

VRIS UPDATE

Serving Non-Citizens Effective 3/2/12 Number 333

SUMMARY OF UPDATES

The Citizenship/non-citizen section of the Application and Transfer to the Employment Program chapter has been updated to allow for more Non-immigrant Aliens with disabilities to be served by the VR program. Non-immigrant aliens by definition have permission to temporarily live and temporarily work in the United States. The temporary status can encompass a period of years and can be revoked.

A Non-immigrant Alien with a disability and a current Employment Authorization Document (EAD) that has been verified through the USCIS-SAVE program can be found eligible for the VR program. A critical question to explore with the individual is the extent to which their Non-immigrant Alien status and situation will allow them to be present and available for the duration of their anticipated IPE services and outcome.

VRIS POSTING

VRIS: Program Manual: Information and Referral: [Application and Transfer to the Employment Program](#).

MONITORING REQUIREMENTS

Monitoring will occur through the Systematic Alien Verification for Entitlement (SAVE) checks conducted at the state office.

TEAM COMMUNICATION

Teams are encouraged to review the Citizenship/non-citizen section of this chapter. Staff on the team with the most experience in entering non-citizen information on the Citizenship Screen in the electronic records can assist other team members with the data entry of the required information.

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