Eligibility and Enrollment (E&E)

Veterans Health Information Systems and Technology Architecture (VistA) Registration, Eligibility & Enrollment (REE)

DG_53_P1082.KID

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Income Verification Match (IVM) – IVM*2.0*208

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1 Introduction

The release of VistA REE Host File DG_53_P1082.KID, which includes Registration (DG) patch DG*5.3*1082 and Income Verification Match (IVM) patch IVM*2.0*208, is being released to support enhancements for the Eligibility and Enrollment (E&E) program.

Host File DG_53_P1082.KID is also being released in support of the Veterans Health Administration (VHA) Enrollment System (VES) 6.3 release.

2 Purpose

The Release Notes cover the changes to VistA REE DG and IVM systems for this release.

3 Audience

This document targets users and administrators of VistA REE and applies to the changes made between this release and any previous release for this software.

4 This Release

This multi-package build is distributed as a Host File. Refer to the Software and Documentation Retrieval Instructions section of the patch descriptions for information on obtaining the Host File DG 53 P1082.KID and related documentation.

The following sections provide a summary of the enhancements and modifications to the existing software for VistA REE with the release of patches DG*5.3*1082 and IVM*2.0*208.

4.1 New Features and Functions Added

There are no new features or functions added to VistA REE for DG*5.3*1082 and IVM*2.0*208.

4.2 Enhancements and Modifications

VistA is being updated to support the changes needed to comply with the Presumptive Psychosis and Veterans Comprehensive Prevention, Access to Care, and Treatment Act of 2020 (COMPACT) Act initiatives

Patch DG*5.3*1082 adds a new entry to the VistA MAS ELIGIBILITY CODE (#8.1) file.

Patch DG*5.3*1082 adds a new entry to the VistA ELIGIBILITY CODE (#8) file.

The following changes are made to Veterans Health Administration (VHA) Profiles (VHAPs) in the HEALTH BENEFIT PLAN (#25.11) file:

- The long and short descriptions and coverage code of PRESUMPTIVE (38 USC 1702 38 CFR 17, 109) are updated.
- The long description of RESTRICTED EXAMINATION ONLY is updated.
- A new VHAP, CLINICAL EVALUATION, is added to the system.
- The long description of VETERAN RESTRICTED MED BENEFITS is updated.

- The long description of NON VETERAN OTHER RESTRICTED MED BENEFITS is updated.
- The long description of INELIGIBLE is updated.
- A new VHAP, COMPACT ELIGIBLE, is added to the system.
- HUD-VASH RESTICTED CARE is renamed to HUD VASH RESTRICTED CARE and the long description updated.

Patch DG*5.3*1082 modifies the ELIGIBILITY STATUS DATA, SCREEN <7> screen DATA GROUP 3, "POS, Eligibility Code(s)", to no longer display the PRESUMPTIVE PSYCHOSIS? and PRESUMPTIVE PSYCHOSIS CATEGORY: prompts when editing group 3. Presumptive Psychosis data can be added/edited in VES.

The PRESUMPTIVE PSYCHOSIS CATEGORY (#.5601) field in the PATIENT (#2) file and the PRESUMPTIVE PSYCHOSIS CATEGORY (#.02) subfield within the CATEGORY CHANGES (#1) multiple in the PRESUMPTIVE PSYCHOSIS CATEGORY CHANGES (#33.1) file are modified.

Patch DG*5.3*1082 updates the ORU/ORF-Z11 Health Level 7 (HL7) message processing to parse the new optional ZHF segment and update the PATIENT (#2) file, the PRESUMPTIVE PSYCHOSIS CATEGORY CHANGES (#33.1) file and the PRESUMPTIVE PSYCHOSIS HISTORY (#33.2) file with Presumptive Psychosis data.

Patch IVM*2.0*208 creates the new optional ZHF segment of the Health Level 7 (HL7) ORF/ORU-Z07 message to send Presumptive Psychosis data.

