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COVID-19 Updates

COVID-19 vaccinations are now available for all DoD personnel. Due to changes to the current COVID-19 guidance, Immunized Sailors may be exempt from ROM prior to processing.

- Non-Immunized MOBILIZING Sailors will be required to complete a 14 day ROM period before processing.
- Non-Immunized DEMOBILIZING Sailors returning from OCONUS will be required to complete a 10 day ROM period before processing.

In accordance with NAVADMIN 088/21, RC personnel are reminded that they must ensure that they have their COVID vaccination status recorded in MRRS via their NOSC. NOSC personnel will report any change in immunization status for mobilizing members up their chain of command to CNRFC N35 with members name, DoD ID, NE#, and statement confirming member is immunized.

For RC Sailors - CNRFC, USFF and ECRC will coordinate ORDMOD requests in accordance with timelines per DoDI 1235.12 (RLD adjustment of less than 30 days made \geq 45 days prior to RLD) and within ECRC processing capacity limitations. The goal is to ORDMOD all immunized members to remove ROM period and realign traditional RLD Fridays and ECRC check-in Mondays. If an immunized member has ROM built into their orders they may have an ORDMOD issued for RLD shift. Members should discuss options with their NOSC; the NOSC/RCC will have most up-to-date information.

For AC Sailors - Contact your chain of command for further coordination with USFF.

As always, Sailors should consult their orders for reporting instructions and contact the ECRC CDO with any questions or concerns at (757) 763-8640.

Warrior Transition Program – TLD Reopening

Warrior Transition Program (WTP) - Third Location Decompression located in Sembach, Germany has begun a phased approach to reopening its doors and is now accepting Sailors that are fully immunized in accordance with standard Navy definitions. Regardless of vaccination status, Sailors redeploying from the U.S. Central Command and U.S. Africa Command area of responsibilities (AOR) should contact the WTP and Expeditionary Combat Readiness Center (ECRC) HQ operations departments for class quota confirmation prior to booking redeployment travel. Coordination is required to ensure proper logistics coordination, attendance quotas and proper CONUS force health protection reception procedures.

- WTP Operations: USN.SEMBACH.WTP.LIST.OPERATIONS@MAIL.MIL
- ECRC HQ Operations: USFF_ECRC_NRFK_N39_TRANSPORTATION@NAVY.MIL

ZipServe

ZipServe is a Navy Reserve application that enables RC Sailors to take an active role in selecting mobilization opportunities, launched in early 2020, which replaced the *AdPortal* and the *Mobilization Volunteer Portal*, and is designed to provide a private sector like applicant experience. This new application has enhanced capabilities for SELRES searching for Reserve order opportunities, including mobilization, ADT, AT, ADSW, and Recall opportunities. *ZipServe* enables Reservists to apply for multiple opportunities with one application, view enhanced mobilization opportunity details, provide real-time feedback to the volunteer with any identified application issues, and monitor the status of mobilization applications.



ZipServe also provides modern applicant tracking features for Operational Support Officers (OSOs) and mobilization Billet Sourcing Officers (BSOs) as they work to advertise and fill opportunities. These opportunity management tools will enable more efficient sourcing processes and provide a direct feedback tool for the applicants.

Sailors can also receive alerts via government or civilian email for newly advertised opportunities by registering for *ForceConnect*, an email delivery application providing Navy Reserve leadership, regional coordinators and topic owners the ability to reach thousands of Sailors with a click of a button. Any Reserve Force Sailor or civilian employee who has logged into *myNRH* or any of its applications have been automatically registered to receive “all-hands” emails of the highest priority from senior Reserve leadership. For new users, registering for *ForceConnect* emails through *myNRH* requires a common access card (CAC). Once an account is activated, Sailors have the ability to select from a list of topics, including mobilization opportunities, to remain up-to-date on all realms of the Navy Reserve!

- *ZipServe*: <https://locker.private.navyreserve.navy.mil/zipserve/#home>
- *ForceConnect*: <https://locker.private.navyreserve.navy.mil/forceconnect/>

Post-Deployment: Returning Warrior Workshop (RWW)

Service members who have returned from a mobilization are invited to attend a weekend Returning Warrior Workshop (RWW) with one adult guest, who supported them throughout their deployment. Guests are usually spouses, parents, grandparents, siblings or significant others. However, that does not limit the service member from selecting a person of their choice from attending an RWW. Regrettably, children are not allowed to attend. The workshop provides members with the opportunity to reconnect with their loved one, share their mobilization experience with others who also returned from mobilization, and learn about many valuable resources available to assist them with reintegration. Workshops are normally held at a Four-Star hotel away from military bases and every day distractions; attendees wear civilian business attire rather than uniforms. All lodging, meals, and conference fees are covered at the RWW and include: dinner Friday night, three meals on Saturday, and breakfast and lunch on Sunday. Members are eligible to attend if they mobilized as a SELRES or are Active Duty/FTS who mobilized as an IA, and if they have not already participated in an RWW since returning from their most recent mobilization. Joint Federal Travel Regulation authorizes members to travel up to 400 miles by personal vehicle per day. Members and guests who reside over 400 mile radius will be provided airfare via a major airline on a case-by-case basis.

Please visit www.yellowribbon.mil/ for more information on Returning Warrior Workshops. If you wish to attend a workshop post-deployment, please contact your NRA or parent command for additional information.

Distributed Mobilization and COVID-19 Support

As delineated in NAVADMIN 099/20, Reserve Component (RC) Sailors mobilizing and demobilizing in support of CONUS based COVID-19 related “NV” missions have been pre-screened, activated and processed by their Navy Reserve Activity (NRA) before proceeding directly to their supported command with minimal intermediate stops. The NRA that performs COVID-19 mobilization processing for Sailors mobilized in support of COVID-19 “NV” missions will maintain responsibility for the Sailors it processes throughout the full mobilization cycle, to include demobilization.

In conjunction with NRA mobilization processing for COVID-19 related CONUS missions, Navy Expeditionary Combat Command (NECC) has been supporting several distributed mobilization events. Sailors selected for distributed mobilization events will receive orders or an orders modification that designates an alternate Navy Mobilization Processing Site (NMPS).

Expeditionary Combat Readiness Center (ECRC) remains the primary NMPS site. All Sailors who are not mobilizing at an alternate mobilization processing site will still proceed through ECRC NMPS. Regardless of RC mobilization pathway or the mission being supported, it is imperative that mobilizing Sailors arrive to their NMPS on their ready load date (RLD) with the Mobilization Deployment Screening Checklist (NAVPERS 1300/22) complete in its entirety; for all mobilizations and IAs.

Sailors should regularly check <https://www.bol.navy.mil> for orders and orders modifications prior to RLD. Questions regarding mobilization processing and requirements should be directed to your Command IA Coordinator at your parent NRA.

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