Broadcast Message: SEVIS Notice – SEVIS Release 6.78 to Production and Alpha Environments, and SEVIS Release 6.77 Update to Beta Environment

To: All SEVIS Users

Date: June 3, 2024

Re: SEVIS Release 6.78 to Production and Alpha Environments, and SEVIS Release 6.77

Update to Beta Environment

Number: 2406-01

General Information

The Student and Exchange Visitor Program (SEVP) will deploy:

- Student and Exchange Visitor Information System (SEVIS) Release 6.78 to SEVIS Production and the Alpha test environments on Friday, June 7, 2024.
- SEVIS Release 6.77 to the Beta test environment on Friday, June 14, 2024.

These releases do not include any changes to Batch functionality.

SEVIS Release 6.78 will not include any SEVIS user functionality changes. Information about this release is available in the SEVIS Release 6.78 Planning Guide, located on the SEVIS Enhancements page in the SEVIS Help Hub.

During the SEVIS Release 6.78, the SEVIS Production and Alpha environments and SEVIS Batch will NOT be available from Friday, June 7, 2024, at 8 p.m. EDT to Saturday, June 8, 2024, at 12 a.m. EDT.

The SEVIS Beta update to Release 6.77 will occur on Friday, June 14, 2024, from 12 p.m. to 4 p.m. EDT. During this time there will be rolling outages, as SEVP individually updates each of the servers supporting the SEVIS Beta test environment. These are unlikely to affect users. For detailed information on the SEVIS 6.77 Release, see the SEVIS Release 6.77 Planning Guide.

For questions about these releases, please contact the SEVP Response Center (SRC) via phone at 703-603-3400 or 1-800-892-4829 or via email at SEVP@ice.dhs.gov. The SRC is open Monday through Friday, 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. ET, except for federal holidays.

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