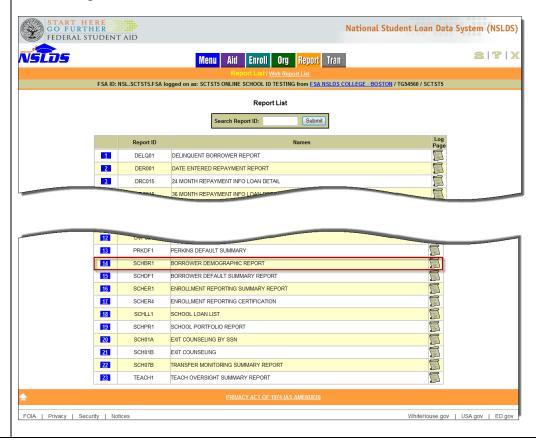# NSLDS Newsletter

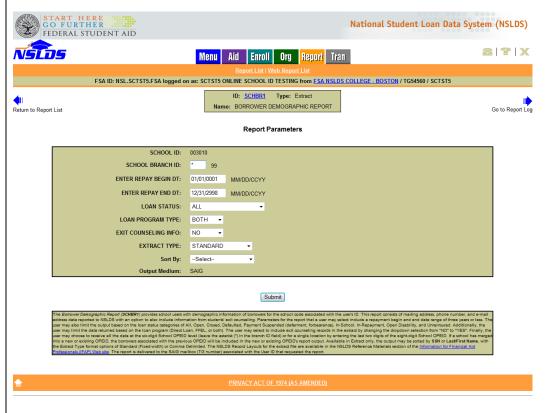|	
Summary	This newsletter describes enhancements to the National Student Loan Data System (NSLDS) and the NSLDS Professional Access Web site. These enhancements include: • New Borrower Demographic Report • New Repayment Plan Type Codes
Borrower Demographic Report	The new **Borrower Demographic Report (SCHBR1)** is available to schools under the Report Tab on the NSLDS Professional Access Web site and is delivered via the Student Aid Internet Gateway (SAIG). This new report provides school users with borrower demographic information including address, phone number, and e-mail address data, as reported to NSLDS by any source. It is available as an extract file in comma delimited or standard fixed-width format. The user may elect to include or exclude demographic data received from students in exit counseling records.

The report can be used in conjunction with the *School Portfolio Report (SCHPR1)* when the requestor selects criteria (parameters) similar to the options on the School Portfolio Report. The parameters include a repayment begin and end date, as well as the option to limit the returned records based on the loan status categories of All, Open, Closed, Defaulted, Payment Suspended (deferment, forbearance), In-School, In-Repayment, Open Disability, and Unreinsured. Additionally, the user may limit the data returned based on the loan program (Direct Loan, FFEL, or both). The *Borrower Demographic Report (SCHBR1)* is not available as a scheduled report.

If a school has merged into a new or existing OPEID, the borrowers associated with the previous OPEID will be included in the requestor's report output. The report will be delivered in message class DEMOFWOP for the standard fixed-width extract format or message class DEMOCDOP for the comma delimited extract format. The file is sent to the SAIG mailbox (TG number) of the user that requested the report.

The NSLDS Record Layout for the Borrower Demographic Report (SCHBR1) extract file is available in the NSLDS Reference Materials section on the Information for Financial Aid Professionals (IFAP) Web site.

New Repayment Plan Type Codes

As of February 17, 2013, NSLDS now accepts new Repayment Plan Type codes reported by the federal loan servicers and displays the new codes on the NSLDS Professional Access Web site. These Repayment Plan Type codes were established to provide a more detailed explanation of the Repayment Plan under which the borrower is repaying the loan. The new codes are defined as follows:

	- C1 – Income Contingent Repayment– Formula Amount - C2 – Income Contingent Repayment – Capped Amount - C3 – Income Contingent Repayment - IB – Income Based Repayment– Financial Hardship - IL – Income Based Repayment– No Financial Hardship - I3 – Income Based Repayment (for future use) - J1 – Alternative Fixed Payment Repayment - J2 – Alternative Fixed Term Repayment - J3 – Alternative Graduated Payment Repayment - J4 – Alternative Negative Amortization Repayment - PA – Pay as You Earn Repayment **Note:** Repayment Plan Type codes are only reported to NSLDS by the Department's federal loan servicers on Direct Loans and FFEL Loans that are owned by the Department. The *Delinquent Borrower Report (DELQ01)* and the *School Portfolio Report (SCHPR1)* have been updated to include these new Repayment Plan Type codes. The updated extract file layouts are available in the NSLDS Reference Materials section on the [Information for Financial Aid Professionals (IFAP) Web site].
Customer Support Reminder	Please remember to keep your [NSLDS Professional Access] Web site ORG contacts current and always list at least a Primary Contact for your organization. These contacts are used by Federal Student Aid, NSLDS, and other users of NSLDS data. If you have had a staff turnover, please check your current ORG Contacts List for accuracy. The NSLDS Customer Support Center at 800/999-8219 is available Monday through Friday from 8:00 A.M. to 9:00 P.M. (ET). You may also contact Customer Support by e-mail at [nslds@ed.gov]. Callers in locations without access to 800 numbers may call 785/838-2141 (this is not a toll free number).