# CEDS Open Source Community Proposed Modified and New Elements

## Use Case Information

**Use Case Issue Repository (e.g. CEDS-Elements, CEDS-IDS, CEDS-DW):** CEDS-Elements  
**Use Case Issue Number:** 13 **Use Case Issue Title:** Update "Military Active Student Indicator" Option Set

## Proposal (multiple updates grouped by MODIFIED and NEW elements)

***MODIFIED elements (3)***

***(1)***

Proposed Element Name: **Active** **Military Status Indicator**  
Proposed Element Definition: **Indicates whether a person is an active member of the active duty forces, national guard, or reserve forces.**  
Proposed Element Format: NA  
Proposed Element Technical Name: **ActiveMilitaryStatusIndicator**  
Proposed w Element Usage Note: NA  
Proposed Element Location(s) within the Domain Entity Schema:  
**Adult Education > AE Staff > Military**

**Adult Education > AE Student > Military**

**Early Learning > Early Learning Staff > Military**

**Early Learning> K12> Parent/Guardian> Military**

**K12 > K12 Staff > Military**

**K12 > K12 Student > Military**

**K12 > Parent/Guardian > Military**

**Postsecondary > Parent/Guardian > Military**

**Postsecondary > PS Staff > Military**

**Postsecondary > PS Student > Military**

**Workforce > Workforce Program Participant > Military**

Proposed Option Set

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| --- | --- | --- | --- |
| **Type of Change** | **Option Description** | **Option Definition** | **Option Code** |
| End Date | Not Active | Person is not active in the military. | NotActive |
| Change | Active Duty | Person is a member of the Active Duty Forces (full-time) Army, Navy, Air Force, Marine Corps, or Coast Guard or is a dependent of a member on Full-Time National Guard Duty. | ActiveDuty |
| New | National Guard Or Reserve | Person is a dependent of a member of the National Guard (not full-time duty) or Reserve Forces (Army, Navy, Air Force, Marine Corps, or Coast Guard). | NationalGuardOrReserve |
| Change | Unknown | It is unknown whether the person is active in the military. | Unknown |

Current Element Name: **Military Active Student Indicator**  
Current Element Definition: **An indication that the student is currently serving on Active Duty, in the National Guard, or in the Reserve components of the United States military services.**  
Current Element Format: **Option Set**  
Current Element Technical Name: **MilitaryActiveStudentIndicator**  
Current Element Usage Note:  
Current Element Location(s) within the Domain Entity Schema:  
**Adult Education> AE Student> Demographic**

**Postsecondary> PS Student> Demographic**

**Workforce> Workforce Program Participant> Demographic**

Current Option Set

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| --- | --- | --- |
| **Option Description** | **Option Definition** | **Option Code** |
| Not Active | Student is not active in the military. | NotActive |
| Active | Student is an Active member of the Active Duty Forces, National Guard, or Reserve Forces. | Active |
| Unknown | It is unknown whether or not the Student is active in the military. | Unknown |

***(2)***

Proposed Element Name: NA  
Proposed Element Definition: An indication that the student's parent, guardian, or spouse is on Active Duty, in the National Guard, or in the Reserve components of the United States military services.  
Proposed Element Format: NA  
Proposed Element Technical Name: NA  
Proposed Element Usage Note: NA  
Proposed Element Location(s) within the Domain Entity Schema: NA

Current Element Name: **Military Connected Student Indicator**  
Current Element Definition: **An indication that the student’s parent or guardian is on Active Duty, in the National Guard, or in the Reserve components of the United States military services.**  
Current Element Format: **Option Set**  
Current Element Technical Name: **MilitaryConnectedStudentIndicator**  
Current Element Usage Note:  
Current Element Location(s) within the Domain Entity Schema:  
**Early Learning> Early Learning Child> Demographic**

**K12> K12 Student> Demographic**

**Postsecondary> PS Student> Status**

***(3)***

Proposed Element Name: **Military Veteran Status Indicator**  
Proposed Element Definition: **An indication that a person is a veteran who served on Active Duty, in the National Guard, or in the Reserve components of the United States military services.**  
Proposed Element Format: NA  
Proposed Element Technical Name: **MilitaryVeteranStatusIndicator**  
Proposed Element Usage Note: NA

Proposed Element Location(s) within the Domain Entity Schema:

**Adult Education> AE Staff> Military**

**Adult Education> AE Student> Military**

**Early Learning> Early Learning Staff> Military**

**Early Learning> Parent/Guardian> Military**

**K12> K12 Staff> Military**

**K12> K12 Student> Military**

**K12> Parent/Guardian> Military**

**Postsecondary> Parent/Guardian> Military**

**Postsecondary> PS Staff> Military**

**Postsecondary> PS Student> Military**

**Workforce> Workforce Program Participant> Military**

Proposed Option Set

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| --- | --- | --- | --- |
| **Type of Change** | **Option Description** | **Option Definition** | **Option Code** |
| Change | Not a Veteran | Person is not a veteran of the military. | NotVeteran |
| Change | Unknown | It is unknown whether the Person is a veteran of the military. | Unknown |
| Change | Veteran | Person is a Veteran of the Active Duty Forces, National Guard, or Reserve Forces. | Veteran |

Current Element Name: **Military Veteran Student Indicator**  
Current Element Definition: **An indication that the student is a veteran who served on Active Duty, in the National Guard, or in the Reserve components of the United States military services.**  
Current Element Format: **Option Set**  
Current Element Technical Name: **MilitaryVeteranStudentIndicator**  
Current Element Usage Note:  
Current Element Location(s) within the Domain Entity Schema:  
**Adult Education> AE Student> Demographic**

**Postsecondary> PS Student> Demographic**

**Workforce> Workforce Program Participant> Demographic**

Current Option Set

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| **Option Description** | **Option Definition** | **Option Code** |
| Not a Veteran | Student is not a veteran of the military. | NotVeteran |
| Unknown | It is unknown whether or not the Student is a veteran of the military. | Unknown |
| Veteran | Student is a Veteran of the Active Duty Forces, National Guard, or Reserve Forces. | Veteran |

