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MWR RESOURCE GUIDE

*Essential resources to promote and enhance MWR
for U.S. Public Health Service (USPHS) Officers
and their families*



About this Guide

- ❑ JOAG's Morale, Welfare, and Recreation (MWR) Subcommittee, a committee under the Inter Services Collaboration Committee (ISCC), has created the first MWR Resource Guide as an important and useful tool toward making MWR resources, activities, and information more widely available to those who are looking for guidance to planning and accessing related events and activities.
- ❑ The MWR Resource Guide outlines the most common MWR resources for USPHS Officers and their families while also providing quick links and tools that will connect the user with activities and locations of interest.
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- ❑ The information provided in this guide is expected to achieve the following:
 - ❑ ***Our Goals –***
 - **Accentuate and preserve our four core values; leadership, service, integrity, and excellence.**
 - **Investigate and find no-cost or low-cost services, programs, and recreation locations that increase Officers morale.**
 - **Ensure real-time access to quality of life information and resources.**
 - **Endorse, manifest, encourage, support, restore, and expand both leisure activities that promote both individual growth and group development, while fostering recruitment and retention for those serving our nation.**

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Travel/Tickets/Tours



Outdoor Recreation



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Military One Source



This resource offers programs that promote active living through participation in recreation, fitness, sports, cultural arts, and other leisure pursuits.

Active living builds positive self-esteem and esprit de corps – essential qualities for personal and professional success. Active living also leads to improved personal health and well-being and helps build strong military families.

<https://www.militaryonesource.mil>

Phone Contact: 1-800-342-9647

Armed Forces Vacation Club



The *Armed Forces Vacation Club*® (AFVC) is a "space available" program that offers military and other government personnel the opportunity to enjoy vacations at popular destinations around the world. Your family and friends have access to spacious accommodations at more than 3,500 resorts, apartments, condominiums and homes in more than 80 countries. Stay with your loved ones at a beachfront resort in Mexico, a well-appointed cabin in the Canadian Rockies, or a centuries old home in the English countryside. Take your leave at a fun filled resort near Orlando's theme parks, Greece's ancient ruins or Tuscany's rolling hills.

<http://www.afvclub.com/>

Reservations: 1-877-867-3639



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Junior Officer Advisory Group

Become an active participant in JOAG, attend meetings and committees, and get access to the most up to date information about upcoming MWR activities and events.

<http://www.usphs.gov/corpslinks/joag/>

Click [here](#) to subscribe to the JOAG Listserv

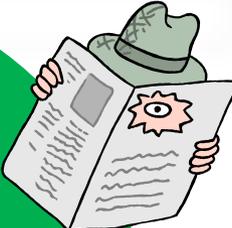
Commissioned Officers

Association - Local Branches

The [Commissioned Officers Association](#) (COA) local branches have a variety of local resources and information relevant to MWR events and activities.

Click [here](#) to locate your local COA branch and find out more.



News Spot: 

Check out the JOAG [MWR](#) Subcommittee publications section for articles that highlight MWR Resources.

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Marine Corps Community Services

The Marine Corps Community Services web portal offers a wealth of information and resources for military, family, and retiree resources to recreation, sports and leisure, and fitness activities, shopping and more.
<http://www.usmc-mccs.org/>

U.S. Coast Guard

The mission of the Coast Guard Morale, Well-Being, and Recreation (MWR) Program is to uplift the spirits of the Coast Guard Family and be an essential element of Coast Guard readiness and retention through customer-owned and driven MWR programs and services. The link provides information about health and wellness activities, recreation, lodging, travel and golf packages.
<http://www.uscg.mil/mwr/>

Click [here](#) for unit specific MWR sites and listings.

U.S. Navy

The Navy MWR Division administers a varied program of recreation, social and community support activities on U.S. Navy facilities worldwide. These programs provide active duty, reserve, and retired Navy personnel and their families with sports and physical fitness activities, child development and youth programs, and a variety of food and beverage services. Their mission is to provide quality support and recreational services that contribute to the retention, readiness, mental, physical, and emotional well-being of our Sailors.
<http://navymwr.org/>

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U.S. Army



Family and MWR, through the Army Family Covenant, seeks to bridge the gap between the garrison and the local community, and contribute to the Army's strength and readiness by offering services that reduce stress, build skills and self confidence for Soldiers and their families. <http://www.armymwr.com/>

Click [here](#) to find an installation near you.



U.S. Air Force Services Agency (AFSVA)



The AFSVA offers a wealth of information and resources for military, family, and retiree to include lodging, Air Force clubs, golf courses, sports, tops in blue, and more.

<http://www.afsv.af.mil/>

Click [here](#) to access AFSA resources near you.

Try the "Mobile MWR" Smart Phone App!



You can earn travel rewards, use your [AAFES](#) Military Star Card, and receive military travel discounts through Government Vacation Awards? Click [here](#) to learn more or call 1.866.691.5109

Local DoD Resources



Many uniformed service installations offer extensive Morale, Welfare, and Recreation (MWR) / Travel Information, Tickets, and Tours (ITT) offices, resources, programs, and web-links. Search MWR programs in your local jurisdiction to get the most up-to-date information and resources available to you.

This resource list, although not exhaustive, is provided as a useful tool to access local MWR resources.

[Elmendorf AFB \(Anchorage, AK\)](#)

[Travis AFB \(CA\)](#)

[Peterson AFB \(CO\)](#)

[Fort Campbell \(KY\)](#)

[Andrews AFB \(MD\)](#)

[Fort Meade \(MD\)](#)

[Walter Reed / National Navy \(MD\)](#)

[Kirtland AFB \(NM\)](#)

[Fort Hamilton \(NY\)](#)

[Fort Belvoir \(VA\)](#)

[Fort Lee \(VA\)](#)

[Navy Life PNW \(WA\)](#)



Resource Key



Lodging/Camps/Resorts



Travel/Tickets/Tours



Outdoor Recreation



Shopping/Discounts

DoD Lodging 

Click [here](#) for quick access to an interactive map of Air Force and Navy lodging facilities throughout the U.S. and the world. Search by geographic region and state or the pick list to search by base/installation.

Other Lodging Links:

[DoD Lodging](#)[Armed Forces Recreation Center](#)[Navy Cabins, Campgrounds, & RV Parks](#)[Army RV Parks and Campgrounds](#)[Army Lodging](#)[Marine Corps Recreational Lodging](#)[Marine Corps Inns of the Corps](#)[Coast Guard Lodging](#)

Military Golf Courses

This site is a comprehensive listing of military installation golf courses; sort by service, state, and country.

<http://www.militarygolfcourseguide.com>

Space-A-Travel 

This site offers first-come-first serve flights for military members and dependents. Members on orders have priority. [AMC Flights](#)

Click [here](#) to go straight to the interactive map to check availability and plan your Space-A trip.

Useful Links/List-Serves

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