



DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE



Defense Civilian Personnel Advisory Service

## How to: Update Disability Status

Handout for DoD  
Disability Summit  
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## News and Information

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DCPDS will allow Non-CAC users to reset their password 7 days prior to passwords officially expiring by simply entering the old password, and creating/confirming new password. Passwords not reset prior to officially expiring at 60 days must be reset using the DCPDS Portal password 'Reset' process located under the Authorized Non-Smart Card (Non-CAC)

## Smart Card Access

[Help](#)

**Returning Smart Card user?** Login and select your non-email certificate when asked to choose a digital certificate.

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**First time Smart Card user** or need to **make name changes?** Register before logging in.

Register

## Authorized Non-Smart Card (Non-CAC) Access

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Portal Username:

Portal Password:

Login

Register

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**Password problems?** You may go here if you have configured your account for automatic password resets.

Reset

## Reporting Problems

For personnel data concerns in "MyBiz", contact your Servicing Human Resources Office.

For technical problems (i.e., Smart Card issues, access problems, etc...) with the application, select the [Contact List](#) for your organization's computer support Help Desk.

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Defense Civilian Personnel Advisory Service (DCPAS) announces step-by-step instructions on how to update your Disability Code that is stored in DCPDS.



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Step 1

Once you have entered, select **Login**.



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Step 2  
Select the **My Biz** responsibility.



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My Biz

### My Biz

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Step 3  
Select **Update My Information**.



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## Privacy Act Statement

The information you provide to the Defense Civilian Personnel Data System (DCPDS) is covered by the Privacy Act of 1974. For questions regarding your personal information please contact your local Human Resources Office.

**Authorities:** 5 USC 301; Title 5, USC Chapters 11, 13, 29, 31, 33, 41, 43, 51, 53, 55, 61, 63, 72, 75, 83, and 99; 5 USC 7201; 10 USC 136; 29 CFR 1614.601; and E.O.9397.

**Principal Purposes:** To allow civilian employees in the Department of Defense (DoD) to update personal information.

**Routine Uses:** None. The DoD 'Blanket Routine Uses' set forth at the beginning of OSD's compilation of systems of records notices apply to this system.

**Disclosure:** Voluntary. However, failure to provide or update your information may require manual HR processing or the absence of some information.

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Step 4

Select the **ACCEPT** button to accept the Privacy Act statement.



## Update My Information

[Cancel](#)

### Employee

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Work Email Address **first.last@Component.mil**

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**TIP:** This section displays your current Disability description. If you do not wish to make any changes, select the 'Cancel' button. This will return you to 'My Biz'. To update your disability description, select the magnifying glass to access the Search window.

**HELP:** Select the 'Help' link on the top right-hand corner for more information about 'Updating Your Disability Record Process'.

Current Disability Status **Hearing impairment/hard of hearing**

Update Disability Status

[Update](#)

Step 5  
Select the **Disability** Tab.



## Update My Information

[Cancel](#)

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Current Disability Status **Hearing impairment/hard of hearing**

Update Disability Status

[Update](#)

## Step 6

Select the **Magnifying Glass** to access the Search Window.

## Search and Select: Update Disability Status

Cancel

Select

### Search

Options for searching: 1)To access a full list of disability descriptions, select the 'Go' button. Or 2)You may narrow the search by entering part of disability description (Example "speech") and selecting the 'Go' button. Or 3)Entering the wild card % before and after a disability description word (Example %paralysis%) and selecting the 'Go' button. Once you have located your disability designation, click on the 'Select' button. The selected disability auto-populates into the 'Update Disability Status' data field. Select 'Update' to add your disability description into your record.

Search By

### Results

Select	Quick Select	Description
	No search conducted.	

Cancel

Select

Step 7 There are three options for searching:

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- 2) You may narrow the search by entering part of disability description (Example "speech") and selecting the 'Go' button.
- 3) Entering the wild card % before and after a disability description word (Example %paralysis%) and selecting the 'Go' button., we selected the 'Go' button to view all of the disabilities.

**Search**

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Search By

**Results**

Select	Quick Select	Description
<input type="radio"/>		History of alcoholism
<input type="radio"/>		Gastrointestinal disorders (e.g., Crohn's Disease, irritable bowel syndrome, colitis, celiac disease, dysphexia, etc.)
<input type="radio"/>		Learning disability - a disorder in one or more of the processes involved in understanding, perceiving, or using language or concepts (spoken or written) (e.g., dyslexia, ADD/ADHD)
<input type="radio"/>		Disfigurement of face, hands, or feet (such as those caused by burns or gunshot wounds) and noticeably gross facial birthmarks
<input type="radio"/>		Dwarfism
<input type="radio"/>		Psychiatric disability
<input type="radio"/>		Severe intellectual disability
<input type="radio"/>		Cancer (present or past history)
<input type="radio"/>		Kidney dysfunction (e.g., required dialysis)
<input type="radio"/>		Pulmonary or respiratory conditions (e.g., tuberculosis, asthma, emphysema, etc.)

