

Information for students benefiting from Veterans' Assistance:

To receive benefits, you must apply through the Department of Veterans Affairs. Veterans Affairs determines the amount of benefits a student can receive; therefore, we cannot estimate benefit amounts. Please contact Veterans Affairs at <https://benefits.va.gov/gibill/> or call 1-888-442-4551 (888-GI-BILL) if you are in need of VA advisement, or for additional information. The submission of electronic applications using their VONAPP process is strongly encouraged.

The VA will process your application and send you a letter notifying you of their decision. Please be aware that it may take the VA several weeks to process your claim. If you are approved to receive benefits, you will receive a Certificate of Eligibility letter from the VA. The VA also has an electronic version. Student can print the eBenefits page as proof of eligibility in lieu of a Certificate of Eligibility. [www.va.gov](http://www.va.gov)

Once you have received your Certificate of Eligibility letter, please submit a copy of the letter to PCA&D's financial aid office. Once all of the required documents are received, PCA&D will electronically submit a 22-1999 enrollment certification to the VA.

You will need to provide the following information to PCA&D:

- Student Name
- Student SS#
- Address
- Phone
- Email
- Benefit Type (ie chapter 33)
- If the student is a dependent using parent/spouse benefits, please provide their name, social security number or 8-digit claim #.

Contact David Hershey, Director of Financial Aid, [dhershey@pcad.edu](mailto:dhershey@pcad.edu) ext. 1013