Table 1 shows the enhancements and modifications included in the DG_53_P1082.KID release as tracked in Atlassian Jira.

Table 1: DG_53_P1082.KID Enhancements and Modifications

Jira Epic #	Summary	
VES-22403	Presumptive Psychosis Secondary Eligibility – Phase 1 (VistA)	
VES-23916	Add SIGI to VOA Service for Online Application Submissions (VistA)	
VES-24496 Revert REO Long Description (VistA)		
VES-24917	COMPACT Act VHAP Updates - Phase 2 (VistA)	

List of Updates

DG*5.3*1082 makes the following enhancements to VistA REE:

SECTION 1: DATA DICTIONARY UPDATES

1. The PRESUMPTIVE PSYCHOSIS ELIGIBLE eligibility code is added to the MAS ELIGIBILITY CODE (#8.1) file. This entry is provided in the build file and installed with the patch:

NUMBER: 28 NAME: PRESUMPTIVE PSYCHOSIS ELIGIBLE

CARD COLOR: RED ABBREVIATION: PP
VA CODE NUMBER: 12 TYPE: NON-VETERAN

PRINT NAME: PRESUMPTVE PSYCHOSIS ELIG

SELECT AS ADDITIONAL: YES

2. The PRESUMPTIVE PSYCHOSIS ELIGIBLE eligibility code is added to the ELIGIBILITY CODE (#8) file. This entry is added to the file by the post install routine POST^DG531082P.

NAME: PRESUMPTIVE PSYCHOSIS ELIGIBLE CARD COLOR: RED

ABBREVIATION: PP VA CODE NUMBER: 12

TYPE: NON-VETERAN PRINT NAME: PRESUMPTVE PSYCHOSIS ELIG

SELECT AS ADDITIONAL: YES

MAS ELIGIBILITY CODE: PRESUMPTIVE PSYCHOSIS ELIGIBLE ID FORMAT: VA STANDARD AGENCY: VA

MAKE RECORD SENSITIVE?: NO

- 3. The PRESUMPTIVE PSYCHOSIS CATEGORY (#.5601) field of the PATIENT (#2) file is modified.
 - a. The following values are added to the SET list of values:
 - i. 'ACD' FOR ACDUTRA
 - ii. 'DVA' FOR DVA 12D W/CH 17, SEEN FOR SC/MST
 - iii. 'ENR' FOR ENROLLED
 - b. The "AX" trigger is removed by post-install routine POST^DG531082P.

CROSS-REFERENCE: 2^AX^MUMPS

1)= D CH^DGPPSYCH(DA) 2)= D CH^DGPPSYCH(DA)

This index calls an API to update the PRESUMPTIVE PSYCHOSIS CHANGES file (#33.01) when the field changes.

- c. The field is made read-only in FileMan.
- d. The Description is updated.

The resulting database field is shown below.

DATA	NAME	GLOBAL	DATA
ELEMENT	TITLE	LOCATION	TYPE
2,.5601	PRESUMPTIVE PSYCH	OSIS CATEGORY .56	6;1 SET
		'OTH' FOR FSM WIT 'DEC' FOR VETERAN 'ACD' FOR ACDUTRA 'DVA' FOR DVA 12D	HAN 24 MONTHS SERVICE; TH OTH (PP ONLY); N DECLINES ENROLLMENT; A; O W/CH 17, SEEN FOR SC/MST;
	LAST EDITED: HELP-PROMPT:	'ENR' FOR ENROLLE OCT 06, 2022 Please select th category	ne Presumptive Psychosis
	DESCRIPTION:	This field store Presumptive Psyc removed the abil	es the category of chosis. **DG*5.3*1082 Lity to edit this field. now be made in the VHA em.**
	WRITE AUTHORITY:	^	

