SELECTIVE SERVICE APPEAL 2017-2018

FEDERAL REQUIREMENT: Men aged 18 – 25 are required to register with Selective Service. This requirement covers men residing in the United States who are U.S. citizens or noncitizens, except that a man who is in the U.S. as a lawful nonimmigrant isn’t required to register as long as he maintains that status. The Department of Education requires male students, who would like to receive federal financial aid, to be registered with the Selective Service. Undocumented males must register with Selective Service. You can register at any U.S. Post Office and do not need a social security number.

Only persons assigned the sex of male at birth are required to register. If a student’s gender identity is now female but she was assigned the sex of male at birth, the student must register with Selective Service unless one of the exemptions described in this document apply, regardless of the subsequent sexual reassignment surgery or any other gender transition process. If a student’s gender identity is now male but he was assigned the sex of female at birth, the student is not required to register with Selective Service, regardless of the subsequent sexual reassignment surgery or any other gender transition process.

A man must register with Selective Service within 30 days of his 18th birthday; however, males who are not yet 18 at the time they complete their FAFSA are not required to be registered for that aid year for financial aid purposes, but will be required to be registered for the following year. Males born before 1960 are not required to register. If you failed to register, are not required to register, or are exempt from the requirement to register; you must complete this form.

APPEAL DEADLINE

To have this appeal form reviewed, you must upload all completed documentation no later than two weeks before the last day of your enrollment for the semester you are requesting aid so that sufficient time is allowed to resolve any conflicts.

INSTRUCTIONS

According to the results of your FAFSA, you have not registered for Selective Service.

* If you believe that you are registered, please check your registration status at www.SSS.gov and submit a copy of the online verification to the Financial Aid and Scholarships Office.

Please Note:

☐ If you are female, and incorrectly stated you are a male or left the gender question blank, return to your FAFSA application and update the gender question to “Female”. Please wait three to five business days for the Financial Aid and Scholarships Office to receive your updated FAFSA.

☐ If you are between the ages of 18 – 25, you must register online at the Selective Service website (www.sss.gov) or by filling out a form available at a post office. You can also make a correction to your FAFSA application and ask to be registered through your FAFSA. Please wait three to five business days for the Financial Aid and Scholarships Office to receive your updated FAFSA. Undocumented males must register with Selective Service.

☐ If you have a Status Information Letter from Selective Service stating you were not required to register, you may submit it as it as documentation proving your exempt status.

To upload your documents, log in to myUVU, click on Students, Paying for My Education, inside the Aid Tools box click on Financial Aid File Upload, select the appropriate Aid Year, choose your document by clicking the Browse button in the “Select File for Import” field, Submit File. All documents must be in PDF format.

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Please review the following information and select the circumstance that pertains to your situation. Upload this document along with the required documentation for your circumstance.

1. Males currently in the armed services and on active duty. This does not apply to members of the Reserves and National Guard who are not on active duty.
   - Attach a copy of your active duty military identification card.

2. Males who served on active duty in the U.S. Armed Services and received a DD-214 Form.
   - Attach a copy of your DD-214 Form, Certificate of Release or Discharge from Active Duty, showing military service in the armed forces – other than the reserve forces, the Delayed Entry Pool, and the National Guard – with a character of service other than dishonorable.

3. Citizens of the Republic of Palau, the Republic of the Marshall Islands, or the Federated States of Micronesia. A citizen or national of the Republic of the Marshall Islands or the Federated States of Micronesia who lives in the United States for more than one year for any reason except as a student or employee of the government of his homeland must register.
   - Attach documentation of your citizenship in one of these areas.

   - Attach a copy of your I-94 or other legal documentation showing your entrance to the U.S after you turned 26.

5. Noncitizens who first entered the United States as lawful nonimmigrants on a valid visa and remained in the U.S on the terms of that visa until after age 26.
   - Attach a copy of your I-94, your visa, and/or other legal documentation showing you first entered the U.S. as a lawful nonimmigrant on a valid visa and remained in the U.S. on those terms until after age 26. The dates on the documentation must be from entry into the U.S. until after you turned 26.

6. Males unable to register due to being hospitalized, incarcerated, or institutionalized.
   - Attach documentation verifying hospitalization, incarceration, or institutionalization for the entire time through age 25.

7. Males enrolled in any officer procurement program at The Citadel, North Georgia College and State University, Norwich University, Virginia Military Institute, Texas A&M University, or Virginia Polytechnic and State University.
   - Attach documentation verifying your enrollment in one of the listed officer programs for the entire time through age 25.

8. Commissioned Public Health Service officers on active duty or members of the Reserve of the Public Health Service on specified active duty.
   - Attach documentation verifying your active duty service for the entire time through age 25.

9. U.S. Citizens, permanent residents, or undocumented males who were required to register with Selective Service but failed to do so.
   - 2. Complete this signed statement below that shows your failure to register was not knowing or willful. Your statement should include the following:
     - Where you lived when you were age 18 – 25.
     - If you thought you had registered.
     - Why you claimed you were not aware of the widely publicized requirement to register.

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