***NEW elements (25)***

***(1)***

New Element Name: **Military Service Number**  
New Element Definition: **The military service number or identifier of the person as defined by the country, branch, and/or division.**  
New Element Format: **Alphanumeric - 40 characters maximum**  
New Element Technical Name: **MilitaryServiceNumber**  
New Element Usage Note: **This identifier is applicable for specifying more details when using indicators related to U.S. Military service, such as Military Connected Student Indicator, Active Military Status Indicator, Military Veteran Status Indicator and Military Enlistment After Exit elements.**  
New Element Location(s) within the Domain Entity Schema:  
**Adult Education > AE Staff > Military**

**Adult Education > AE Student > Military**

**Early Learning > Early Learning Staff > Military**

**Early Learning> K12> Parent/Guardian> Military**

**K12 > K12 Staff > Military**

**K12 > K12 Student > Military**

**K12 > Parent/Guardian > Military**

**Postsecondary > Parent/Guardian > Military**

**Postsecondary > PS Staff > Military**

**Postsecondary > PS Student > Military**

**Workforce > Workforce Program Participant > Military**

***(2)***

New Element Name: **Military Country**  
New Element Definition: **The unique two character International Organization for Standardization (ISO) code for the country in whose military a person serves or served.**  
New Element Format: **Option Set**  
New Element Technical Name: **MilitaryCountry**  
New Element Usage Note: **This element is applicable for specifying more details when using indicators related to U.S. Military service, such as Military Connected Student Indicator, Active Military Status Indicator, Military Veteran Status Indicator and Military Enlistment After Exit elements. The CEDS Country Code option set comes from the**[**ISO 3166 standard**](http://www.iso.org/iso/country_codes.htm)**, the short name for Officially assigned codes. Discontinued codes from the ISO standard are not included in the CEDS list.**  
New Element Location(s) within the Domain Entity Schema:  
**Adult Education > AE Staff > Military**

**Adult Education > AE Student > Military**

**Early Learning > Early Learning Staff > Military**

**Early Learning> K12> Parent/Guardian> Military**

**K12 > K12 Staff > Military**

**K12 > K12 Student > Military**

**K12 > Parent/Guardian > Military**

**Postsecondary > Parent/Guardian > Military**

**Postsecondary > PS Staff > Military**

**Postsecondary > PS Student > Military**

**Workforce > Workforce Program Participant > Military**

Option Set Information

[This is the same set as for the [CEDS Country Code](https://ceds.ed.gov/CEDSElementDetails.aspx?TermId=21050) element]

