BLUF: This release allows Sailors to opt out of the Montgomery GI Bill (MGIB) and adds a new user role to NSIPS.

Changes to Enrollment Options for the MGIB

Effective 5 January 2023, new accessions have a 90-day period in which to elect enrollment or dis-enrollment from the Montgomery GI Bill (MGIB).

- The 90-day election period begins after the Sailor's 180th day on active duty.
- Sailors will be counseled on the MGIB Program on or after their 180th day and have until their 270th day to dis-enroll. If a Sailor does not dis-enroll, their status in the program will default to enrolled.
- If no action was taken to dis-enroll from the MGIB program, the basic pay reduction of $100 per month for 12 months will begin the month following the 271st day after the date the Sailor initially entered training.

Newly Added Reports

To assist users with monitoring members' election period, two new reports have been added to NSIPS.
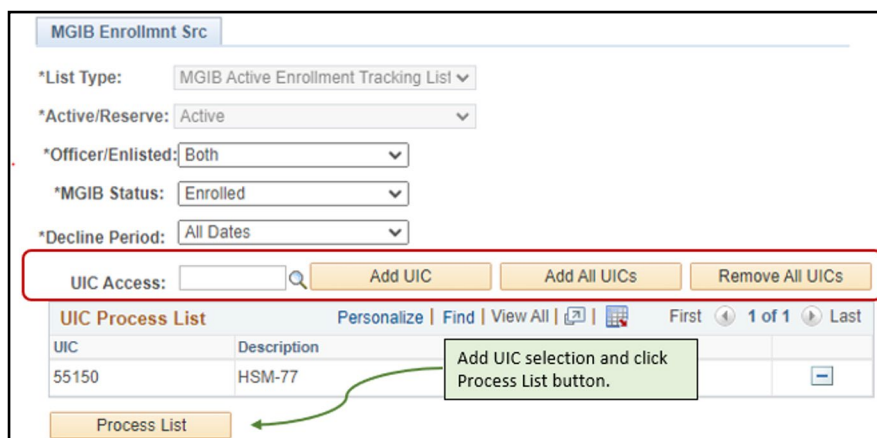
Unit Tracking Reports
Within the Career Information Management System (CIMS), Command Career Counselors (CCC), Department Career Counselors and Division Career Counselors can navigate to Career Information Management → Lists → Unit Tracking. In the List section, select MGIB. Filter the report as desired. Select command Unit Identification Code (UIC). Click Process Request button.

If the user enters a Start and Stop date for MGIB Decline Period, the system will select records where the member's 180th Day of active duty (AD) or 270th Day of AD is between the dates entered.

Standard Reports
Personnel Clerk, Personnel Supervisor, Pay Clerk, Pay Supervisor, CPPA and CPPA Supervisor with security permissions to the selected UIC can navigate to Standard Reports → Personnel Reports →Use →MGIB Enrollment Tracking. These users can enter a single UIC in the UIC Access field and click the Add UIC button or select all the UICs they have access to by clicking the Add All UICs button. When finished, click the Process List button.

MGIB Enrollmnt Src	
*List Type:	MGIB Active Enrollment Tracking List ▾
*Active/Reserve:	Active ▾
*Officer/Enlisted:	Both ▾
*MGIB Status:	Enrolled ▾
*Decline Period:	All Dates ▾

UIC Access: [   ] 🔍 [Add UIC] [Add All UICs] [Remove All UICs]

UIC Process List   Personalize | Find | View All | 🗗 | 🖩   First ◀ 1 of 1 ▶ Last

UIC	Description	
55150	HSM-77	➖

Add UIC selection and click Process List button.

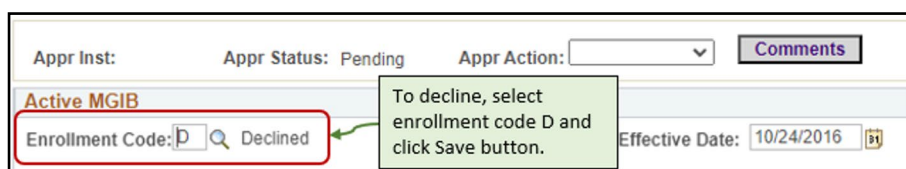[Process List]

Accepting or Declining MGIB Status
Eligible Sailors first accessed to active duty after 4 January 2023 will have their MGIB Status set to "2" (Auto-Enroll Unless Decline received).

Between a member's 180th and 270th day of active duty, they are eligible to decline the MGIB. If a member elects to decline, then one of the following roles will need to submit the decline transaction via NSIPS Deductions: the CPPA, CPPA Supervisor, Personnel Clerk, Personnel Supervisor and, finally, approval by a Pay Supervisor. Once the decline is approved, the Sailor's MGIB Status will be set to "D" (Declined).

On the 271st day of active duty, if an MGIB eligible Sailor does not decline, then the system will be automatically set to "E" (Enrolled) and DFAS will start the deductions the following month.

Declining MGIB
Navigate to Personnel Maintenance→ Deductions→ Use → MGIB Create. Select Enrollment Code D (Declined) in the Active MGIB section. The Effective Date must match the date member signed the Statement of Dis-enrollment on the DD Form 2366. Click the Save button. Transaction must be approved by a Pay Supervisor.

Appr Inst:	Appr Status: Pending	Appr Action: [▾]	[Comments]
Active MGIB			
Enrollment Code: D 🔍 Declined		Effective Date: 10/24/2016 📅	

To decline, select enrollment code D and click Save button.

CIMS Command Access Manager (CAM) user role added to NSIPS

This change will move the SAAR approval, modification, delete and unlock responsibility from the CIMS SUPERFAM to the CAM. CCCs can apply for the CAM role via the Career Information Management System (CIMS) on the NSIPS SAAR Initiate page. Primary role is CIMS Command Access Manager (Enlisted). CAM highlights:

- CIMS SUPERFAM will approve all CAM accounts.
- CAMs will have the ability to approve, modify, delete, and unlock CIMS Department/Division Career Counselor and Sponsor Coordinator accounts within their security roles. If a command does not have a CAM, those requests will need to be routed to CIMS SUPERFAM for approval.
- CAMs will have full Command Career Counselor permissions and functionality.
- CAM has been added to User Access Listing (UAL) which provides for account management.

URL Changes
www.nsips.navy.mil ▶ www.nsips.cloud.navy.mil
www.np2.navy.mil ▶ https://np2.cloud.navy.mil
www.opas.navy.mil ▶ www.opas.cloud.navy.mil

> Navy Enterprise Service Desk email address: nesd@nesd-mail.onbmc.mil
> NSIPS Helpdesk phone number: 1-833-637-3669.