Step 8

This screen shows the first 10 of the 33 disability descriptions.

## Search and Select: Update Disability Status

[Cancel](#)[Select](#)

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Search By

### Results

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Select	Quick Select	Description
<input type="radio"/>		Diabetes
<input type="radio"/>		Blood Diseases (e.g., sickle cell anemia, hemophilia)
<input type="radio"/>		Epilepsy
<input type="radio"/>		Cardiovascular/heart disease with or without restriction or limitation on activity; history of heart problems w/complete recovery
<input type="radio"/>		Because of a brain,nerve/muscle impairment,incl palsy&cerebral palsy, complete loss of ability to move/use a part of body,two or more major parts
<input type="radio"/>		Complete paralysis of one hand
<input type="radio"/>		Partial paralysis (because of brain,nerve/muscle impairment, incl palsy&cerebral palsy, partial loss of ability to move/use part of body, two or more major body parts)
<input type="radio"/>		Partial paralysis of one hand, arm, foot, leg, or any part thereof
<input type="radio"/>		Morbid obesity
<input type="radio"/>		HIV positive/AIDS

## Step 9

This screen shows the second set of 10 of the 33 disability descriptions.

**Search**

Options for searching: 1)To access a full list of disability descriptions, select the 'Go' button. Or 2)You may narrow the search by entering part of disability description (Example "speech") and selecting the 'Go' button. Or 3)Entering the wild card % before and after a disability description word (Example %paralysis%) and selecting the 'Go' button. Once you have located your disability designation, click on the 'Select' button. The selected disability auto-populates into the 'Update Disability Status' data field. Select 'Update' to add your disability description into your record.

Search By

**Results**

Select	Quick Select	Description
<input type="radio"/>		Non-paralytic orthopedic impairments, chronic pain, stiffness, weakness in bones or joints, some loss of ability to use part or parts of the body
<input type="radio"/>		Spinal abnormalities (e.g., spina bifida, scoliosis)
<input type="radio"/>		Mobility impairment (e.g., cerebral palsy, MS, MD, congenital hip defects, etc.)
<input type="radio"/>		Missing extremities (missing one arm or leg, or more than one hand, arm, foot, or leg in any combination)
<input type="radio"/>		Missing extremities (one hand or one foot)
<input type="radio"/>		Visual impairments (e.g., tunnel or monocular vision or blind in one eye)
<input type="radio"/>		Blind (inability to read ordinary size print, not correctable by glasses, or no usable vision, beyond light perception)
<input type="radio"/>		Total deafness in both ears (with or without understandable speech)
<input type="radio"/>		Hearing impairment/hard of hearing
<input type="radio"/>		Speech impairments - includes impairments of articulation (unclear language sounds), fluency (stuttering), voice (with normal hearing), dysphasia, or history of laryngectomy

Step 10

This screen shows the third set of 10 of the 33 disability descriptions.

Cancel Select

Search

Options for searching: 1)To access a full list of disability descriptions, select the 'Go' button. Or 2)You may narrow the search by entering part of disability description (Example "speech") and selecting the 'Go' button. Or 3)Entering the wild card % before and after a disability description word (Example %paralysis%) and selecting the 'Go' button. Once you have located your disability designation, click on the 'Select' button. The selected disability auto-populates into the 'Update Disability Status' data field. Select 'Update' to add your disability description into your record.

Search By Description [input] Go

Results

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Table with 3 columns: Select, Quick Select, Description. Row 1: I have a disability, but it is not listed on this form. Row 2: I do not have a disability. Row 3: I do not wish to identify my disability status. (Note: Your personnel officer may use this code if, in his or her judgment, you used an incorrect code.)

Cancel Select

Step 11 This screen shows the last 3 disability descriptions.

## Search

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Search By

## Results

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<input type="radio"/>		Learning disability - a disorder in one or more of the processes involved in understanding, perceiving, or using language or concepts (spoken or written) (e.g., dyslexia, ADD/ADHD)
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<input type="radio"/>		Severe intellectual disability
<input checked="" type="radio"/>		Cancer (present or past history)
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## Step 12

When you have selected the radio button that defines your disability, select **Select**.

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Cancel

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**HELP:** Select the 'Help' link on the top right-hand corner for more information about 'Updating Your Disability Record Process'.

Current Disability Status **Hearing impairment/hard of hearing**

Update Disability Status **Cancer (present or past history)**

**Update**

Cancel

Step 13

The newly-selected Disability Status is in the block **'Update Disability Status'**. To make it permanent, select **Update**.



Information Updated

Update My Information

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Update Disability Status



Step 14  
The status that was in the **Update Disability Status** is now the **Current Disability Status**.

Cancel

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Update Disability Status

Update

Cancel

Step 15  
To return to the home screen, select **Cancel** at either the upper-right or lower-right corner of the screen.



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Step 16

You will be returned to the Home Screen of My Biz.