

The Election Administration and Voting Survey



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2016 EAVS: What's New

Updated Supplemental Instruction Manual

Types of UOCAVA Voters

UOCAVA serves several populations of U.S. citizens. Below are the UOCAVA voter categories that are listed on the FPCA and how they correspond to the voter-type categories that are in this section of the survey:

Uniformed Services voters—domestic or foreign { I am a member of the Uniformed Services or Merchant Marine on active duty **OR**
 I am an eligible spouse or dependent

Non-military/civilian overseas voter { I am a U.S. citizen residing outside of the United States, and I intend to return
 I am a U.S. citizen residing outside of the United States, and my return is not certain
 I am a U.S. citizen and have never resided in the United States

It is very important to remember that the spouse or dependent of a Uniformed Services member or member of the Merchant Marine is also considered a Uniformed Services voter under UOCAVA. **Military spouses should be categorized as Uniformed Services voters, not as civilian overseas voters or "Other."**

Types of UOCAVA Absentee Ballots

Section B asks about two types of absentee ballots:

Transmitted ballots: These ballots are ballots your office sent to voters, including ballots sent via postal mail, email, fax, or other modes.

Federal Write-in Absentee Ballots (FWAB): These ballots are ballots that originated from the UOCAVA voter who did not receive their requested absentee ballot in time. On the FWAB, the voter lists each office and either the candidate's name or party for whom the voter is casting a vote.



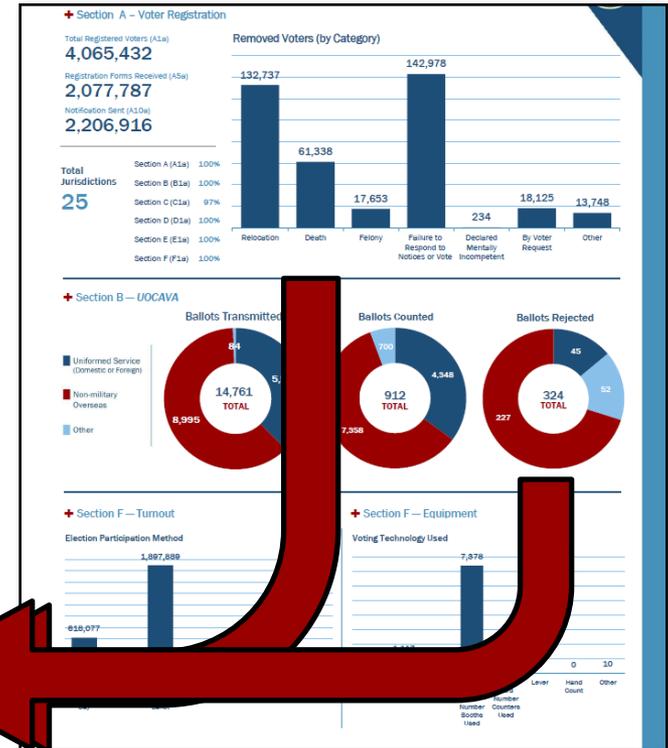
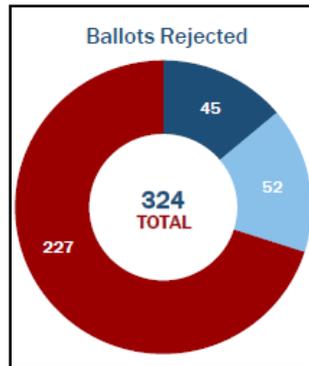
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Updated report
format



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- State one-page summaries
- Data visualization and GIS mapping tool
- Instructional video



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Statutory Overview Format

Alabama	✓	✓	✓
Alaska			✓
American Samoa		✓	
Arizona	•	•	•
Arkansas	✓	✓	
California	✓	✓	
Colorado		✓	
Connecticut			
Delaware	✓	✓	
District of Columbia			
Florida	✓	✓	
Georgia	✓	✓	
Guam			
Hawaii	✓		✓
Idaho	✓		✓
Illinois	✓		✓
Indiana	✓	✓	
Iowa			✓
Kansas	✓	✓	
Kentucky			



2018 EAVS: Overview

- Integrating Supplemental Instruction Manual (SIM) language
- Section B Working Group changes
- Changing order of questions within sections
- Removing legal questions from the EAVS
- Clarify questions
- Statutory Overview changes?



2020 and Beyond: Changes?

- Add/subtract questions?
- Survey mode
- Integrate Statutory Overview into EAVS?



We want to hear from you!

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