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| **Option Description** | **Option Definition** | **Option Code** |
| AFGHANISTAN | AFGHANISTAN | AF |
| ÅLAND ISLANDS | ÅLAND ISLANDS | AX |
| ALBANIA | ALBANIA | AL |
| ALGERIA | ALGERIA | DZ |
| AMERICAN SAMOA | AMERICAN SAMOA | AS |
| ANDORRA | ANDORRA | AD |
| ANGOLA | ANGOLA | AO |
| ANGUILLA | ANGUILLA | AI |
| ANTARCTICA | ANTARCTICA | AQ |
| ANTIGUA AND BARBUDA | ANTIGUA AND BARBUDA | AG |
| ARGENTINA | ARGENTINA | AR |
| ARMENIA | ARMENIA | AM |
| ARUBA | ARUBA | AW |
| AUSTRALIA | AUSTRALIA | AU |
| AUSTRIA | AUSTRIA | AT |
| AZERBAIJAN | AZERBAIJAN | AZ |
| BAHAMAS | BAHAMAS | BS |
| BAHRAIN | BAHRAIN | BH |
| BANGLADESH | BANGLADESH | BD |
| BARBADOS | BARBADOS | BB |
| BELARUS | BELARUS | BY |
| BELGIUM | BELGIUM | BE |
| BELIZE | BELIZE | BZ |
| BENIN | BENIN | BJ |
| BERMUDA | BERMUDA | BM |
| BHUTAN | BHUTAN | BT |
| BOLIVIA (PLURINATIONAL STATE OF) | BOLIVIA (PLURINATIONAL STATE OF) | BO |
| BONAIRE, SINT EUSTATIUS AND SABA | BONAIRE, SINT EUSTATIUS AND SABA | BQ |
| BOSNIA AND HERZEGOVINA | BOSNIA AND HERZEGOVINA | BA |
| BOTSWANA | BOTSWANA | BW |
| BOUVET ISLAND | BOUVET ISLAND | BV |
| BRAZIL | BRAZIL | BR |
| BRITISH INDIAN OCEAN TERRITORY | BRITISH INDIAN OCEAN TERRITORY | IO |
| BRUNEI DARUSSALAM | BRUNEI DARUSSALAM | BN |
| BULGARIA | BULGARIA | BG |
| BURKINA FASO | BURKINA FASO | BF |
| BURUNDI | BURUNDI | BI |
| CAMBODIA | CAMBODIA | KH |
| CAMEROON | CAMEROON | CM |
| CANADA | CANADA | CA |
| CABO VERDE | CABO VERDE | CV |
| CAYMAN ISLANDS | CAYMAN ISLANDS | KY |
| CENTRAL AFRICAN REPUBLIC | CENTRAL AFRICAN REPUBLIC | CF |
| CHAD | CHAD | TD |
| CHILE | CHILE | CL |
| CHINA | CHINA | CN |
| CHRISTMAS ISLAND | CHRISTMAS ISLAND | CX |
| COCOS (KEELING) ISLANDS | COCOS (KEELING) ISLANDS | CC |
| COLOMBIA | COLOMBIA | CO |
| COMOROS | COMOROS | KM |
| CONGO | CONGO | CG |
| CONGO, DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF THE | CONGO, DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF THE | CD |
| COOK ISLANDS | COOK ISLANDS | CK |
| COSTA RICA | COSTA RICA | CR |
| CÔTE D'IVOIRE | CÔTE D'IVOIRE | CI |
| CROATIA | CROATIA | HR |
| CUBA | CUBA | CU |
| CURAÇAO | CURAÇAO | CW |
| CYPRUS | CYPRUS | CY |
| CZECHIA | CZECHIA | CZ |
| DENMARK | DENMARK | DK |
| DJIBOUTI | DJIBOUTI | DJ |
| DOMINICA | DOMINICA | DM |
| DOMINICAN REPUBLIC | DOMINICAN REPUBLIC | DO |
| ECUADOR | ECUADOR | EC |
| EGYPT | EGYPT | EG |
| EL SALVADOR | EL SALVADOR | SV |
| EQUATORIAL GUINEA | EQUATORIAL GUINEA | GQ |
| ERITREA | ERITREA | ER |
| ESTONIA | ESTONIA | EE |
| ETHIOPIA | ETHIOPIA | ET |
| FALKLAND ISLANDS (MALVINAS) | FALKLAND ISLANDS (MALVINAS) | FK |
| FAROE ISLANDS | FAROE ISLANDS | FO |
| FIJI | FIJI | FJ |
| FINLAND | FINLAND | FI |
| FRANCE | FRANCE | FR |
| FRENCH GUIANA | FRENCH GUIANA | GF |
| FRENCH POLYNESIA | FRENCH POLYNESIA | PF |
| FRENCH SOUTHERN TERRITORIES | FRENCH SOUTHERN TERRITORIES | TF |
| GABON | GABON | GA |
| GAMBIA | GAMBIA | GM |
| GEORGIA | GEORGIA | GE |
| GERMANY | GERMANY | DE |
| GHANA | GHANA | GH |
| GIBRALTAR | GIBRALTAR | GI |
| GREECE | GREECE | GR |
| GREENLAND | GREENLAND | GL |
| GRENADA | GRENADA | GD |
| GUADELOUPE | GUADELOUPE | GP |
| GUAM | GUAM | GU |
| GUATEMALA | GUATEMALA | GT |
| GUERNSEY | GUERNSEY | GG |
| GUINEA | GUINEA | GN |
| GUINEA-BISSAU | GUINEA-BISSAU | GW |
| GUYANA | GUYANA | GY |
| HAITI | HAITI | HT |
| HEARD ISLAND AND MCDONALD ISLANDS | HEARD ISLAND AND MCDONALD ISLANDS | HM |
| HOLY SEE | HOLY SEE | VA |
| HONDURAS | HONDURAS | HN |
| HONG KONG | HONG KONG | HK |
| HUNGARY | HUNGARY | HU |
| ICELAND | ICELAND | IS |
| INDIA | INDIA | IN |
| INDONESIA | INDONESIA | ID |
| IRAN (ISLAMIC REPUBLIC OF) | IRAN (ISLAMIC REPUBLIC OF) | IR |
| IRAQ | IRAQ | IQ |
| IRELAND | IRELAND | IE |
| ISLE OF MAN | ISLE OF MAN | IM |
| ISRAEL | ISRAEL | IL |
| ITALY | ITALY | IT |
| JAMAICA | JAMAICA | JM |
| JAPAN | JAPAN | JP |
| JERSEY | JERSEY | JE |
| JORDAN | JORDAN | JO |
| KAZAKHSTAN | KAZAKHSTAN | KZ |
| KENYA | KENYA | KE |
| KIRIBATI | KIRIBATI | KI |
| KOREA (DEMOCRATIC PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF) | KOREA (DEMOCRATIC PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF) | KP |
| KOREA, REPUBLIC OF | KOREA, REPUBLIC OF | KR |
| KUWAIT | KUWAIT | KW |
| KYRGYZSTAN | KYRGYZSTAN | KG |
| LAO PEOPLE'S DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC | LAO PEOPLE'S DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC | LA |
| LATVIA | LATVIA | LV |
| LEBANON | LEBANON | LB |
| LESOTHO | LESOTHO | LS |
| LIBERIA | LIBERIA | LR |
| LIBYA | LIBYA | LY |
| LIECHTENSTEIN | LIECHTENSTEIN | LI |
| LITHUANIA | LITHUANIA | LT |
