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Veterans and service members will receive college credit for training and experience

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CLEVELAND - Military veterans and service members will receive college credit for military training, experience and courses under legislation recently signed by Gov. John Kasich.

The legislation requires Ohio Board of Regents Chancellor John Carey to create uniform standards for awarding credit by Ohio's two- and four-year public colleges and state boards issuing occupational licenses and certification.

The standards, and an appeals process for disputes, must be developed by December 31 and institutions must begin awarding credit on July 1, 2015.

By December 31 each institution must provide priority registration for courses to veterans and service members and designate at least one person to serve as a contact for veterans.

And colleges cannot charge for evaluation, transcription and application of college credit for military experience.

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http://www.cleveland.com/metro/index.ssf/2014/06/veterans_and_service_members_w.html



Ohio governor Kasich signs bill to help veterans, military

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Associated Press

COLUMBUS — Ohio Gov. John Kasich has signed a bill aimed at improving military veterans' and service members' access to higher education and jobs. It's also intended to help prevent military identity fraud and theft.

The legislation signed Monday provides more uniform standards for awarding credit for military experience by Ohio's public colleges and state boards issuing occupational

licenses and certification. Supporters say the changes should help veterans and service members more easily enter the civilian workforce.

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