

Release Notes for VHA Enrollment System - VES v6.4.0

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The mission of the Department of Veteran Affairs (VA) Office of Information and Technology (OIT) Development, Security, and Operations is to provide benefits to Veterans and their families. In order to meet this overarching goal, OIT is charged with providing high quality, effective and efficient IT services and Operations and Maintenance (O&M) to persons and organizations that provide point-of-care services to our Veterans.

The VA's goals for its Veterans and families include:

- Make it easier for Veterans and their families to receive the right benefits and meeting their expectations for quality, timeliness and responsiveness.
- Improve the quality and accessibility of health care, benefits and memorial services while optimizing value.
- Provide world-class health care delivery, by partnering with each Veteran to create a personalized, proactive strategy to optimize health and well-being, while providing state of the art disease management.
- Ensure awareness and understanding of the personalized, proactive and patient-driven health care model through education and monitoring.
- Provide convenient access to information regarding VA health benefits, medical records, health information, expert advice and ongoing support needed to make informed health decisions and successfully implement the Veteran's personal health plans.
- Receive timely, high quality, personalized, safe, effective and equitable health care, not dependent upon geography, gender, age, culture, race, or sexual orientation.
- Strengthen collaborations with communities and organizations, such as the Department of Defense (DoD), Department of Health and Human Services (DHHS), academic affiliates and other service organizations.

To assist in meeting these goals, the Eligibility and Enrollment (E&E) program will provide enterprise-wide enhancements and sustainment for the following systems/applications:

- The VHA Enrollment System (VES) is the authoritative system for VA enrollment and Community Care static eligibility determinations.
- Income Verification Match (IVM)/Enrollment Database (EDB) assists in determining priority grouping for health care eligibility.
- Veterans Information Systems and Technology Architecture (VistA) Registration, Eligibility & Enrollment (REE) shares information with other VistA applications and enables registration and preliminary eligibility determinations and enrollment at VA Medical Centers (VAMC). VES makes the final eligibility determinations.

The Veteran's On-Line Application (VOA), now referred to as Health Care Application (HCA), enables Veterans to self-enroll in VA health care and is another entry point for records to be added to VES.

E&E defines VHA Profiles (VHAP) for which a client (Veteran, Service Member, or beneficiary) is eligible and ties them to the authority for care.

Change Requests

Key	Summary
VES-24843	Disable the ability to remove DoD in VES
VES-25155	Sync Preferred Language between VES and VistA

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VES-24900	Disable the ability to remove DoD in VES
VES-25413	Sync Preferred Language between VES and VistA (VES)
VES-26645	VES Sustainment - 6.4.0 Fortify Scan

Stories

Key	Summary
VES-25669	Update Database to Add New Letter Templates and Update Form Numbers for Existing Templates
VES-25670	Update Code to Support New Letter Templates and Changes to Existing Templates
VES-25671	Modify 60-Day Banner to Change Which Forms Cause Banner to be Displayed
VES-25672	Disable Accept Changes Button on Edit Eligibility Screen When 60-Day Banner is Active
VES-25673	Rule Changes to Automatically Trigger Letters When Ineligible Reason is Selected
VES-25674	Add Communication Panel on History Screen
VES-25675	Edit Eligibility With 60-Day Letter
VES-25676	Expire Banner When an Ineligible Letter is Sent
VES-25924	DB Update for Delete Date Of Death User Permission
VES-25925	UI Changes for Demographic Person Screen To Control Date of Death Deletion
VES-25926	UI Action for Preferred Language Changes
VES-25927	Z07 Parser Changes for Preferred Language Data
VES-25931	Z05 Builder Changes for Preferred Language Data
VES-25932	Trigger Z05 on a Preferred Language Change
VES-27685	VES 6.4.0 Production Deployment
VES-25991	Develop and Integrate Functions to Return a State Code
VES-27283	Update Web Help for VES 6.4.0

Bugs

Key	Summary
VES-27016	ProcessMSDS Holding Up Processing Resources
VES-23816	VES 6.1.0_508: Focusable components in the content do not receive focus in an order that preserves meaning and operability
VES-25448	ES allowing negative income/expenses exceed income
VES-26446	VES 6.3_eMIS Replacement With VA Profile turned ON, the MSDS Message Log should not display row with 'No Response'
VES-26448	ES not triggering IVM migrate after 8G conversion
VES-26700	CP&E 6.4.0 Caregiver CHAMPVA Eligibility Edit Screen Missing Fields and Buttons
VES-26770	ORU/ORF-Z07 errors out due to Preference Language is upper case from VistA
VES-17675	Agree to Pay Deductible not getting persisted
VES-21806	Enrollment application method being displayed when it is null
VES-23817	VES 6.1.0_508: Components that have the same functionality within a set of pages are not identified consistently
VES-26639	VES 6.4.0 VES Modernization eMIS Replacement Medal of Honor information not displaying after VBA MSDS Query
VES-26641	VES6.4.0 VES-Modernization eMIS Replacement: Enroll Status on SQA-A does not match Enroll Status on SQA-B
VES-24731	CP&E 6.2.1 Accessibility Issue: Cursor in Notes field instead of in field selected
VES-25983	CP&E 6.3: Migration - The Error Message in the Error Log incorrectly displays "MPT" and it should be "MPI"