- 4. The following values are added to the SET list of values for the PRESUMPTIVE PSYCHOSIS CATEGORY (#.02) field, of the CATEGORY CHANGES (#33.12) subfile, of the PRESUMPTIVE PSYCHOSIS CATEGORY CHANGES (#33.1) file.
 - a. 'ACD' FOR ACDUTRA
 - b. 'DVA' FOR DVA 12D W/CH 17, SEEN FOR SC/MST
 - c. 'ENR' FOR ENROLLED

SECTION 2: VHAP UPDATES

1. The LONG DESCRIPTION (#.04) field, the SHORT DESCRIPTON (#.03) field and the COVERAGE CODE (#.05) field in the HEALTH BENEFIT PLAN (#25.11) file are modified for the plan shown below.

NAME : PRESUMPTIVE (38 USC 1702-38 CFR 17.109)

PLAN CODE: 135 COVERAGE CODE: PP01001

SHORT DESCRIPTION:

PP

LONG DESCRIPTION:

Presumptive eligibility for psychosis and mental illness other than psychosis. Veterans eligible for benefits under 38 CFR § 17.109 are eligible for treatment of an active psychosis or other mental illness.

Any treatment under this authority is exempted from copayments for inpatient, outpatient, medication and extended care services under §§ 17.108, 17.110, and 17.111.

Presumptive (38 USC 1702-38 CFR 17.109) Plan provides certain Veterans who experience psychosis within a specified time-frame are to have their psychosis presumed to be service-connected for purposes of Department of Veterans Affairs (VA) medical benefits. In addition, VA will presume that Persian Gulf War Veterans are service-connected for purposes of VA medical benefits if such Veterans develop mental illness other than psychosis within two years after discharge or release from service and before the end of the 2-year period beginning on the last day of the Persian Gulf War (end date not yet determined). (Public Law 110-181; 38 United States Code (U.S.C.) 1702 and the implementing regulation, 38 CFR 17.109)

1. Veterans who served in the United States active duty military, naval, or air service and developed such psychosis within 2 years after discharge or release from the active duty military, naval or air service; and before the following date associated with the war or conflict in which the Veteran served:

Veteran Served During	Date:
World War II	July 26, 1949
Korean Conflict	February 1, 1957
Vietnam Era	May 8, 1977
Persian Gulf War 	End of the 2-year period beginning on the last day of the Persian Gulf War (end date not yet determined)

2. Mental Illness (other than Psychosis). Eligibility for benefits under 38 CFR 17.109(b) is established for treatment of an active mental illness (other than psychosis), and such condition is exempted from copayments under 38 CFR 17.108, 17.110, and 17.111 for any Veteran of the above listed conflicts.

Veterans and former service members assigned the Presumptive VHAP must meet one of the following conditions:

- o All Enrolled Veterans
- o Non-Enrolled Veterans authorized to receive medical benefits limited

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to this specific situation.

- o Veterans not required to enroll and authorized to receive medical benefits limited to this specific situation.
- o Cancelled/Declined Receive medical benefits for Presumptive Psychosis conditions only
- o Rejected Receive medical benefits for Presumptive Psychosis and SC conditions only
- o Ineligible and SC 0% Receive medical benefits for Presumptive Psychosis and SC conditions only
- o Ineligible and MST Receive medical benefits for Presumptive Psychosis and MST conditions only
- o Ineligible without a bar to benefits Receive medical benefits for Presumptive Psychosis conditions only.
- o Former service members with Other Than Honorable (OTH) discharges who present for certain services
- o Presumptive (38 USC 1702-38 CFR 17.109)
- 2. A new VHAP, CLINICAL EVALUATION, is added to the HEALTH BENEFIT PLAN (#25.11) file shown below.

NAME : CLINICAL EVALUATION PLAN CODE: 308

COVERAGE CODE: CE01001

SHORT DESCRIPTION:

CE01

LONG DESCRIPTION:

Patients who qualify for Clinical Screenings for evaluation of conditions relating to Presumptive Psychosis and/or Military Sexual Trauma. The patients are not subject to copayment for these screenings.

