



## Post-9/11 GI Bill

### ***How can you check your remaining benefits and how to transfer the months between sponsor and dependents?***

#### **A. To check the remaining balance:**

- Status, time remaining (listed in months and days), etc., use the VA eBenefits website [www.ebenefits.va.gov](http://www.ebenefits.va.gov)

- Sign in using either your Department of Defense Self-Service (DS) Logon/Password or your CAC
- Select "Manage Benefits"
- Select "Education" (or "Status Tracking")
- Select "Post-9/11 GI Bill Enrollment Status"
- This area will also show the *Eligibility Date*, *Delimiting Date* (if not on active duty), *Benefit Level*, *Original Entitlement*, *Used Entitlement*, and *Remaining Entitlement*

#### **B. To change the months allocated:**

- If you cannot remember how many months you transferred to dependents, you can view that on the DoD's Transfer of Education Benefits website [www.dmdc.osd.mil/milconnect](http://www.dmdc.osd.mil/milconnect)

- Sign in using either your DS Logon/Password, myPay Login/Password, or CAC
- Select "Transfer Education Benefits"
- Your / your dependents' information at your fingertips
- You may adjust months of approved dependents if you have available benefits

#### **C. FAQs**

***Q. I have a VA eBenefits account, but I cannot all access the areas of the site. How do I gain access?***

**A.** Accessing certain VA eBenefits areas require a Premium account. Register for a free, higher level account and receive full access at [www.ebenefits.va.gov](http://www.ebenefits.va.gov)

***Q. Can I initiate a new transfer benefits request after I separate/retire from the military?***

**A.** No.

***Q. Can I adjust the transfer allocation months after I separate/retire from the military?***

**A.** Yes, see item "B" above for the website address.

***Q. Can I take back months if my dependent did not use all the allocated months?***

**A.** Yes, but you cannot change a dependent to zero months. If wish to do take that action, you select "Revoke" and select a "Revoke Date". See item "B" above for the website address.

For any questions, contact the Education Center, Area 1, Building 147, DSN 632-5440  
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