| LUXEMBOURG | LUXEMBOURG | LU |
| MACAO | MACAO | MO |
| NORTH MACEDONIA | NORTH MACEDONIA | MK |
| MADAGASCAR | MADAGASCAR | MG |
| MALAWI | MALAWI | MW |
| MALAYSIA | MALAYSIA | MY |
| MALDIVES | MALDIVES | MV |
| MALI | MALI | ML |
| MALTA | MALTA | MT |
| MARSHALL ISLANDS | MARSHALL ISLANDS | MH |
| MARTINIQUE | MARTINIQUE | MQ |
| MAURITANIA | MAURITANIA | MR |
| MAURITIUS | MAURITIUS | MU |
| MAYOTTE | MAYOTTE | YT |
| MEXICO | MEXICO | MX |
| MICRONESIA (FEDERATED STATES OF) | MICRONESIA (FEDERATED STATES OF) | FM |
| MOLDOVA, REPUBLIC OF | MOLDOVA, REPUBLIC OF | MD |
| MONACO | MONACO | MC |
| MONGOLIA | MONGOLIA | MN |
| MONTENEGRO | MONTENEGRO | ME |
| MONTSERRAT | MONTSERRAT | MS |
| MOROCCO | MOROCCO | MA |
| MOZAMBIQUE | MOZAMBIQUE | MZ |
| MYANMAR | MYANMAR | MM |
| NAMIBIA | NAMIBIA | NA |
| NAURU | NAURU | NR |
| NEPAL | NEPAL | NP |
| NETHERLANDS | NETHERLANDS | NL |
| NEW CALEDONIA | NEW CALEDONIA | NC |
| NEW ZEALAND | NEW ZEALAND | NZ |
| NICARAGUA | NICARAGUA | NI |
| NIGER | NIGER | NE |
| NIGERIA | NIGERIA | NG |
| NIUE | NIUE | NU |
| NORFOLK ISLAND | NORFOLK ISLAND | NF |
| NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS | NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS | MP |
| NORWAY | NORWAY | NO |
| OMAN | OMAN | OM |
| PAKISTAN | PAKISTAN | PK |
| PALAU | PALAU | PW |
| PALESTINE, STATE OF | PALESTINE, STATE OF | PS |
| PANAMA | PANAMA | PA |
| PAPUA NEW GUINEA | PAPUA NEW GUINEA | PG |
| PARAGUAY | PARAGUAY | PY |
| PERU | PERU | PE |
| PHILIPPINES | PHILIPPINES | PH |
| PITCAIRN | PITCAIRN | PN |
| POLAND | POLAND | PL |
| PORTUGAL | PORTUGAL | PT |
| PUERTO RICO | PUERTO RICO | PR |
| QATAR | QATAR | QA |
| RÉUNION | RÉUNION | RE |
| ROMANIA | ROMANIA | RO |
| RUSSIAN FEDERATION | RUSSIAN FEDERATION | RU |
| RWANDA | RWANDA | RW |
| SAINT BARTHÉLEMY | SAINT BARTHÉLEMY | BL |
| SAINT HELENA, ASCENSION AND TRISTAN DA CUNHA | SAINT HELENA, ASCENSION AND TRISTAN DA CUNHA | SH |
| SAINT KITTS AND NEVIS | SAINT KITTS AND NEVIS | KN |
| SAINT LUCIA | SAINT LUCIA | LC |
| SAINT MARTIN (FRENCH PART) | SAINT MARTIN (FRENCH PART) | MF |
| SAINT PIERRE AND MIQUELON | SAINT PIERRE AND MIQUELON | PM |
| SAINT VINCENT AND THE GRENADINES | SAINT VINCENT AND THE GRENADINES | VC |
| SAMOA | SAMOA | WS |
| SAN MARINO | SAN MARINO | SM |
| SAO TOME AND PRINCIPE | SAO TOME AND PRINCIPE | ST |
| SAUDI ARABIA | SAUDI ARABIA | SA |
| SENEGAL | SENEGAL | SN |
| SERBIA | SERBIA | RS |
| SEYCHELLES | SEYCHELLES | SC |
| SIERRA LEONE | SIERRA LEONE | SL |
| SINGAPORE | SINGAPORE | SG |
| SINT MAARTEN (DUTCH PART) | SINT MAARTEN (DUTCH PART) | SX |
| SLOVAKIA | SLOVAKIA | SK |
| SLOVENIA | SLOVENIA | SI |
| SOLOMON ISLANDS | SOLOMON ISLANDS | SB |
| SOMALIA | SOMALIA | SO |
| SOUTH AFRICA | SOUTH AFRICA | ZA |
| SOUTH GEORGIA AND THE SOUTH SANDWICH ISLANDS | SOUTH GEORGIA AND THE SOUTH SANDWICH ISLANDS | GS |
| SOUTH SUDAN | SOUTH SUDAN | SS |
| SPAIN | SPAIN | ES |
| SRI LANKA | SRI LANKA | LK |
| SUDAN | SUDAN | SD |
| SURINAME | SURINAME | SR |
| SVALBARD AND JAN MAYEN | SVALBARD AND JAN MAYEN | SJ |
| ESWATINI | ESWATINI | SZ |
| SWEDEN | SWEDEN | SE |
| SWITZERLAND | SWITZERLAND | CH |
| SYRIAN ARAB REPUBLIC | SYRIAN ARAB REPUBLIC | SY |
| TAIWAN | TAIWAN | TW |
| TAJIKISTAN | TAJIKISTAN | TJ |
| TANZANIA, UNITED REPUBLIC OF | TANZANIA, UNITED REPUBLIC OF | TZ |
| THAILAND | THAILAND | TH |
| TIMOR-LESTE | TIMOR-LESTE | TL |
| TOGO | TOGO | TG |
| TOKELAU | TOKELAU | TK |
| TONGA | TONGA | TO |
| TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO | TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO | TT |
| TUNISIA | TUNISIA | TN |
| TURKEY | TURKEY | TR |
| TURKMENISTAN | TURKMENISTAN | TM |
| TURKS AND CAICOS ISLANDS | TURKS AND CAICOS ISLANDS | TC |
| TUVALU | TUVALU | TV |
| UGANDA | UGANDA | UG |
| UKRAINE | UKRAINE | UA |
| UNITED ARAB EMIRATES | UNITED ARAB EMIRATES | AE |
| UNITED KINGDOM OF GREAT BRITAIN AND NORTHERN IRELAND | UNITED KINGDOM OF GREAT BRITAIN AND NORTHERN IRELAND | GB |
| UNITED STATES OF AMERICA | UNITED STATES OF AMERICA | US |
| UNITED STATES MINOR OUTLYING ISLANDS | UNITED STATES MINOR OUTLYING ISLANDS | UM |
| URUGUAY | URUGUAY | UY |
| UZBEKISTAN | UZBEKISTAN | UZ |
| VANUATU | VANUATU | VU |
| VENEZUELA (BOLIVARIAN REPUBLIC OF) | VENEZUELA (BOLIVARIAN REPUBLIC OF) | VE |
| VIET NAM | VIET NAM | VN |
| VIRGIN ISLANDS (BRITISH) | VIRGIN ISLANDS (BRITISH) | VG |
| VIRGIN ISLANDS (U.S.) | VIRGIN ISLANDS (U.S.) | VI |
| WALLIS AND FUTUNA | WALLIS AND FUTUNA | WF |
| WESTERN SAHARA | WESTERN SAHARA | EH |
| YEMEN | YEMEN | YE |
| ZAMBIA | ZAMBIA | ZM |
| ZIMBABWE | ZIMBABWE | ZW |
| AFGHANISTAN | AFGHANISTAN | AF |