Includes the following Non-Veterans and Veterans assigned this VHAP meet one of the following conditions:

- o Enrollment Status is Rejected, Below Enrollment Group Threshold (EGT)
- o Enrollment Status is Closed Application, for reason Pending Means Test Required
- o Enrollment Status is Not Eligible; Ineligible Date
- o Enrollment Status is Not Eligible; Refuse to pay copay
- o Veterans being registered and enrollment status is Registration Only
- o Veterans enrolled
- 3. The RESTRICTED EXAMINATION ONLY (#224) VHAP in the HEALTH BENEFIT PLAN (#25.11) file LONG DESCRIPTION (#.04) field is updated:

NAME: RESTRICTED EXAMINATION ONLY PLAN CODE: 224

COVERAGE CODE: EX01001

SHORT DESCRIPTION:

REO

LONG DESCRIPTION:

Veterans being registered for a Registry exam (i.e., Burn Pit, Agent

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Includes any of the following:

o Veterans being registered for a Registry Exam or C&P exam

For Eligible Individuals, under Veterans Comprehensive Prevention, Access to Care, and Treatment Act of 2020 (COMPACT), Section 201, VA will furnish, reimburse, pay for emergent suicide care, make referrals, as appropriate, for care following the period of emergent suicide care. Eligible Individuals are ones who served in the active military service, regardless of length of service, and who were discharged, excluding anyone who received a dishonorable discharge or was discharged or dismissed by reason or while serving in the Armed Forces, was the victim of a physical assault of a sexual nature, a battery of a sexual nature, or sexual harassment.

4. A new VHAP, COMPACT ELIGIBLE, is added to the HEALTH BENEFIT PLAN (#25.11) file shown below.

NAME : COMPACT ELIGIBLE PLAN CODE: 309

COVERAGE CODE: CP0110 SHORT DESCRIPTION:

COMPACT

LONG DESCRIPTION:

For eligible individuals, under Veterans Comprehensive Prevention, Access to Care, and Treatment Act of 2020 (COMPACT), Section 201, VA will furnish, reimburse, pay for emergent suicide care, make referrals, as appropriate, for care following the period of emergent suicide care. Eligible individuals are Veterans who served in the active military service must meet the minimum duty requirements, and who were discharged, excluding anyone who received a dishonorable discharge or was discharged or dismissed by reason that is a bar to benefits.

- o Cancelled/Declined Receive medical benefits for SC conditions only
- o Rejected Receive medical benefits for SC conditions only
- o Pending; Means Test Required Veterans whose Veterans Status has been verified and who have not provided initial Means Test to determine enrollment.
- o Enrollment Status is Rejected, Below Enrollment Group Threshold (EGT)
- o Enrollment Status is Closed Application
- o Enrollment Status is Not Eligible; Refuse to pay copay

5. The LONG DESCRIPTION (#.04) field in the HEALTH BENEFIT PLAN (#25.11) file is modified for the plan shown below.

NAME : VETERAN RESTRICTED MED BENEFITS PLAN CODE: 222

COVERAGE CODE: RM01001

SHORT DESCRIPTION:

RM

LONG DESCRIPTION:

Veterans who are not enrolled but can be seen for their Service Connected (SC) conditions only (and/or MST if MST is indicated). Veterans who are eligible to be screened for Military Sexual Trauma and Presumptive Psychosis or other active mental illness. Veterans are exempt from copayments for the screening encounter. Veterans assigned this VHAP meet one of the following conditions:

- o Cancel/Decline Receive medical benefits for SC conditions only
- o Rejected Receive medical benefits for SC conditions only
- o Ineligible and SC 0% Receive medical benefits for SC conditions only
- o Ineligible and MST Receive medical benefits for MST conditions only
- 6. The LONG DESCRIPTION (#.04) field in the HEALTH BENEFIT PLAN (#25.11) file is modified for the plan shown below.

