Opt-in/Opt-out Process (1 of 10)

- Log in to IPPS-A under Self Service
- Select the PAID tile



Opt-in/Opt-out Process (2 of 10)

 For 'Entry Type' select 'BENEFITS'

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Self-Service: "Employee ID" is au	o-populated / HR Professional: En	nter or Search for "Employee ID"
Select an "Entry Type" Absence	s, Benefits, Field Duty, Incentive Pa	Pays, or Special Pays
To add a new entry, click "Add". To	o find an existing entry, click "Searc	ch" (To limit search to a specific status, select that option as well.)
NOTE: If the "Entry ID" is known,	that value can be used to search fo	for that specific entry.
To clear all previous information e	ntered, click "Clear".	
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Opt-in/Opt-out Process (3 of 10)

- Leave 'Status' field blank.
- Click 'Add'

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To add a new entry, click "Add". To	o find an existing entry, click	"Search" (To limit search to a specific status, select that option as well.)
NOTE: If the "Entry ID" is known,	that value can be used to se	earch for that specific entry.
To clear all previous information e	ntered, click "Clear".	
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Status		Leave the Status field blank when starting an MGIB Election benefits request.
Add Search Clear		

Opt-in/Opt-out Process (4 of 10)

- Search BENEFITS CATEGORY options
- The Begin Date should be the start date of your AGR orders.
 If it is different, it may have been adjusted due to previous active service, such as service in the Active Component or on Title 10 or Title 32 ADOS
- If you are unable to continue, see the section titled, "If I cannot make my own election."

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Opt-in/Opt-out Process (5 of 10)

Select 'MGIB'

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Opt-in/Opt-out Process (6 of 10)

Instructions

MGIB Election:

- "OPT-IN:" Select OPT-IN in "MGIB Election" if you would like to ENROLL in the Montgomery GI Bill Act of 1984 (MGIB).
- "OPT-OUT:" Select OPT-OUT in "MGIB Election" if you would like to DISENROLL in the Montgomery GI Bill Act of 1984 (MGIB).
- "Check List for Enrolling or Disenrolling in MGIB:"
 - 1. Complete DD2366 form and make sure you sign the form where it reads SERVICE MEMBER SIGNATURE .
 - 2. Make sure you review the fixm with Personnel Office and get the signature .
 - 3. Attach the Signed form below under "Attachments" Section .
 - Click on Submit to send the form to Personal Office for further processing.
 - 5. Once Approved by Personnel Office you will receive an email notification with confirmation.

Opt-in/Opt-out Process (7 of 10)



Opt-in/Opt-out Process (8 of 10)

- Select 'OPT-IN' if you want to ENROLL in the MGIB-AD program.
- Select 'OPT-OUT if:
 - You are ineligible
 - You ever declined MGIB-AD
 - You have previously accepted MGIB-AD
 - Note: Opting out here will not change your previous election, and if you are still eligible for MGIB-AD, you will remain eligible.

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OPT-IN	Opting into MGIB benefit
OPT-OUT	Opting out of MGIB benefit

Opt-in/Opt-out Process (9 of 10)

- Click 'Attach' and upload a copy of your signed DD Form 2366.
- IPPS-A will send the document to your iPERMS file.

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4. CIICK ON SUDMIL to Send the form

Opt-in/Opt-out Process (10 of 10)

 Click 'Submit' to send to your S1 Pool.

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Key Take-Aways

- ALL new AGRs MUST Opt-in or Opt-out of MGIB-AD using IPPS-A, even if you previously accepted, previously declined, or are ineligible
- The window for decision is between 180 and 270 days of beginning AGR duty
- Failure to record a decision in IPPS-A will cause DFAS to begin deductions of \$100 per month for 12 months
- If you are unable to record your decision in IPPS-A due to having a BASD that is earlier than your start date, an HR PRO can do a Simple Benefits transaction to record the decision (see back up slides)
- If deductions begin erroneously, a WebDMO transaction will stop the deductions and issue a refund (see back up slides)

How Do I Apply?

- When you're ready to begin training:
 - Apply for benefits on the VA website at <u>VA.gov/education</u>
 - Obtain your Certificate of Eligibility (CoE) and take it to the DVA representative/ School Certifying Official (SCO) at your school (or your place of employment if you are in a job-training program)
 - Verify your attendance monthly via text message or by calling 1-888-GIBILL-
 - 1 (1-888-442-4551)

Points of Contact

- For More Information:
 - Contact your State Education Office
 - ng.ca.caarng.mbx.cived@army.mil
 - 866-338-2863
 - https://calguardcived.godaddysites.com/

