BUSINESS AND FINANCE POLICY

Number/Title:  211: Aggressive Marketing and Recruiting Policy  
Covered Individuals: All Stakeholders  
Covered Locations: All Locations  
Effective Date: 4/1/2022  

POLICY STATEMENT
Upper Iowa University does not participate in fraudulent, predatory, or aggressive marketing tactics when recruiting military members using TA or veterans and their family members.

DEFINITIONS
Service member- means active duty, guard, and reserve military members  
TA- Tuition Assistance  
Executive Order 13607- established the Principles of Excellence

POLICY IMPLEMENTATION
In accordance with the Department of Defense (DOD) Memorandum of Understanding (MOU), Upper Iowa University (UIU) will:

(1) Ban inducements, including any gratuity, favor, discount, entertainment, hospitality, loan, transportation, lodging, meals, or other item having a monetary value of more than a de minimis amount, to any individual or entity, or its agents including third party lead generators or marketing firms other than salaries paid to employees or fees paid to contractors in conformity with all applicable laws for the purpose of securing enrollments of Service members or obtaining access to TA funds. Educational institution sponsored scholarships or grants and tuition reductions available to military students are permissible

(2) Refrain from providing any commission, bonus, or other incentive payment based directly or indirectly on securing enrollments or federal financial aid (including TA funds) to any persons or entities engaged in any student recruiting, admission activities, or making decisions regarding the award of student financial assistance.

(3) Refrain from high-pressure recruitment tactics such as making multiple unsolicited contacts (3 or more), including contacts by phone, email, or in-person, and engaging in same-day recruitment and registration for the purpose of securing Service member enrollments.

Additionally, per Executive Order 13607, the same aggressive marketing policy to ban predatory recruitment tactics will be implemented to support and protect student veterans, and family members using Federal education benefits.
CONTACTS
Responsible Administrator - Enrollment Management: Vice President for Enrollment Management

Policy Contacts - Director of Military Affairs

RELATED DOCUMENTS, FORMS, AND POLICIES

DoD Voluntary Education Partnership Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) Between DoD Office of the Under Secretary of Defense for Personnel and Readiness (USD(P&R)) and Upper Iowa University 2019

Executive Order 13607: Establishing Principles of Excellence

Related UIU Policy: 204 Compensation for Enrollments Policy

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