## How to Submit a Payment Request in eGMS Reach

## Introduction

This document describes how to submit a payment request in eGMS Reach.

## Submitting a Payment Request

Log into eGMS Reach and select an award from the **Awards** dropdown list in the top menu, or in the **Awards** section of the Home page.

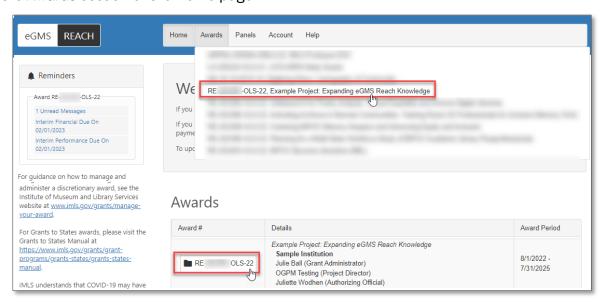


Figure 1: Selecting an award on the eGMS Reach Home page

On the award's page, select the **Payments** tab. This tab shows a payment request summary with the award amount, the total of all approved payment requests, and remaining funds. It also shows details for each previous payment request.

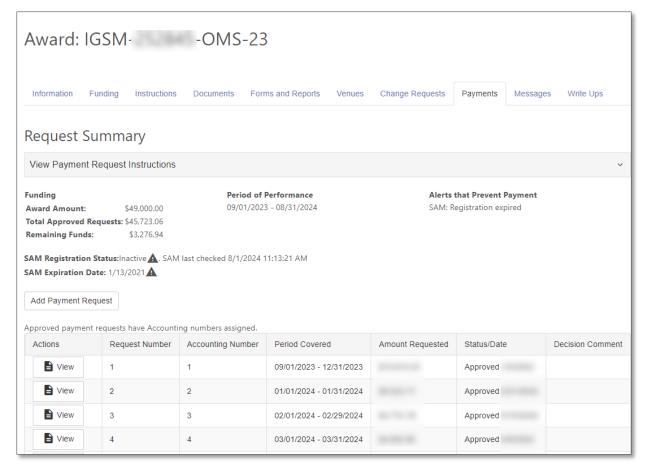


Figure 2: Award Payments tab

Click the Add **Payment Request** button to complete and submit a payment request. Note that eGMS Reach will not allow you to submit a payment request if your institution's SAM registration has expired, or if your institution has outstanding federal debt in SAM.

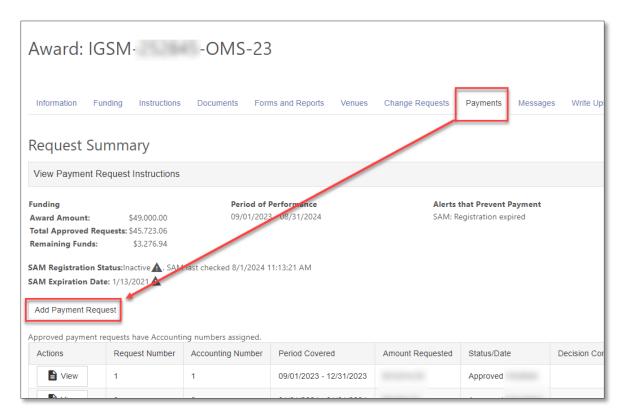


Figure 3 Adding a payment request

The Payment Request Form captures data formerly collected via the Request for Advance or Reimbursement Form (SF-270). Complete all required fields, agree to the Assurances, and then click **Submit Payment Request** to finish.

Click on View Payment Request Instructions at the top of the page for help with the form fields.

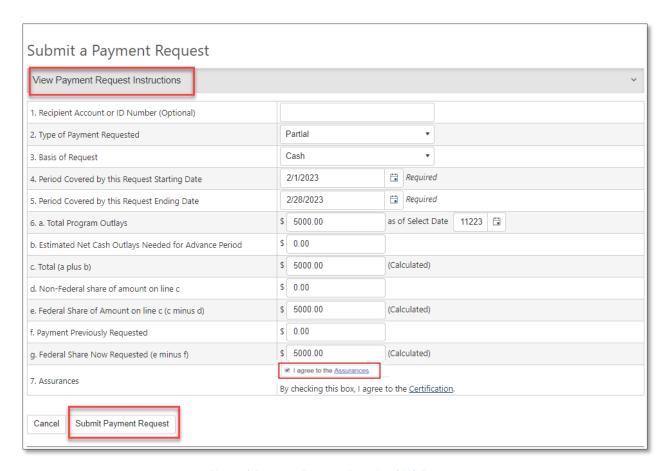


Figure 4 Payment Request Form in eGMS Reach

The **Payments** tab in eGMS Reach now reflects the status of your submitted payment request. While the payment request is in Submitted status, you may update it by clicking on the pencil icon. You may also cancel the payment request if you change your mind.

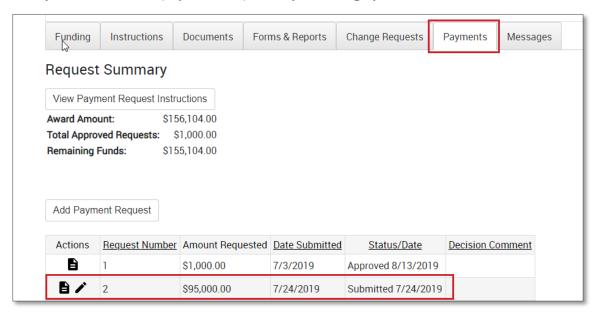


Figure 5 Request Summary in eGMS Reach

## Additional Help

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