

What is Section 1018?

Section 1018 codifies in statute the following requirements:

Section 1:

- Schools must provide a covered individual (a student using benefits under chapter 30, 31, 32, 33, or 35 of title 38, U.S.C., or chapter 1606 of title 10, U.S.C.) with a personalized shopping sheet that contains:

- Estimated total cost of the course that includes tuition, fees, books, supplies and any other additional costs.

School of Radiologic Technology

Tuition \$0.00

Books: \$1000.00

Scrubs/Shoes \$200.00

Background Check \$ 52.00

Total: 1252,00

- Estimated cost of living expenses. **\$2200.00/mo.**
- Amount of costs above that are covered by VA Education Benefits.

GI Housing Benefit - \$1734/mo.

- Other types of Federal financial aid, not administered by VA that is offered by the institution, that the individual may be qualified to receive. **None**
- Estimated amount of student loan debt the individual would have upon graduation. **\$0.00**

- Information regarding graduation rates. **MVAHCS Program**

Effectiveness Data on website

[School Of Radiologic Technology | VA Minneapolis Health Care | Veterans](#)

[Affairs](#) see MVAHCS Program Effectiveness Data

<https://www.va.gov/files/2022->

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- Information regarding job-placement rates for graduates, if available.

See above.

- Information regarding the acceptance of transfer credits including military credits. **The Program does not accept transfer credits**

- Any additional requirements including training, experience, or examinations that are required to obtain a license, certification or approval for which the course of education prepares the individual.

ARRT Certification Exam \$200.00

- Other information to facilitate comparison by the individual about aid packages offered by different educational institutions. See [GI Bill Comparison Tool](#).

- Personalized shopping sheets must be provided within 15 days after tuition and fees are determined for the academic year if there is a change.

- Schools must maintain policies that:

- Inform an enrolled covered individual of the availability of federal financial aid, not administered by VA that is offered by the institution.

None through the VA School of Radiologic Technology

Alert the individual of the potential eligibility for other federal financial aid before packaging or arranging student loans or alternative financing. **None through the VA School of Radiologic Techno**

- Prohibit automatic renewal of a covered individual in a course and/or programs.
 - Ensure each covered individual approves of the enrollment in a course.
 - Allow enrolled members of the Armed Forces, including reserve components and National Guard to be readmitted if such members are temporarily unavailable or must suspend enrollment by reason of serving in the Armed Forces.
 - Accommodate short absences for such services in the Armed Forces.
- Schools must provide covered individuals the requirements for graduation and a graduation timeline. See Website [School Of Radiologic Technology | VA Minneapolis Health Care | Veterans Affairs](#)
 - Accredited educational institutions agree to obtain approval of the respective accrediting agency for each new course or program.
 - Schools must designate an employee of the educational institution to serve as a point of contact for covered individuals and family members seeking assistance with:
 - Academic Counseling. **Program Officials**
 - Financial Counseling. **Program Officials**
 - Disability Counseling. **Program Officials**
 - Other information regarding completing a course of education at the education institution. **Program Officials**

Section 2:

- State Approving Agency will take action when the education institution does any of the following:
 - Carries out deceptive or persistent recruiting techniques including on military institutions.
 - Misrepresents payment of incentive compensation.
 - During a 1-month period makes three or more unsolicited contacts to a covered individual via phone, email and/or in person.
 - Engages in same day recruitment and registration.
 - Provides a commission, bonus, or other incentive payment based directly or indirectly on success in securing enrollments or financial aid to any persons or entities engaged in any student recruiting or admission activities, or in making decisions regarding the award of student financial assistance. (Please note: schools are already subject to this requirement under 38 U.S.C. § 3696(d)(1)).

The above list is a digested version of the requirements. Please refer to the exact wording of the statute ([here](#)) for the authoritative requirements.

Learn about education programs and compare benefits by school with the [GI Bill Comparison Tool](#).