



CONTINUE SERVING... IN THE ARMY RESERVE

WHO CAN ASSIST?

Reserve Component Career Counselors (RCCC) are located at installation transition centers. They are there to assist you with making informed choices and to help you navigate your transition to civilian life by providing counseling that includes:

- Financial Planning Referrals
- Continuing Education Information
- Continuum of Service Benefits

The Private Public Partnership Office (P3O) offers numerous channels of support, including local-to-you support counselors, who provide civilian employment, educational, and benefits assistance. Find your local Transition Employment Liaison (TEL) and Army Career Employment Specialist (ACES) at: www.usar.army.mil/employerpartnership

NEXT STEP?

Contact a Reserve Component Career Counselor (RCCC) to obtain additional information on continuing your service in the Army Reserve.

THERE'S STRONG. THEN THERE'S ARMY STRONG.

goarmyreserve.com/ps

or call the Reserve Component
Career Counselor Help Desk at
502-613-4200 or 800-325-4389



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TWICE THE CITIZEN ARMY RESERVE

AFTER ACTIVE DUTY CONTINUING YOUR SERVICE



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WHY SERVE IN THE ARMY RESERVE?

It provides an opportunity to continue your military career and maintain military benefits beyond the monthly pay. Reserve Soldiers are eligible to purchase TRICARE Reserve Select health insurance coverage for themselves and their family, continue Service Members' Group Life Insurance benefits (SGLI), maintain commissary and Post Exchange (PX) privileges, and continue accruing retirement benefits to maximize the benefits they have already earned.

DO YOU HAVE... YOUR NEXT CAREER MOVE LINED UP AFTER YOU LEAVE THE MILITARY?

The Army Reserve's Private Public Partnership Office (P3O) has access to more than 10,000 partnering companies, which offer employment opportunities ranging from paid internships to entry level through management positions. P3O is manned throughout the country by unique employment counselors; Transition Employment Liaisons (TEs) and Army Career Employment Specialists (ACES).



These highly-skilled individuals provide the following assistance:

- MOS to civilian skill-set conversions.
- Resume development and enhancement.
- Interview tips and practice.
- Direct connection to employers and employment opportunities.
- Educational benefit qualifications, identification, and use.

DO YOU HAVE... A CURRENT AND VALID SECURITY CLEARANCE?

If you continue your service in the Army Reserve and maintain a valid security clearance, you qualify for a broader array of employment opportunities that traditionally pay higher than average.

DO YOU HAVE... ONGOING APPRECIATION FOR MILITARY CAMARADERIE AND THE SPIRIT TO SERVE?

You can continue serving in the Army Reserve while pursuing a civilian career. There are flexible service options such as the Troop Program Unit (TPU), Individual Mobilization Augmentee (IMA), or Individual Ready Reserve (IRR). The Army Reserve offers new members a stabilization period of two years from any deployment requirements. Continuing your service in the Army Reserve gives you the option to return to an Active Duty status without attending basic combat training again.

Check out the DFAS website for current Reserve pay:
<http://www.dfas.mil/militarymembers/payentitlements/militarypaytables.html>

DO YOU HAVE... AN INTEREST IN RECLASSIFYING TO A NEW MOS OR AOC?

Soldiers who serve in the Army Reserve have opportunities to reclassify and learn new skills while serving in a unit close to their home.

DO YOU HAVE... A GUARANTEED INCOME IN ADDITION TO YOUR CIVILIAN CAREER?

Your military experience is valuable. Soldiers who serve in the Army Reserve earn regular income, are afforded training, promotion, and educational opportunities while pursuing their civilian career.

DO YOU HAVE... EDUCATIONAL BENEFITS BEYOND THE POST 9-11 GI BILL?

Soldiers serving in the Army Reserve are eligible for educational benefits such as tuition assistance and Defense Activity for Non-Traditional Education Support (DANTES) training and testing.

DO YOU HAVE... MEDICAL AND DENTAL COVERAGE FOR YOU AND YOUR FAMILY?

By joining the Army Reserve you and your family are eligible for TRICARE Reserve Select. The premium costs are approximately 50% less than the average civilian medical plan. A dental program is also available.

DON'T LOSE YOUR RETIREMENT!

By continuing your service in the Army Reserve and reaching a total of 20 qualifying years of service, you are eligible for retirement. Retired Reserve Soldiers receive an annuity and qualify for full medical benefits for themselves and dependents upon reaching age 60.

To match the same retirement benefit, you would need to save \$542,973 by the time you reach age 60 and earn 5% a year on that account throughout retirement. **

****Calculation assumes 2% inflation and retirement at rank of E8.**

ESTIMATED PAY FOR A RESERVE SOLDIER:

	SSG (E-6) 10 Years	CPT (O-3) 8 Years
UTA (4 Drill Periods):	\$444.20	\$758.28
Annual UTA Pay (48 Drill Periods):	\$5,330.40	\$9,099.36
14-Day Annual Training (AT) Pay:	\$1,554.70	\$2,653.98
BAH for AT:	\$482.92	\$683.06
BAS for AT:	\$151.14	\$104.09
Annual Income:	\$7,519.16	\$12,540.49

RETIREMENT PAY FOR A RESERVE SOLDIER IN THE RANK OF MSG OR LTC BASED ON 78 POINTS PER YEAR WITH 8 YEARS ACTIVE DUTY SERVICE:

	MSG (E-8) 20 Years	LTC (O-5) 20 Years
Reserve Points (78 x 12 years)	936	936
Active Duty Points: (365 x 8 years):	2920	2920
Total Points:	3856	3856
Estimated Annual Retirement Pay:	\$15,732.84	\$27,022.80

*Current as of August 2014