

Fellow SWO(N) Warriors –

As our Navy's response to COVID-19 continues to evolve, our goal is to keep you informed of changes. In that vein, we've included the latest COVID-19 policy updates and additional resources for you and your family including FAQs regarding entitlements and the economic stimulus package. As always, don't hesitate to reach out if you have specific questions about your timeline or your circumstances.

COVID-19 related policy updates:

NAVADMIN 080/20 – Navy Mitigation Measures in Response to COVID-19 Update 3

(<https://www.public.navy.mil/bupers-npc/reference/messages/Documents/NAVADMINS/NAV2020/NAV20080.txt>)

NAVADMIN 082/20 – Navy Transition Assistance Program Policy Update for COVID-19

(<https://www.public.navy.mil/bupers-npc/reference/messages/Documents/NAVADMINS/NAV2020/NAV20082.txt>)

NAVADMIN 083/20 – Restriction of Movement (ROM) Guidance (<https://www.public.navy.mil/bupers-npc/reference/messages/Documents/NAVADMINS/NAV2020/NAV20083.txt>)

NAVADMIN 088/20 – Reporting Requirements for Authorized and Ordered Departures

(<https://www.public.navy.mil/bupers-npc/reference/messages/Documents/NAVADMINS/NAV2020/NAV20088.txt>)

NAVADMIN 089/20 – Voluntary Extensions for Active Component Navy Members with Approved

Separation or Retirement Orders (<https://www.public.navy.mil/bupers-npc/reference/messages/Documents/NAVADMINS/NAV2020/NAV20089.txt>)

NAVADMIN 092/20 – Urinalysis Policy Update (<https://www.public.navy.mil/bupers-npc/reference/messages/Documents/NAVADMINS/NAV2020/NAV20092.txt>)

NAVADMIN 093/20 - Commercial Virtual Remote (CVR) Collaborative Environment

(<https://www.public.navy.mil/bupers-npc/reference/messages/Documents/NAVADMINS/NAV2020/NAV20093.txt>)

ALNAV 035/20 – Special Duty Medical Examination Update to Policy in Response to COVID-19

(<https://www.public.navy.mil/bupers-npc/reference/messages/Documents/ALNAVS/ALN2020/ALN20035.txt>)

USTRANSCOM Personal Policy Advisory #20-0058C Update

Summary of COVID-19 related policy updates:

Navy Mitigation Measures in Response to COVID-19 Outbreak Update 3 (NAVADMIN 080/20, attached). Consolidates the previous COVID-19 mitigation measures discussed in NAVADMINS 064-20, 065-20 and 074-20 and provides amplifying guidance.

Navy Transition Assistance Program Policy Update for COVID-19 (NAVADMIN 082/20). Suspends all in-person TAP classes and shifts emphasis to the online virtual curriculum via JKO. Initial self-assessment counseling, pre-separation counseling, and capstone sessions still required via in-person session (with proper social distancing) or via telephone.

Restriction of Movement (ROM) Guidance (NAVADMIN 083/20, attached). Provides definitions, responsibilities and guidance pertaining to ROM. The message also includes answers to several frequently asked questions regarding ROM.

Reporting Requirements for Authorized and Ordered Departures (NAVADMIN 088/20). Directs reporting requirements for authorized or ordered departures due to COVID-19.

Voluntary Extensions for Active Component Navy Members with Approved Separation or Retirement Orders (NAVADMIN 089/20, attached). The Navy is accepting applications from officers and enlisted personnel who desire to delay their separation or retirement. Members with an approved separation / retirement date before 1 April 2021 are eligible to submit a request to their detailee to have their separation / retirement delayed between 6-12 months (duration specified by the service member). All service members interested in extending are invited to apply, but priority for approval will be given to those service members filling sea duty and critical billets. Requests must be received by 1 July 2020.

Urinalysis Policy Update (NAVADMIN 092/20). Announces a temporary amendment to the Navy urinalysis program. Commands will continue random urinalysis to the greatest extent possible at the discretion of the command. Additional guidelines are detailed in the message.

Commercial Virtual Remote (CVR) Collaborative Environment (NAVADMIN 093/20). DoD established a limited, DOD-only, instance of Microsoft Teams and OneDrive for Business integrated with Microsoft 365. Teams are able to create shared workspaces for audio, video, and chat. CVR will also enable limited file sharing and stored data.

Special Duty Medical Examination Update to Policy in Response to COVID-19 (ALNAV 035/20). Authorizes a four-month extension to all special duty medical examinations (including Nuclear Field Duty / Radiation examinations) with due dates from March 2020 to June 2020.

USTRANSCOM Personal Policy Advisory #20-0058C Update. TRANSCOM provided updated guidance on 27 March which should resolve issues experienced with household goods (HHG) moves. Specifically it states Navy procedures will follow NAVADMIN 080/20 and HHG processes will continue under normal operations. Specifically,

1. Any HHG request submitted will be processed as normal
2. Any HHG request currently in the queue should be booked in accordance with the service member's requested timeline
3. Any HHG request that has been awarded does not need to be reassessed and will continue on the planned timeline

For POV shipments, customers should contact the Vehicle Processing Center (VPC) to confirm hours / operating status prior to dropping off their vehicle. Customers will provide a copy of their signed approval at the VPC at vehicle turn in.

Additional Resources

IRS Economic Stimulus FAQ – Attached is information published by the IRS on what you need to know about the economic stimulus. Check [irs.gov](https://www.irs.gov) for the latest information.

DoD Military Personnel Pay and Benefits Policy Q&A – The Q&A, published as part of the DoD Public Affairs Guidance on 27 March, provides answers to many pay and entitlement questions.

MyNavy Famil App - The MyNavy Family app is the first tool developed by the U.S. Navy for Navy spouses and Sailors' families that combines authoritative information from more than two dozen websites into a single, convenient application.

Our continued best wishes for the health of you and your families.

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