

## **Chapter 35: Dependents Education Assistance Program (DEA)**

## How to apply for and use Chapter 35 benefits at Grand View University (GV)

- 1. Apply and be accepted to GV
- 2. Provide to GV School Certifying Official (SCO)
  - Your Certificate of Eligibility
    - Visit <u>http://www.benefits.va.gov/gibill/get\_started.asp</u> to apply for benefits, if not already completed
  - The full VA File number (generally includes the social security number of the service member/sponsor)
  - **If you've used your benefits at another college or university**, complete a Request for Change of Program or Place of Training (VA Form 22-5495)
- 3. Work with an academic advisor to register for courses inform the SCO when registered

## How Chapter 35 GI Bill benefits work

GV SCO will submit your enrollment about a month prior to the start of the semester in Fall and Spring terms (Fall and Spring are automatically certified after receipt of Certificate of Eligibility; Summer terms require annual student certification request). Schedule changes may impact your entitlement amount, creating a VA debt you will be responsible to repay.

You will receive funds based on your enrollment status for each term. VA standards for enrollment status may vary from GV standards. The VA prorates payments for partial months of school.

You are responsible for paying Grand View. Please contact Student Accounts if you need to set up a payment plan.

Rates effective 10-1-2016

Full time = \$1,024.00 per month <sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub> time = \$767.00 per month <sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> time = \$510.00 per month <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> time = \$256.00 per month (Tuition and Fees only) Verify current payment rates at: http://www.benefits.va.gov/gibill/resources/benefits\_resources/rate\_tables.asp#ch35

The entitlement is 45 months of full-time enrollment, and the delimiting (eligibility end) date varies based on relationship to the service member.

Visit	Lyndi Flugum-Collins
http://www.benefits.va.gov/GIBILL/DEA.asp	Certifying Official
or call VA – 888-442-4551.	Grand View University
You can also "Submit a Question" through	515-263-2818
http://www.benefits.va.gov/gibill/index.asp	lflugum-collins@grandview.edu

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