

## MQFP® Study Guide 3.2: Separating Servicemembers (not retirement eligible)

### Learning Objectives:

#### 3.2 Separating Servicemembers (not retirement eligible)

a. Describe the types of pay a separating servicemember may be entitled to

**Exercise 1:** Types of Pay for Separating Servicemembers

List and describe the types of pay that a separating service member may be entitled to, including final pay, separation pay, and unused leave payout.

b. Explain the available healthcare benefits available to a separating service member under the Transitional Assistance Management Program (TAMP) and the Continued Healthcare Benefit Program (CHCBP)

**Exercise 2:** Healthcare Benefits for Separating Servicemembers

Explain the healthcare benefits available to separating servicemembers under the Transitional Assistance Management Program (TAMP) and the Continued Healthcare Benefit Program (CHCBP), including eligibility requirements, coverage periods, and enrollment processes.

c. Describe the SkillBridge program

**Exercise 3:** SkillBridge Program Description

Describe the SkillBridge program and its purpose, including the opportunities it provides for separating service members to gain civilian job skills and work experience through internships and apprenticeships.

d. Describe the Veterans Readiness and Employment (VR&E) program

**Exercise 4:** VR&E Program Overview

Provide an overview of the Veterans Readiness and Employment (VR&E) program, including its services and assistance for separating servicemembers with service-connected disabilities to help them achieve meaningful employment and vocational goals.

### Quiz: (True or False)

1. Separating service members are not entitled to any pay after leaving the military.

a) True

b) False

2. The Transitional Assistance Management Program (TAMP) provides continued healthcare coverage to separating servicemembers and their families for 180 days after separation.

a) True

b) False

3. The SkillBridge program offers opportunities for separating servicemembers to gain civilian job skills and work experience through internships and apprenticeships.

a) True

b) False

4. The Veterans Readiness and Employment (VR&E) program provides education benefits to separating servicemembers.

a) True

b) False

**References:**

- Transitional Assistance Management Program (TAMP), TRICARE:

<https://tricare.mil/Plans/HealthPlans/TAMP>

- Continued Health Care Benefit Program (CHCBP), TRICARE:

<https://tricare.mil/Plans/SpecialPrograms/CHCBP>

- SkillBridge Program, Department of Defense: <https://dodskillbridge.usalearning.gov/>

- Vocational Rehabilitation and Employment (VR&E) Program, U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs:

<https://www.va.gov/careers-employment/vocational-rehabilitation/>

\*Answer Key can be found at: <https://mqfp.org/study-guides/>