



DEFENSE COUNTERINTELLIGENCE & SECURITY AGENCY

NBIS In Sync

CASES INITIATED
1,098,995
IN NBIS
**as of*
04/12/2024

Mr. Robert Schadey, NBIS Executive Program Manager

The NBIS Program Office is proud to welcome our new Executive Program Manager, Mr. Robert Schadey! Mr. Schadey comes to us from the U.S. Army where he served as the Acting Deputy PEO for Enterprise Information Systems. In that role, he managed a diverse portfolio of 37 acquisition programs supporting and fielding Army and Department of Defense communications, logistics, medical, finance, personnel, training, and procurement systems for every domain, branch, unit, and Soldier in the Army. Mr. Schadey is excited to bring his expertise and fresh perspective to advance the NBIS Program!

Looking Ahead

- In December 2023, DCSA alerted our DoD stakeholders and the Performance Accountability Council (PAC) members that there will be delays in meeting Trusted Workforce 2.0 implementation milestones for NBIS operational capability. We are working closely with our PAC Principals on actions to move NBIS forward. DCSA will continue to work to deliver operational capability in the interim while incorporating feedback from our various stakeholders.
- DCSA continues to work with a small group of NBIS CV early adopters. The recent 4.6 release included significant enrollment and un-enrollment features – getting DCSA a step closer to being able to offer this capability within NBIS!
- FY26 Pricing Guides will be published in the summer through Federal Investigations Notices (FINs).
Posted to dcsa.mil: Home > Personnel Security > Background Investigations For Security & HR Professionals > Notices For Policies, Systems & Processes

Release Highlights From 4.6

- **Mass Initiation Requirement Changes:** Born Abroad, Naturalization Doc Type and Date, and Citizenship are optional fields instead of required.
- **Streamline Mass Initiation Validation Warnings:** Minimizes warnings and errors to ensure only critical errors are flagged for the user.
- **Case Expiration Notifications:** Agencies may now reduce the global case expiration settings via the Case Expiration notification type. Please see [STEPP](#) for instructions on How to Create Organization Notifications.

Training

NBIS TRAINING IS NOW ON THE DCSA WEBSITE!

NBIS Training Scoop newsletters can be found on [DCSA.mil](https://dcsa.mil). These newsletters are sent to all NBIS users, but copies of current or prior editions can also be accessed from the website.

- NBIS Training continues to conduct a review and refresh of materials, ensuring all Job Aids and Knowledge Articles are up-to-date. Many are already available on [STEPP](#), with more to be posted in the coming weeks.
- New Webinar Wednesday – register [here](#) for webinars offered by NBIS Training, to include new topics planned every Wednesday through mid-summer.
- An [Additional Information](#) menu is now available on STEPP. There you'll find FAQs and Useful Tips and the NBIS Comms & Newsletter repository. A summary of 4.6 (and future) release notes can be located under the NBIS Comms & Newsletter tile.

Announcements

- We have changed our e-mail address. Please use dcsa.meade.dcsa.mbx.nbis-pmo@mail.mil to contact FAST or Industry.
- As a reminder, NBIS functionality is currently limited to Initiation, Review, and Authorization (IRA) of Background Investigation and Continuous Vetting Requests only. Please continue utilizing CVS and DISS for Subject Management functions until full functionality is transitioned over to NBIS. There have been several reports of DISS users submitting Visit Requests in NBIS, which is causing confusion and additional work for the recipients. DCSA will send out communications on plans to transition to Subject Management.

NBIS Tip of the Month!



Summarized release notes can be found on [DCSA.mil](https://dcsa.mil) under [NBIS News](#). For more detailed information on IRA release content and training guidance, please visit the [STEPP website](#). Full release notes are available upon request.

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