

This release notes communication is intended specifically for E-Grants program office users to distribute to their Grantee Users.

Note: This communication includes ONLY information on changes related to the external Grantee Login screen.

Features Added / Changed

External E-Grants – Grantee Login Page

The following changes have been made to the external Grantee Login screen:

- User Names will now be able to be entered as upper, lower or mixed case letters and be accepted by the system.
- During the 1st password reset after user account activation, the system will check for password re-use – the new (changed) password will need to be different than the existing (old) password.
- The external system will send users warning emails 30 days and again at 14 days PRIOR to password expiration. Passwords to external EBSS expire every 90 days.
- The external system will send users warning emails 30 days and again at 14 days PRIOR to account deactivation (occurring 180 days after last login)
- On Grantee Login account creation, password reset or forgot password, the ‘Program’ field will be removed for INAP users only
- RCIP Number information will be removed from the system generated emails regarding account creation, password reset and forgot password for INAP users only.
- When new user accounts are created, ensure that the system is storing the full email address of the user when creating accounts, so that duplicate accounts are not created (ex: bobsmith@yahoo.com vs bobsmith@gmail.com)

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