***(3)***

New Element Name: **Military Occupational Specialties**   
New Element Definition: **A military occupational specialty of a person.**   
New Element Format: **Alphanumeric - 200 characters maximum**  
New Element Technical Name: **MilitaryOccupationalSpecialties**  
New Element Usage Note: **This is a code or an identifier of an occupation applicable for specifying more details when using indicators related to U.S. Military service, such as Military Connected Student Indicator, Active Military Status Indicator, Military Veteran Status Indicator and Military Enlistment After Exit elements. The complete list of MOS for each branch of the U.S. military can be found on their respective websites. In addition, there are other resources available that provide information on how MOS relate to civilian jobs, such as the crosswalk tools available on the Department of Veterans Affairs website:** [**https://www.myhealth.va.gov/mhv-portal-web/dod-military-service-information-faqs#civilianjobs**](https://www.myhealth.va.gov/mhv-portal-web/dod-military-service-information-faqs#civilianjobs)**.**   
New Element Location(s) within the Domain Entity Schema:  
**Adult Education > AE Staff > Military**

**Adult Education > AE Student > Military**

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**Early Learning> K12> Parent/Guardian> Military**

**K12 > K12 Staff > Military**

**K12 > K12 Student > Military**

**K12 > Parent/Guardian > Military**

**Postsecondary > Parent/Guardian > Military**

**Postsecondary > PS Staff > Military**

**Postsecondary > PS Student > Military**

**Workforce > Workforce Program Participant > Military**

***(4)***

New Element Name: **Military Expertise**  
New Element Definition: **A list of expertise that the person developed during the service period.**  
New Element Format: **Option Set**  
New Element Technical Name: **MilitaryExpertise**  
New Element Usage Note: **This element is applicable for specifying more details when using indicators related to U.S. Military service, such as Military Connected Student Indicator, Active Military Status Indicator, Military Veteran Status Indicator and Military Enlistment After Exit elements.**   
New Element Location(s) within the Domain Entity Schema: **Adult Education > AE Staff > Military**

**Adult Education > AE Student > Military**

**Early Learning > Early Learning Staff > Military**

**Early Learning> K12> Parent/Guardian> Military**

**K12 > K12 Staff > Military**

**K12 > K12 Student > Military**

**K12 > Parent/Guardian > Military**

**Postsecondary > Parent/Guardian > Military**

**Postsecondary > PS Staff > Military**

**Postsecondary > PS Student > Military**

**Workforce > Workforce Program Participant > Military**

Option Set Information

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| **Option Description** | **Option Definition** | **Option Code** |
| Communication skills | While serving in the military, a person developed effective communication skills for communicating with colleagues, superiors, and civilians. | CommunicationSkills |
| Cultural awareness | While serving in the military, a person acquired an understanding of different cultures and customs. | CulturalAwareness |
| Leadership and management | While serving in the military, a person trained to take on leadership roles and manage teams to accomplish objectives. | LeadershipAndManagement |
| Logistics and maintenance | While serving in the military, a person trained to manage movement and maintenance of personnel, equipment, and supplies | LogisticsAndMaintenance |
| Security and safety | While serving in the military, a person trained in security and safety protocols, such as handling weapons and explosives, and in providing security for military installations and personnel. | SecurityAndSafety |
| Technical skills | While serving in the military, a person gained technical expertise in areas such as mechanics, electronics, computer systems, and engineering. | TechnicalSkills |
| Unknown | The military expertise of a person is unknown. | Unknown |

***(5)***

New Element Name: **Military Duties**  
New Element Definition: **A description of the duties encompassed within a period of military service.**  
New Element Format: **Option Set**  
New Element Technical Name: **MilitaryDuties**  
New Element Usage Note: **This element is applicable for specifying more details when using indicators related to U.S. Military service, such as Military Connected Student Indicator, Active Military Status Indicator, Military Veteran Status Indicator and Military Enlistment After Exit elements.**   
New Element Location(s) within the Domain Entity Schema:

**Adult Education > AE Staff > Military**

**Adult Education > AE Student > Military**

**Early Learning > Early Learning Staff > Military**

**Early Learning> K12> Parent/Guardian> Military**

**K12 > K12 Staff > Military**

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**Postsecondary > Parent/Guardian > Military**

**Postsecondary > PS Staff > Military**

**Postsecondary > PS Student > Military**

**Workforce > Workforce Program Participant > Military**

Option Set Information

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| **Option Description** | **Option Definition** | **Option Code** |
| Administrative duties | Military personnel responsible for various administrative duties such as maintaining records, processing paperwork, and handling personnel issues. | AdministrativeDuties |
| Combat and missions | Military personnel deployed on various operations and missions, which may involve combat or non-combat activities such as humanitarian assistance, disaster relief, or peacekeeping. | CombatAndMissions |
| Logistics and supply chain management | Military personnel responsible for managing the flow of personnel, equipment, and supplies to ensure that they are available when needed. | LogisticsAndSupplyChainManagement |
| Maintenance and repairs | Military personnel responsible for ensuring that equipment and vehicles are properly maintained and repaired to ensure that they are in good working condition. | MaintenanceAndRepairs |
| Operations and training | Military personnel who undergo specialized training and participate in operations and missions to maintain readiness and proficiency. | OperationsAndTraining |
| Other | Military personnel who have other duties according to their specific military occupational specialty or role within the military. | Other |
| Unknown | Duties of military personnel are unknown or cannot be categorized. | Unknown |

***(6)***

New Element Name: **Military Service Locations**  
New Element Definition: **A description of the duty stations (locations) encompassed within a period of military service.**  
New Element Format: **Alphanumeric - 40 characters maximum**  
New Element Technical Name: **MilitaryServiceLocations**  
New Element Usage Note: **This element is applicable for specifying more details when using indicators related to U.S. Military service, such as Military Connected Student Indicator, Active Military Status Indicator, Military Veteran Status Indicator and Military Enlistment After Exit elements.**   
New Element Location(s) within the Domain Entity Schema:  
**Adult Education > AE Staff > Military**

**Adult Education > AE Student > Military**

**Early Learning > Early Learning Staff > Military**

**Early Learning> K12> Parent/Guardian> Military**

**K12 > K12 Staff > Military**

**K12 > K12 Student > Military**

**K12 > Parent/Guardian > Military**

**Postsecondary > Parent/Guardian > Military**

**Postsecondary > PS Staff > Military**

**Postsecondary > PS Student > Military**

**Workforce > Workforce Program Participant > Military**

***(7)***

New Element Name: **Military Induction Date**  
New Element Definition: **The date when a person was inducted into active military service.**  
New Element Format: **YYYY-MM-DD or YYYY-MM**  
New Element Technical Name: **MilitaryInductionDate**  
New Element Usage Note: **This element is applicable for specifying more details when using indicators related to U.S. Military service, such as Military Connected Student Indicator, Active Military Status Indicator, Military Veteran Status Indicator and Military Enlistment After Exit elements.**   
New Element Location(s) within the Domain Entity Schema:   
**Adult Education > AE Staff > Military**

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**Early Learning > Early Learning Staff > Military**

**Early Learning> K12> Parent/Guardian> Military**

**K12 > K12 Staff > Military**

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**K12 > Parent/Guardian > Military**

