

Simplifying the Complexity of Student Loan Relief

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Student Loans and Home Ownership



- Home ownership for individuals under the age of 35 has decreased on average by 15% in the last decade
- Individuals with higher amounts of student loan debt are less likely to be homeowners, even for high-income earners
 - Florida has the 8th lowest home ownership rate and is the 5th highest student loan debt amount per borrower by state
- Student loan debt lowers the chance of homeownership
- Asian, Black and Latino communities have had the biggest declines in home ownership
- 51% of borrowers say student loans hold them back from home ownership

Student Loans are complex but relief is possible with the right expert assistance

Current Challenges Faced by the Borrower



Disparities

 Impact of student loans on homeownership widen the wealth disparities and primarily have a larger affect on Black communities

Financial Strain

- 27 million borrowers are expected to have over a \$500 monthly payment when returning to repayment
- 12 month "grace period" set to end in October 2024
- Other debt payments have increased by \$1000 a month over the last 3 years

Customer Service Delays

Wait times are over 70 minutes on average; high call drop volume

Payment Plan Delays

- Over 1.25 million applications still pending; most delays are lasting over 30 days
- Incorrect Billing Statements
- Refusal to Pay
- Debt Forgiveness Challenges

Comprehensive Analysis is needed for borrowers to stay informed and navigate student loan relief options

About Student Debt Solutions

SDS makes student debt relief easy for your clients and for you

- Easy for your clients to use
 - Available on any device
 - Only 15-20 min for a student loan repayment analysis
- Comprehensive Analysis
 - Default Resolution, Cancellation and Forgiveness Options, Repayment Plans
 - Tools, documents and instructions to apply for a new plan
- Support and expert counseling available as needed
- Decades of Experience
 - Conceived by a team of seasoned consumer advocates with roots in non-profit credit counseling
- Compliant and Current
 - Implementing Student Loan Law, NCLC rules, and monitoring and adapting as specified by Negotiated Rule Making outcomes

SDS has helped over 35K student loan borrowers over the past decade



What We Do Best



- Default Resolution Strategy
- Cancellation Eligibility Finder
- Loan Consolidation Analysis
- PSLF/TLF Monthly Repayment Integration
- Monthly Repayment Projections and Comparisons
- Plan Recommendations Aligned with Goals
- Plan Details, Forms and Application Guidance

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SDS Average Results for Borrowers

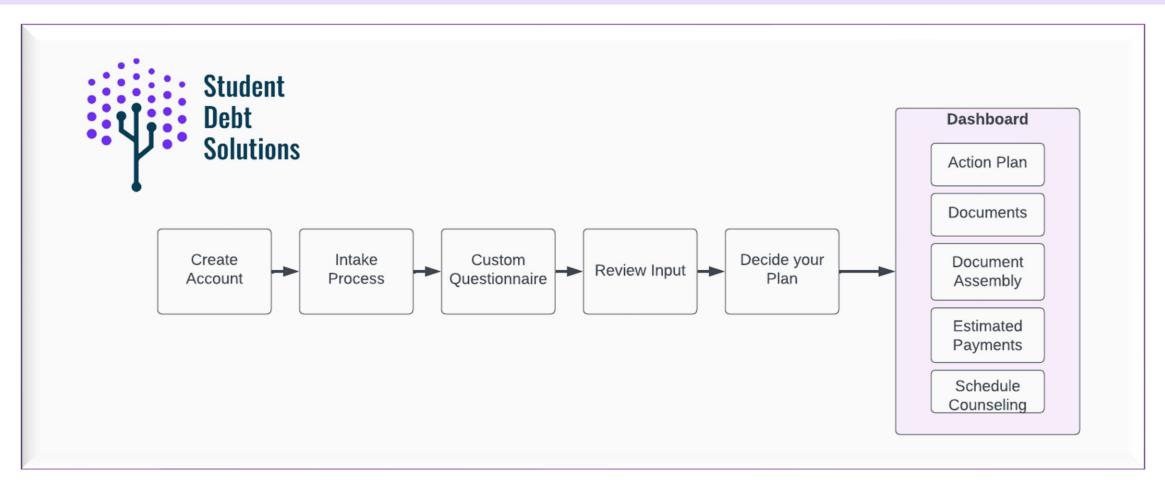
- Average Monthly Savings: \$331
- Average Total Savings: \$42,987
- Forgiveness 1 out 2 borrowers
- Cancellation 1 out 5 borrowers

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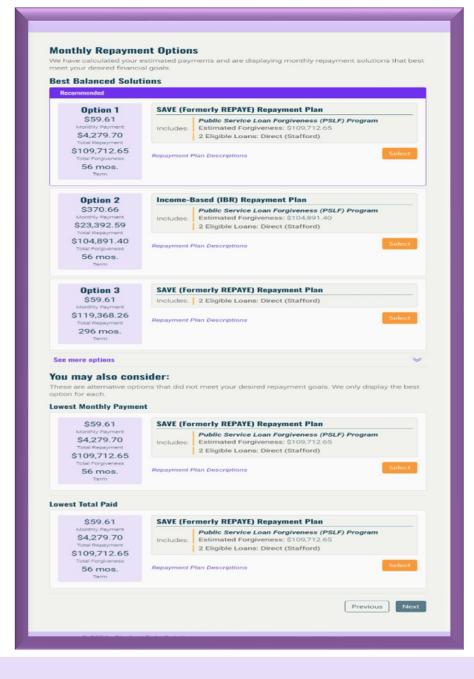
Appendix: Application Images

Simple Workflow





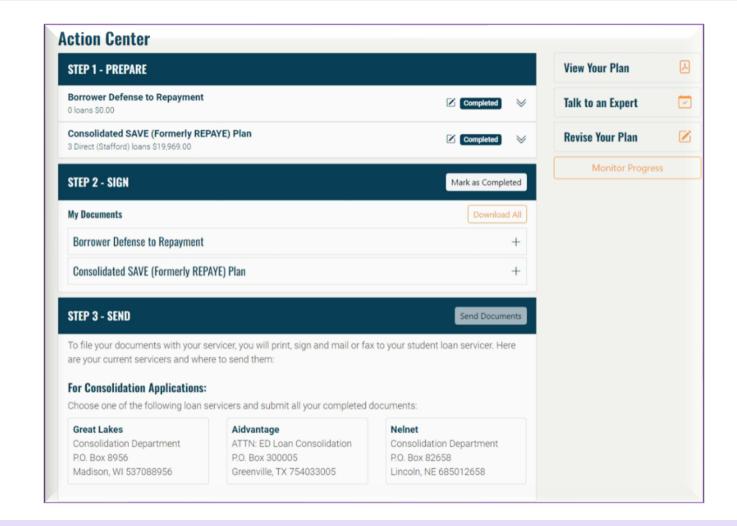
Comprehensive Options along with Recommended Solution





Practical Guidance with Additional Support







Thank You

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SDS Demonstration Video: Student Debt Solutions