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MEMORANDUM FOR ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF THE ARMY (M&RA)
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SUBJECT: Policy for Annual Stipend/Grant Increase for Armed Forces Health Professions Scholarship/Financial Assistance Program

Effective July 1, 2007, the monthly stipend for the F. Edward Hèbert Armed Forces Health Professions Scholarship/Financial Assistance Program (AFHPSP/FAP) participants will increase from \$1,319 per month to \$1,349 per month. The annual grant for FAP participants will increase from \$27,841 to \$28,454.

These adjustments are based on the overall percentage increase in the rate of basic pay for members of the Uniformed Services. On January 1, 2007, the basic pay for members of the Uniformed Services increased by an average of 2.2 percent.

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