**Postsecondary > Parent/Guardian > Military**

**Postsecondary > PS Staff > Military**

**Postsecondary > PS Student > Military**

**Workforce > Workforce Program Participant > Military**

***(8)***

New Element Name: **Military Discharge Date**  
New Element Definition: **The date when a person was released from further military obligations.**  
New Element Format: **YYYY-MM-DD or YYYY-MM**  
New Element Technical Name: **MilitaryDischargeDate**  
New Element Usage Note: **This element is applicable for specifying more details when using indicators related to U.S. Military service, such as Military Connected Student Indicator, Active Military Status Indicator, Military Veteran Status Indicator and Military Enlistment After Exit elements.**   
New Element Location(s) within the Domain Entity Schema:   
**Adult Education > AE Staff > Military**

**Adult Education > AE Student > Military**

**Early Learning > Early Learning Staff > Military**

**Early Learning> K12> Parent/Guardian> Military**

**K12 > K12 Staff > Military**

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**Postsecondary > Parent/Guardian > Military**

**Postsecondary > PS Staff > Military**

**Postsecondary > PS Student > Military**

**Workforce > Workforce Program Participant > Military**

***(9)***

New Element Name: **Military Release Date**  
New Element Definition: **The date a person was released from active military service.**  
New Element Format: **YYYY-MM-DD or YYYY-MM**  
New Element Technical Name: **MilitaryReleaseDate**  
New Element Usage Note: **This element is applicable for specifying more details when using indicators related to U.S. Military service, such as Military Connected Student Indicator, Active Military Status Indicator, Military Veteran Status Indicator and Military Enlistment After Exit elements.**   
New Element Location(s) within the Domain Entity Schema:   
**Adult Education > AE Staff > Military**

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**Early Learning> K12> Parent/Guardian> Military**

**K12 > K12 Staff > Military**

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**K12 > Parent/Guardian > Military**

**Postsecondary > Parent/Guardian > Military**

**Postsecondary > PS Staff > Military**

**Postsecondary > PS Student > Military**

**Workforce > Workforce Program Participant > Military**

***(10)***

New Element Name: **Military Deployment Start Date**  
New Element Definition: **The date when a person’s military deployment started.**  
New Element Format: **YYYY-MM-DD or YYYY-MM**  
New Element Technical Name: **MilitaryDeploymentStartDate**  
New Element Usage Note: **This element is applicable for specifying more details when using indicators related to U.S. Military service, such as Military Connected Student Indicator, Active Military Status Indicator, Military Veteran Status Indicator and Military Enlistment After Exit elements.**   
New Element Location(s) within the Domain Entity Schema:   
**Adult Education > AE Staff > Military**

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**Early Learning> K12> Parent/Guardian> Military**

**K12 > K12 Staff > Military**

**K12 > K12 Student > Military**

**K12 > Parent/Guardian > Military**

**Postsecondary > Parent/Guardian > Military**

**Postsecondary > PS Staff > Military**

**Postsecondary > PS Student > Military**

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***(11)***

New Element Name: **Military Deployment End Date**  
New Element Definition: **The date when a person’s military deployment ended.**  
New Element Format: **YYYY-MM-DD or YYYY-MM**  
New Element Technical Name: **MilitaryDeploymentEndDate**  
New Element Usage Note: **This element is applicable for specifying more details when using indicators related to U.S. Military service, such as Military Connected Student Indicator, Active Military Status Indicator, Military Veteran Status Indicator and Military Enlistment After Exit elements.**   
New Element Location(s) within the Domain Entity Schema:   
**Adult Education > AE Staff > Military**

**Adult Education > AE Student > Military**

**Early Learning > Early Learning Staff > Military**

**Early Learning> K12> Parent/Guardian> Military**

**K12 > K12 Staff > Military**

**K12 > K12 Student > Military**

**K12 > Parent/Guardian > Military**

**Postsecondary > Parent/Guardian > Military**

**Postsecondary > PS Staff > Military**

**Postsecondary > PS Student > Military**

**Workforce > Workforce Program Participant > Military**

***(12)***

New Element Name: **Military Discharge Category**  
New Element Definition: **A kind of discharge a person received from military services.**  
New Element Format: **Option Set**  
New Element Technical Name: **MilitaryDischargeCategory**  
New Element Usage Note: **This element is applicable for specifying more details when using indicators related to U.S. Military service, such as Military Connected Student Indicator, Active Military Status Indicator, Military Veteran Status Indicator and Military Enlistment After Exit elements.**   
New Element Location(s) within the Domain Entity Schema:   
**Adult Education > AE Staff > Military**

**Adult Education > AE Student > Military**

**Early Learning > Early Learning Staff > Military**

**Early Learning> K12> Parent/Guardian> Military**

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**K12 > Parent/Guardian > Military**

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**Postsecondary > PS Student > Military**

**Workforce > Workforce Program Participant > Military**

Option Set Information

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| **Option Description** | **Option Definition** | **Option Code** |
| Honorable discharge | The highest discharge status given to military personnel who have met or exceeded the military's standards for performance and personal conduct during their service. | HonorableDischarge |
| General discharge under honorable conditions | A discharge given to military personnel who have generally met the standards of performance and conduct, but may have had some minor disciplinary issues. | GeneralDischargeUnderHonorableConditions |
| Other than honorable discharge | A discharge given to military personnel who have engaged in serious misconduct or have repeatedly violated military rules and regulations. | OtherThanHonorableDischarge |
| Bad conduct discharge | A discharge given to military personnel who have committed serious offenses such as insubordination, desertion, or assault. | BadConductDischarge |
| Dishonorable discharge | The most severe type of discharge given to military personnel who have committed serious crimes such as espionage, murder, or rape. | DishonorableDischarge |
| Entry level separation | A discharge given to military personnel who have been in service for less than 180 days and are deemed unsuitable for military service. | EntryLevelSeparation |
| Medical discharge | A non-punitive discharge given to military personnel who are medically unfit to continue service due to injury or illness. | MedicalDischarge |
| Retirement discharge | A non-punitive discharge given to military personnel who have served for a specified period of time and have met the requirements for retirement. | RetirementDischarge |
| Administrative discharge | A non-punitive discharge given to military personnel who are separated from service due to administrative reasons such as reduction in force or convenience of the government. | AdministrativeDischarge |

