

MILITARY INCOME CONSIDERATIONS

Military Income	Included as Income	Excluded as Income
Basic Allowance for Housing (BAH)		X
Basic Allowance for Quarters (BAQ)	Yes	
Basic Allowance for Subsistence (BAS)	Yes	
Clothing Allowance	Yes*	
Combat Pay		X
Continental United States Cost of Living Adjustment (CONUS COLA)	Yes	
Family Separation Allowance (FSA)	Yes, unless otherwise indicated	Excluded if payment begins at deployment to combat zone
Family Separation Housing (FSH)		X
Family Subsistence Supplemental Allowance (FSSA)		X
Filipino Veterans Equity Compensation Fund		X
Military Survivors Benefit Plan (SBP)	Yes	
Overseas Continental United States Cost of Living Allowance (OCONUS COLA)		X
Overseas Housing Allowance (OHA)		X
Reenlistment Bonus (SRB)	Yes*	
Stop Loss Pay	Yes	
Veteran's Educational Assistance Program or Montgomery GI BILL	Yes	

*Clothing Allowance and Reenlistment bonus are given annually. Subtract from income and add to Crossroads separately as annual income.

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REFERENCES:

1. WIC Policy Memo: Consideration of Military Income
2. WIC Final Policy Memo 2001-5: Treatment of Family Subsistence Supplemental Allowance in WIC Income Eligibility Determinations
3. WIC Policy Memo 2010-02: Implementation of Public Law (P.L.) 111-80 Exclusion of Combat Pay from WIC Income Eligibility Determination
4. Final WIC Policy Memo 2002-4: Special Supplemental Nutrition Program for Women, Infants, and Children (WIC) Income Eligibility Determinations for Households Affected by Privatization of On-Base Military Housing
5. WIC Policy Memo 2010-5: Payments to Certain Filipino World War II Veterans – Exclusion from Income and Resources