Priority	Description
Priority 1:	 Veterans with VA-rated service-connected disabilities 50% or more disabling Veterans determined by VA to be unemployable due to service-connected conditions
Priority 2:	Veterans with VA-rated service-connected disabilities 30% or 40% disabling
Priority 3:	 Veterans who are Former Prisoners of War (POWs) Veterans awarded a Purple Heart medal Veterans whose discharge was for a disability that was incurred or aggravated in the line of duty Veterans with VA-rated service-connected disabilities 10% or 20% disabling Veterans awarded special eligibility classification under Title 38, U.S.C., § 1151, "benefits for individuals disabled by treatment or vocational rehabilitation"
Priority 4:	 Veterans who are receiving aid and attendance or housebound benefits from VA Veterans who have been determined by VA to be catastrophically disabled
Priority 5:	 Nonservice-connected veterans and noncompensable service-connected veterans rated 0% disabled by VA with annual income and net worth below the <u>VA National Income Thresholds</u> Veterans receiving VA pension benefits Veterans eligible for Medicaid programs
Priority 6:	 World War I veterans Compensable 0% service-connected veterans Veterans exposed to Ionizing Radiation during atmospheric testing or during the occupation of Hiroshima and Nagasaki Project 112/SHAD participants Veterans who served in a theater of combat operations after November 11, 1998 as follows:

- Currently enrolled Veterans and new enrollees who were discharged from active duty on or after January 28, 2003, are eligible for the enhanced benefits for 5 years post discharge
- Veterans discharged from active duty before January 28, 2003, who apply for enrollment on or after January 28, 2008 are eligible for this enhanced enrollment benefit through January 27, 2011

NOTE: At the end of this enhanced enrollment priority group placement time period Veterans will be assigned to the highest Priority Group their unique eligibility status at that time qualifies for.

Priority 7:

 Veterans with income and/or net worth above the VA national income threshold and income below the <u>VA National Geographic Income</u> <u>Thresholds</u> who agree to pay copays

Priority 8:

Veterans with income and/or net worth above the <u>VA National Income</u>
 <u>Thresholds</u> and the <u>VA National Geographic Income Thresholds</u> who
 agree to pay copays

Veterans eligible for enrollment: Noncompensable 0% service-connected and:

- Subpriority a: Enrolled as of January 16, 2003, and who have remained enrolled since that date and/or placed in this subpriority due to changed eligibility status
- Subpriority b: Enrolled on or after June 15, 2009 whose income exceeds the current <u>VA National Income Thresholds</u> or <u>VA National Geographic Income Thresholds</u> by 10% or less

Veterans eligible for enrollment: Nonservice-connected and:

- Subpriority c: Enrolled as of January 16, 2003, and who have remained enrolled since that date and/or placed in this subpriority due to changed eligibility status
- Subpriority d: Enrolled on or after June 15, 2009 whose income exceeds the current <u>VA National Income Thresholds</u> or <u>VA National Geographic Income Thresholds</u> by 10% or less

Veterans not eligible for enrollment: Veterans not meeting the

criteria above:
 Subpriority e: Noncompensable 0% service-connected Subpriority g: Nonservice-connected