***(13)***

New Element Name: **Military Induction Rank**  
New Element Definition: **A rank at the time a person started their military experience.**  
New Element Format: **Alphanumeric - 40 characters maximum**  
New Element Technical Name: **MilitaryInductionRank**  
New Element Usage Note: **This element is applicable for specifying more details when using indicators related to U.S. Military service, such as Military Connected Student Indicator, Active Military Status Indicator, Military Veteran Status Indicator and Military Enlistment After Exit elements.**   
New Element Location(s) within the Domain Entity Schema:   
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**Postsecondary > Parent/Guardian > Military**

**Postsecondary > PS Staff > Military**

**Postsecondary > PS Student > Military**

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***(14)***

New Element Name: **Military Discharge Rank**  
New Element Definition: **A rank at time a person was discharged from military service.**  
New Element Format: **Alphanumeric - 40 characters maximum**  
New Element Technical Name: **MilitaryDischargeRank**  
New Element Usage Note: **This element is applicable for specifying more details when using indicators related to U.S. Military service, such as Military Connected Student Indicator, Active Military Status Indicator, Military Veteran Status Indicator and Military Enlistment After Exit elements.**   
New Element Location(s) within the Domain Entity Schema:  
**Adult Education > AE Staff > Military**

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**Postsecondary > Parent/Guardian > Military**

**Postsecondary > PS Staff > Military**

**Postsecondary > PS Student > Military**

**Workforce > Workforce Program Participant > Military**

***(15)***

New Element Name: **Military Highest Rank**  
New Element Definition: **The highest rank achieved by a person in military service.**  
New Element Format: **Alphanumeric - 40 characters maximum**  
New Element Technical Name: **MilitaryHighestRank**  
New Element Usage Note: **This element is applicable for specifying more details when using indicators related to U.S. Military service, such as Military Connected Student Indicator, Active Military Status Indicator, Military Veteran Status Indicator and Military Enlistment After Exit elements.**   
New Element Location(s) within the Domain Entity Schema:  
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**Early Learning> K12> Parent/Guardian> Military**

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**Postsecondary > PS Staff > Military**

**Postsecondary > PS Student > Military**

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***(16)***

New Element Name: **Military Current Rank**  
New Element Definition: **The rank a person currently holds as part of active service. Do not use this indicator if the person is no longer holding this rank.**  
New Element Format: **Alphanumeric - 40 characters maximum**  
New Element Technical Name: **MilitaryCurrentRank**  
New Element Usage Note: **This is applicable for specifying more details when using indicators related to U.S. Military service, such as Military Connected Student Indicator, Active Military Status Indicator, Military Veteran Status Indicator and Military Enlistment After Exit elements.**   
New Element Location(s) within the Domain Entity Schema:   
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**Postsecondary > Parent/Guardian > Military**

**Postsecondary > PS Staff > Military**

**Postsecondary > PS Student > Military**

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***(17)***

New Element Name: **Military Honors**  
New Element Definition: **A military honor that the person received during the service period.**  
New Element Format: **Alphanumeric - 40 characters maximum**  
New Element Technical Name: **MilitaryHonors**  
New Element Usage Note: **This element is applicable for specifying more details when using indicators related to U.S. Military service, such as Military Connected Student Indicator, Active Military Status Indicator, Military Veteran Status Indicator and Military Enlistment After Exit elements.**   
New Element Location(s) within the Domain Entity Schema:   
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**Postsecondary > Parent/Guardian > Military**

**Postsecondary > PS Staff > Military**

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***(18)***

New Element Name: **Military Campaigns**  
New Element Definition: **A military campaign in which the person has been involved during the service period.**  
New Element Format: **Alphanumeric - 400 characters maximum**  
New Element Technical Name: **MilitaryCampaigns**  
New Element Usage Note: **This element is applicable for specifying more details when using indicators related to U.S. Military service, such as Military Connected Student Indicator, Active Military Status Indicator, Military Veteran Status Indicator and Military Enlistment After Exit elements.**   
New Element Location(s) within the Domain Entity Schema:   
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**Postsecondary > PS Student > Military**

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Option Set Information

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| **Option Description** | **Option Definition** | **Option Code** |
| World War II (1939-1945) | Person has been involved in World War II during their U.S. military service | WorldWarII |
| The Korean War (1950-1953) | Person has been involved in the Korean War during their U.S. military service | KoreanWar |
| The Vietnam War (1955-1975) | Person has been involved in the Vietnam War during their U.S. military service | VietnamWar |
| The Gulf War (1990-1991) | Person has been involved in the Gulf War during their U.S. military service | GulfWar |
| The War in Afghanistan (2001-2021) | Person has been involved in the War in Afghanistan during their U.S. military service | WarInAfganistan |
| The Iraq War (2003-2011) | Person has been involved in the Iraq War during their U.S. military service | IraqWar |
| Other | Person has been involved in an Other campaign during their U.S. military service | Other |
| Unknown | Person's campaign involvement during their U.S. military service is Unknown | Unknown |
| None | Person has not been involved in a campaign during their U.S. military service | None |

***(19)***

New Element Name: **Military Deployment Status Code**  
New Element Definition: **Deployment status code issued to military personnel by the U.S. military.**  
New Element Format: **Option Set**  
New Element Technical Name: **MilitaryDeploymentStatusCode**  
New Element Usage Note: **This element is applicable for specifying more details when using indicators related to U.S. Military service, such as Military Connected Student Indicator, Active Military Status Indicator, Military Veteran Status Indicator and Military Enlistment After Exit elements.**   
New Element Location(s) within the Domain Entity Schema:   
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Option Set Information

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| --- | --- | --- |
| **Option Description** | **Option Definition** | **Option Code** |
| Available for deployment | A person is available for deployment. | AvailableForDeployment |
| Currently deployed | A person is currently mobilized and deployed. | CurrentlyDeployed |
| Temporary deployment exemption | A person has a temporary medical or administrative exemption from deployment, including due to pregnancy or childbirth. | Temporary exemption from deployment |
| Permanent deployment exemption | A person has a permanent medical or administrative exemption from deployment, or, is exempt due to compassionate or hardship reasons. | PermanentDeploymentExemption |
| Nondeployable | A person is nondeployable due to administrative reasons, or, due to legal or disciplinary reasons. | NonDeployable |
| Retired or separated from military service | A person is retired or separated from military service | RetiredOrSeparatedFromMilitaryService |