NAME : NON VETERAN OTHER RESTRICTED MED BENEFITS

PLAN CODE: 223 COVERAGE CODE: OR01001

SHORT DESCRIPTION:

ORM

LONG DESCRIPTION:

Veterans who are eligible to be screened for Military Sexual Trauma and Presumptive Psychosis or other active mental illness. Veterans are exempt from copayments for the screening encounter. Non Veterans authorized to receive medical benefits limited to a very specific situation includes any of the following:

- o MST Non Veteran (Active Duty)
- o Presumptive (38 USC 1702-38 CFR 17.109)
- o Former Servicemembers with Other Than Honorable (OTH) discharges who present for certain services.
- 7. The LONG DESCRIPTION (#.04) field in the HEALTH BENEFIT PLAN (#25.11) file is modified for the plan shown below.

NAME : INELIGIBLE PLAN CODE: 290

COVERAGE CODE: IN01001

SHORT DESCRIPTION:

Inel

LONG DESCRIPTION:

Non-Veterans and Non-Service Connected Veterans who applied for VA

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Veterans who are eligible to be screened for Military Sexual Trauma and Presumptive Psychosis or other active mental illness. Veterans are exempt from copayments for the screening encounter. Also, Veterans who are eligible based on income but refuse to agree to pay copayment. Non-Veterans and Veterans assigned this VHAP meet one of the following conditions:

- o Enrollment Status is Rejected, Below Enrollment Group Threshold (EGT)
- o Enrollment Status is Closed Application, for reason Pending Means Test Required
- o Enrollment Status is Not Eligible; Ineligible Date
- o Enrollment Status is Not Eligible; Refuse to pay copay
- 8. The VHAP HUD-VASH RESTRICTED CARE is renamed to HUD VASH RESTRICTED CARE and the LONG DESCRIPTION (#.04) field is modified as shown below. The rename is done in the pre-install routine PRE^DG531082P.

NAME : HUD VASH RESTRICTED CARE PLAN CODE: 307

COVERAGE CODE: HUD1001

SHORT DESCRIPTION:

HUDVASH

LONG DESCRIPTION:

Veterans who are enrolled and not enrolled Veterans and former service members can be seen for services related to their enrollment in the Housing and Urban Development Veterans Affairs Supportive Housing (HUD-VASH) program. These Veterans and former service members are not subject to copayment requirements and are exempt from copayments for inpatient services and medications related to their HUD-VASH services.

Veterans and former service members assigned the HUD-VASH Restricted Care VHAP must meet one of the following conditions:

- o Cancelled/Declined Receive medical benefits for HUD-VASH conditions only
- o Rejected Receive medical benefits for HUD-VASH and SC conditions only
- o Ineligible and SC 0% Receive medical benefits for HUD-VASH and SC conditions only
- o Ineligible and MST Receive medical benefits for HUD-VASH and MST conditions only
- o Ineligible with a bar to benefits (excluding Dishonorable, Bad

Conduct General Court Martial and Fugitive Felon Program (FFP)) - Receive medical benefits for HUD-VASH conditions only

- o Former service members with Other Than Honorable (OTH) discharges who present for certain services
- o Presumptive (38 USC 1702- 38 CFR 17.109)

