

**Pell Grant LEU Updates to the COD System, the NSLDS, and the CPS
Attachment to June 2012 Electronic Announcement**

In July 2012, we will implement system enhancements for the Common Origination and Disbursement (COD) System, the National Student Loan Data System (NSLDS), and the Central Processing System (CPS). In the table below, we summarize these enhancements by system.

FSA System	System Enhancements Related to Pell Grant Lifetime Eligibility Used (LEU)
COD System Beginning July 7, 2012...	<p>We will modify COD Warning Edits 177 and 178 to reflect the new Pell Grant LEU limit.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • COD Warning Edit 177 will be sent when a student’s Pell Grant LEU is greater than or equal to 450% and less than or equal to 600%. • COD Warning Edit 178 will be sent when a student’s Pell Grant LEU is greater than 600%. <p>Note: There is no “hard” reject edit in the COD System that will prevent a school from disbursing a Pell Grant disbursement with an LEU of >600%.</p> <p>The <LifetimeEligibilityUsed> tag will now be included in the COD Common Record Response for <i>all</i> students.</p> <p>We will modify the COD Web site in the following ways:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Update the Person Pell Information page to include the Pell Grant LEU for all Pell Grant recipients. A “~” symbol will be placed in front of the field when the Pell Grant LEU percentage is greater than 600%. • Add a new “Pell LEU History” page. The “Pell LEU History” page will provide a student’s Pell Grant disbursement history and will contain the following data: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ School Name ○ Eligibility Used at each school in each award year ○ Total Eligibility Used in each award year ○ Total Amount Disbursed at each school in each award year ○ Scheduled Award amount at each school in each award year ○ Pell Overpayment Amount collected through Debt Management Collection Services (DMCS) (for each award year if applicable) ○ Lifetime Eligibility Used • If desired, a school can export the data into a spreadsheet format by clicking on the “Export Summary to XLS” link at the top of the page. • A school can access the new “Pell LEU History” page in two ways: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Via the new “Pell LEU History Search” page under Applicant Search – This page will allow a school to search for a student’s Pell LEU History by entering the student’s SSN and Date of Birth ○ Via a new hyperlink, “Full Pell LEU History” found on the Person Pell Information page <p>We will send a one-time load to the NSLDS with updated Pell LEU calculations for <i>all</i> Pell Grant recipients.</p> <p>Note: There will be cases where the information included in the one-time data load will not be accepted by the NSLDS. <i>As a reminder, the COD System is the system of record for all Pell Grant LEU data.</i></p>

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	<p>We will continue to send Pell Grant LEU data from the COD System to the NSLDS for <i>all</i> Pell Grant recipients.</p> <p>The weekly 2012-2013 Pell Grant LEU reports will continue. The weekly Pell Grant LEU e-mails to students will end on July 1, 2012. For additional information about the Pell Grant LEU Report, refer to Volume VI, Section 8 of the 2012-2013 COD Technical Reference.</p>
NSLDS Beginning July 7, 2012...	<p>We will process the one-time load of Pell Grant LEU data received from the COD System.</p> <p>Once the one-time load of Pell Grant LEU data is processed, the Pell Grant LEU percentage will display on the NSLDS Web site for Pell Grant recipients in the NSLDS:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • NSLDS Professional Access – viewable on the “Grant” page • NSLDS Student Access – viewable in the Grant section <p>We will continue to send out Pell Grant LEU information on Transfer Student Monitoring/Financial Aid History Processes and Batch File Layouts</p> <p><i>Beginning the week of July 16, 2012</i> – As part of the usual weekly NSLDS postscreening process, we will send Pell Grant LEU data to the CPS. <i>Note:</i> The Pell Grant LEU data received in the one-time data load will be sent to the CPS over a period of three days, July 16-18, 2012.</p>
CPS Beginning July 1, 2012...	<p>We will add Pell Grant LEU information on 2012-2013 Institutional Student Information Records (ISIRs) and Student Aid Reports (SARs) to alert schools and applicants who are close to or have exceeded 600% LEU based on prior Pell Grant disbursement history. To avoid making mid-cycle changes to the ISIR record layout, we will report this information using new comment codes and NSLDS postscreening reason codes.</p> <p><i>Comment Codes</i> – We will add new comment codes 345-348 to the SAR and ISIR, which are set based on new Pell Grant LEU information the CPS will receive from the NSLDS. The new comment codes indicate the student’s total Pell Grant awards to date are either high (345), close to the LEU limit (346), meet or exceed the LEU limit (347), or are no longer close to or exceeding the LEU limit (348). The SAR C Flag is set when comment code 346 or 347 appears on the student’s transaction.</p> <p><i>NSLDS Postscreening Reason Codes</i> – We will add NSLDS postscreening reason codes 20-23 to the ISIR. These new codes provide similar information to the new comment codes, indicating students who are close to or have met/exceeded their Pell Grant LEU, or who are no longer at risk of meeting or exceeding their Pell Grant LEU.</p> <p><i>Beginning the week of July 16, 2012</i> – As part of the usual weekly NSLDS postscreening process, we will send updated ISIRs and SARs with Pell Grant LEU data. <i>Note:</i> The first batch of updated ISIRs and SARs with the Pell Grant LEU data received from the one-time data load will be sent over a period of three days, July 17-19, 2012.</p> <p>For more information about the new postscreening reason codes and comment codes, please refer to the 2012-2013 versions of the ISIR Guide and the SAR Comment Codes and Text Guide posted on the IFAP and FSAdownload Web sites. We will publish additional information to the IFAP Web site this fall regarding 2013-2014 CPS enhancements related to the Pell Grant LEU.</p>