer from their military branch of service to selected dependent.
 - ✓ Dependent must complete VONAPP or VA Form 22-1990e and submit form to the Federal VA.
 - ✓ Dependent must submit copy of their Certificate of Eligibility (COE) to the Allied Health Institute Veterans Affairs Office.
 - ✓ If Certificate of Eligibility has not been issued, a copy of the DoD screen, Memorandum of Understanding and application will be accepted in lieu of COE.
 - ✓ Veteran Responsibility Letter

Question 4: Have you completed the correct paperwork to start your entitlements with Allied Health Institute?

- YES, please go to "Step 3" of the submission process to submit paperwork to the Allied Health Institute Veterans Affairs Office.
- NO, please go back to the beginning of "Step 2" for the list of VA educational entitlements.