SECTION 3: REGISTRATION SCREEN UPDATES

- 1. If a patient record contains a value for PRESUMPTIVE PSYCHOSIS CATREGORY, the value is displayed on the ELIGIBILITY STATUS DATA, SCREEN <7> screen DATA GROUP [3], Presumptive Psychosis: field. The value will now always display, even for non-Veterans. Previously, the value was displayed only for Veterans.
- 2. The ELIGIBILITY STATUS DATA, SCREEN <7> screen DATA GROUP [3] no longer displays the PRESUMPTIVE PSYCHOSIS? and PRESUMPTIVE PSYCHOSIS CATEGORY: prompts for editing.

```
ELIGIBILITY STATUS DATA, SCREEN <7>
DGpatient,One
              MON DD, YYYY
XXX-XX-XXXX
             SC VETERAN
______
        Patient Type: SC VETERAN
                                                Veteran: YES
[1]
       Svc Connected: YES
                                             SC Percent: UNANSWERED
        SC Award Date: UNANSWERED
                                           Unemployable: UNANSWERED
                P&T: UNANSWERED
        Rated Incomp.: UNANSWERED
        Claim Number: UNANSWERED
         Folder Loc.: UNANSWERED
[2]
     Aid & Attendance: UNANSWERED
                                             Housebound: UNANSWERED
          VA Pension: UNANSWERED
        VA Disability: UNANSWERED
   Total Check Amount: NOT APPLICABLE
        GI Insurance: UNANSWERED
                                                  Amount: UNANSWERED
[3] Primary Elig Code: UNANSWERED
   Other Elig Code(s): NO ADDITIONAL ELIGIBILITIES IDENTIFIED
    Period of Service: UNANSWERED
Presumptive Psychosis: VETERAN DECLINES ENROLLMENT
[4] Service Connected Conditions as stated by applicant
   _____
   TESTING (20%),
<RET> to CONTINUE, 1-4 or ALL to EDIT, ^N for screen N or '^' to QUIT: 3
PRIMARY ELIGIBILITY CODE:
Select PATIENT ELIGIBILITIES:
PERIOD OF SERVICE:
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Figure 1: ELIGIBILITY STATUS DATA, SCREEN <7>

The template DG LOAD EDIT SCREEN 7 in the INPUT TEMPLATE (#.402) file is modified to remove the PRESUMPTIVE PSYSCHOSIS? and PRESUMPTIVE PSYSCHOSIS CATEGORY: prompts from the ELIGIBILITY STATUS DATA, SCREEN <7> screen DATA GROUP <3>.

VistA is updated to parse the new optional ZHF segment in the HL7 ORU/ORF Z11 and store the Presumptive Psychosis information in the PATIENT (#2) file and the PRESUMPTIVE PSYCHOSIS CATEGORY CHANGES (#33.1) file. Also, the HL7 ORU/ORF Z07 message creation is modified to include the optional ZHF segment to send Presumptive Psychosis data to VES.

IVM*2.0*208 makes the following modification to VistA REE:

VistA is updated to send patient Presumptive Psychosis information in the new ZHF segment of the HL7 ORU/ORF-Z07 message. The mapping of these fields to the corresponding fields in the database is shown below.

SEQ	Element Name	File Name (#)	Field Name (#)
1	Presumptive Psychosis Category	PATIENT (#2)	PRESUMPTIVE PSYCHOSIS CATEGORY (#.5601)
2	Presumptive Psychosis	PRESUMPTIVE PSYCHOSIS	DATE (#33.12,#.01)
	Category Change Date	CATEGORY CHANGES (#33.1)

Note: If the PRESUMPTIVE PSYCHOSIS CATEGORY (#.5601) field is null, the ZHF segment will not be sent on the HL7 ORU/ORF-Z07 message.

4.3 Known Issues

No known or open issues were identified in this release.

4.4 Product Documentation

The following documents apply to this release:

<u>Documentation Title</u> <u>File Name</u>

DG_53_P1082.KID Release Notes
PIMS Version 5.3 Technical Manual
User Manual Version 5.3 - Registration Menu

DG_5_3_P1082_RN.PDF
PIMS_TM.PDF
PIMS_REG_UM.PDF

IVM Version 2 Technical Manual IVM_2_TM.PDF

Refer to the Software and Documentation Retrieval Instructions section of the patch descriptions for information on obtaining the Host File DG 53 P1082.KID and related documentation.

Documentation can be found on the VA Software Documentation Library at: http://www.va.gov/vdl/.