***(20)***

New Element Name: **Military Deployment Description**  
New Element Definition: **A textual description of the person’s military deployment.**  
New Element Format: **Alphanumeric - 200 characters maximum**  
New Element Technical Name: **MilitaryDeploymentDescription**  
New Element Usage Note: **This element is applicable for specifying more details when using indicators related to U.S. Military service, such as Military Connected Student Indicator, Active Military Status Indicator, Military Veteran Status Indicator and Military Enlistment After Exit elements.**   
New Element Location(s) within the Domain Entity Schema:   
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***(21)***

New Element Name: **Military Deployment Order Description**  
New Element Definition: **A** **textual description of the person’s military deployment order.**  
New Element Format: **Alphanumeric - 200 characters maximum**  
New Element Technical Name: **MilitaryDeploymentOrderDescription**  
New Element Usage Note: **This element is applicable for specifying more details when using indicators related to U.S. Military service, such as Military Connected Student Indicator, Active Military Status Indicator, Military Veteran Status Indicator and Military Enlistment After Exit elements.**   
New Element Location(s) within the Domain Entity Schema:   
**Adult Education > AE Staff > Military**

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**Early Learning> K12> Parent/Guardian> Military**

**K12 > K12 Staff > Military**

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**Postsecondary > Parent/Guardian > Military**

**Postsecondary > PS Staff > Military**

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***(22)***

New Element Name: **Military Deployment Requested By**  
New Element Definition: **A textual description of an entity that requested the person’s military deployment.**  
New Element Format: **Alphanumeric - 100 characters maximum**  
New Element Technical Name: **MilitaryDeploymentRequestedBy**  
New Element Usage Note: **This element is applicable for specifying more details when using indicators related to U.S. Military service, such as Military Connected Student Indicator, Active Military Status Indicator, Military Veteran Status Indicator and Military Enlistment After Exit elements.**   
New Element Location(s) within the Domain Entity Schema:   
**Adult Education > AE Staff > Military**

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**Early Learning> K12> Parent/Guardian> Military**

**K12 > K12 Staff > Military**

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**Postsecondary > Parent/Guardian > Military**

**Postsecondary > PS Staff > Military**

**Postsecondary > PS Student > Military**

**Workforce > Workforce Program Participant > Military**

***(23)***

New Element Name: **Military Deployment Activity Code**  
New Element Definition: **The codes of any activities performed by the person while deployed in the military.**  
New Element Format: **Alphanumeric - 200 characters maximum**  
New Element Technical Name: **MilitaryDeploymentActivityCode**  
New Element Usage Note: **This element is applicable for specifying more details when using indicators related to U.S. Military service, such as Military Connected Student Indicator, Active Military Status Indicator, Military Veteran Status Indicator and Military Enlistment After Exit elements.**   
New Element Location(s) within the Domain Entity Schema:   
**Adult Education > AE Staff > Military**

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**Early Learning> K12> Parent/Guardian> Military**

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**Postsecondary > Parent/Guardian > Military**

**Postsecondary > PS Staff > Military**

**Postsecondary > PS Student > Military**

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***(24)***

New Element Name: **Military Deployment Activity Name**  
New Element Definition: **The names of any activities performed by the person while deployed in the military.**  
New Element Format: **Alphanumeric - 400 characters maximum**  
New Element Technical Name: **MilitaryDeploymentActivityName**  
New Element Usage Note: **This element is applicable for specifying more details when using indicators related to U.S. Military service, such as Military Connected Student Indicator, Active Military Status Indicator, Military Veteran Status Indicator and Military Enlistment After Exit elements.**   
New Element Location(s) within the Domain Entity Schema:   
**Adult Education > AE Staff > Military**

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**K12 > K12 Staff > Military**

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**Postsecondary > Parent/Guardian > Military**

**Postsecondary > PS Staff > Military**

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***(25)***

New Element Name: **National Guard Indicator**  
New Element Definition: **A person’s current membership status in the United States National Guard.**   
New Element Format: **Option Set**  
New Element Technical Name: **NationalGuardIndicator**  
New Element Usage Note: **This indicator is applicable for specifying more details when using indicators related to U.S. Military service, such as Military Connected Student Indicator, Active Military Status Indicator, Military Veteran Status Indicator and Military Enlistment After Exit elements.**  
New Element Location(s) within the Domain Entity Schema:   
**Adult Education > AE Staff > Military**

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**Postsecondary > PS Student > Military**

**Workforce > Workforce Program Participant > Military**

Option Set Information

|  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- |
| **Option Description** | **Option Definition** | **Option Code** |
| No | No, the person is not a member of the U.S. National Guard | NO |
| Yes | Yes, the person is a member of the U.S. National Guard | YES |
| Unknown | It is unknown whether the person is a member of the U.S. National Guard | UNKNOWN |

## Background Information

#### **Daniel Courtney,** **National Defense University, initially proposed updating the "Military Active Student Indicator" Option Set. Subsequently, the Military-Connected Elements (MCE) Workgroup was convened and met several times to discuss related needs for updating or adding new elements. This proposal reflects these discussions and includes multiple proposed changes or additions of new military-connected elements.**

#### How does this solution solve the Use Case?

**The updates to the existing military-connected elements and creation of new elements offers more nuanced categories that allow for capturing specific details about students, staff, or parents/guardians who are connected to the military. The proposed elements and formats align with the Department of Defense’s** [**Advanced Distributed Learning (ADL) initiative**](https://adlnet.gov/about/)**: Enterprise Learner Record Repository (**[**ELRR**](https://adlnet.gov/projects/elrr/)**) project.**

#### Other Standards or Organizations Analysis including Legislation

#### **Proposed updates to CEDS military-connected elements also align with elements that are being proposed for an Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers (**[**IEEE**](https://www.ieee.org/)**) Standards Association standard.**

#### General Notes

For the new “Military Campaigns” element, we would like the community to weigh in on the usefulness of the element and the completeness of the option set.

For the new “rank” elements, the initial proposal is to keep these elementss in the alphanumeric format. A common option set for these elements (across different branches) could be defined in a future version of CEDS. CEDS support team will request a cross-services list from the Department of Defense.