



# Reserve Action Bulletin



## Impact of Partial Government Shutdown on Tricare Reserve Select (TRS) and Service Member's Group Life Insurance (SGLI)

A number of benefits related questions have been posed as a result of the current lapse in appropriations and the subsequent partial government shutdown. A comprehensive list of Frequently Asked Questions (FAQs) can be found at: <https://www.dcms.uscg.mil/budget/FAQ/#12a>.

Reservists should review the following two items and take appropriate action to protect themselves and their families.

### **TRS – No impact on coverage**

Members remain responsible for continuing to pay their TRS premium payment. Failure to pay premiums could result in suspension of coverage. Members ***must ensure*** they have sufficient funds to keep payments current.

Provided premiums are kept current, there will be no change in coverage during the partial government shutdown.

Information on reinstating TRS coverage for non-payment can be found at: [https://www.reserve.uscg.mil/Portals/2/Documents/FTS/2018/TRS\\_Policy\\_Change\\_Jan2018.pdf?ver=2018-01-09-104857-993](https://www.reserve.uscg.mil/Portals/2/Documents/FTS/2018/TRS_Policy_Change_Jan2018.pdf?ver=2018-01-09-104857-993)

### **SGLI – No impact on coverage**

The monthly premium that is typically deducted from your drill pay will be collected once pay has resumed. Your coverage ***will not*** lapse due to the partial government shutdown.

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