

Department of Veterans Affairs	Procedure Number	512
	Effective Date	9-1-19

1.0 PURPOSE

Ensure official program approval by the VA so that qualified veterans receive appropriate financial aid.

2.0 REVISION HISTORY

Adopted on:
 May 1995
 Revised on:
 10-19-18

3.0 PERSONS AFFECTED

Students who are US military veterans

4.0 DEFINITIONS

5.0 PROCEDURES

University of Arkansas-Pulaski Technical College (UA-PTC) is an approved institution for providing assistance to veterans and veteran’s beneficiaries in regards to instructional programs at the two-year degree and technical certificate levels. For the purpose of tuition and fees applicable for all programs of study, including distance learning programs, UA-PTC shall classify students who are veterans or members of the armed forces, and their spouses and dependents, as “instate” or “resident,” in accordance with Section 702 of the Veterans Access, Choice and Accountability Act of 2014, 38 U.S.C. 3679(c), as amended, and Arkansas Code Annotated § 6- 60-205.

The State Approving Agency inspects, approves, and supervises programs offered by UA-PTC for veterans, eligible persons, or reservists, under the standards and provisions of Title 38, U.S.C., Chapters 30, 1606, 33, 35 and 31. The State Approving Agency ensures that Arkansas Veterans and other eligible persons, utilizing their G.I. Bill Education Benefits receive quality education and training through the approval of education programs at institutions of higher learning (IHL) and non-college degree (NCD) institutions.

A Schools Certifying Official will inform the VA of a student’s enrollment each semester, as well as keep the VA apprised of any increases or decreases in a student’s enrollment, according to the guidelines set forth in the SCO Handbook.

This helps to ensure that all those entitled to these benefits receive a high quality, accessible, flexible and affordable education.

REQUIRED APPROVALS	NAME/SIGNATURE	DATE
Originator(s) Name(s)	PTC Board of Trustees	11-7-2007
Ratified by	Mason Campbell	10-19-18
Recommended by Chancellor (Signature)	Margaret Ellibee	9-1-19
UA Policy Alignment:		

