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Title
FY15 WARRANT OFFICER APPLICATIONS FOR HEALTH SERVICES MAINTENANCE TECHNICIAN (670A)

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A. AR 135-100, APPOINTMENT OF COMMISSIONED AND WARRANT OFFICERS OF THE ARMY, 1 SEPTEMBER 1994.

B. AR 135-101, APPOINTMENT OF RESERVE COMMISSIONED OFFICERS FOR ASSIGNMENT TO ARMY MEDICAL DEPARTMENT BRANCHES, 15 FEBRUARY 1984.

C. AR 40-501, STANDARDS OF MEDICAL FITNESS, 14 DECEMBER 2007 (RAR 003, 4 AUGUST 2011).

D. AR 600-9, THE ARMY BODY COMPOSITION PROGRAM, 28 JUNE 2013.

E. AR 600-8-2, SUSPENSION OF FAVORABLE PERSONNEL ACTIONS (FLAGS), 23 OCTOBER 2013.

1. PURPOSE: THIS MESSAGE SOLICITS APPLICATIONS FOR THE FY15 MEDICAL SERVICE CORPS HEALTH SERVICES MAINTENANCE TECHNICIAN WARRANT OFFICER TRAINING PROGRAM. PLEASE PASS TO ALL MOS 68A (ARMY), 4A2XX (AIR FORCE), AND HM 8478 (NAVY) DOD BIOMEDICAL EQUIPMENT REPAIR TECHNICIANS. COMMAND SUPPORT IN DISSEMINATING THIS MESSAGE TO ASSURE TIMELY SUBMISSION OF APPLICATIONS IS APPRECIATED. APPLICATIONS THAT ARE INCOMPLETE, SUBMITTED BY INELIGIBLE PERSONNEL OR RECEIVED AFTER 29 JULY 2014 WILL BE RETURNED TO THE ORIGINATOR WITHOUT ACTION.

2. SELECTION PROCESS: HQ, UNITED STATES ARMY RECRUITING COMMAND (USAREC) WILL CONVENE A COMPETITIVE SELECTION BOARD O/A 12 AUGUST 2014. ALL APPLICATIONS WILL BE CONSIDERED BASED ON INDIVIDUAL MERIT AND SUPPORTING DOCUMENTATION AS SPECIFIED IN PARAGRAPHS 5 THROUGH 7 BELOW. APPLICANTS IN OCONUS ASSIGNMENTS SELECTED FOR THIS PROGRAM WILL HAVE THEIR FOREIGN SERVICE TOUR CURTAILED TO MEET TRAINING REPORTING DATES. INDIVIDUALS WILL RECEIVE OFFICIAL NOTIFICATION OF SELECTION/NONSELECTION DIRECTLY FROM THE MEDICAL SERVICE CORPS HEALTH SERVICES MAINTENANCE CONSULTANT/CHIEF WARRANT OFFICER OF THE BRANCH.

3. PROGRAM OVERVIEW: APPLICANTS SELECTED FOR THE PROGRAM WILL ATTEND THE WARRANT OFFICER CANDIDATE SCHOOL (WOCS) AT FT RUCKER, ALABAMA PRIOR TO ATTENDING THE HEALTH SERVICES WARRANT OFFICER BASIC COURSE (WOBC) AND MEDICAL LOGISTICS MANAGEMENT COURSE AT FT SAM HOUSTON, TEXAS. ACTIVE COMPONENT (AC) CANDIDATES WILL BE APPOINTED AS A WARRANT OFFICER ONE (WO1) IN THE USAR WITH CONCURRENT CALL TO ACTIVE DUTY AND WILL INCUR A SIX YEAR ACTIVE DUTY OBLIGATION UPON GRADUATION OF HEALTH SERVICES WARRANT OFFICER WOBC. MOS 670A WILL BE AWARDED UPON COMPLETION OF WOBC AT FT SAM HOUSTON, TX.

4. COURSE INFO: CLASS DATES FOR FY 2015

AIR FORCE/NAVY ACCESSIONS

REPORT START END COURSE LOCATION

23 NOV 2014 24 NOV 2014 11 DEC 2014 WO CANDIDATE SCHOOL FT RUCKER, AL
COURSE # 0911-09W PHASE I, CLASS # 2015-005

REPORT START END COURSE LOCATION

03 FEB 2015 04 FEB 2015 11 MAR 2015 WO CANDIDATE SCHOOL FT RUCKER, AL
COURSE # 0911-09W, CLASS # 2015-008

REPORT START END COURSE LOCATION

22 MAR 2015 23 MAR 2015 01 MAY 2015 AMEDD C&S, FT SAM HOUSTON, TX
COURSE # 4B-670A, CLASS# 2015-001

REPORT START END COURSE LOCATION

03 MAY 2015 04 MAY 2015 26 JUN 2015 AMEDD C&S, FT SAM HOUSTON, TX
COURSE 3 8B-70K67, CLASS # 2015-152

5. BASIC PREREQUISITES:

A. MUST MEET GENERAL ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS OF AR 135-100.

B. ALL ARMY APPLICANTS MUST BE A SERGEANT IN A PROMOTABLE STATUS/E-5(P) OR ABOVE. ALL AIR FORCE AND NAVY APPLICANTS, E-5(P) MEANS INDIVIDUAL MUST BE OFFICIALLY LISTED ON THE E-6 PROMOTION LIST. HAVE COMPLETED THE ADVANCED LEADER COURSE OR BASIC NONCOMMISSIONED OFFICERS COURSE (ALC/BNCOC OR EQUIVILANT) FOR 68CMF. APPLICANTS CURRENTLY ENROLLED IN ALC MUST GRADUATE NLT 18 JULY 2014.

C. ACTIVE/GUARD/RESERVE ARMY, AIR FORCE, AND NAVY ENLISTED PERSONNEL, MUST CURRENTLY HOLD OR HAVE HELD THE PMOS 68A (MEDICAL EQUIPMENT REPAIRER) OR SERVICE EQUIVILANT PMOS, AND HAVE A MINIMUM OF 48 MONTHS EXPERIENCE IN THE BIOMEDICAL EQUIPMENT REPAIR FIELD, WITH A MINIMUM OF 12 MONTHS SERVING IN A BIOMEDICAL EQUIPMENT REPAIR SUPERVISORY CAPACITY. ALL APPLICANTS, REGARDLESS OF SERVICE MUST HAVE DOCUMENTED EXPERIENCE INDICATING PERFORMANCE AND/OR SUPERVISION IN BIOMEDICAL REPAIR FIELD. ALL PERSONNEL WHO HAVE MILITARY OR CIVILIAN EXPERIENCE AND EDUCATION WHICH SUPPORTS THEIR QUALIFICATIONS TO BE A HEALTH SERVICES MAINTENANCE TECHNICIAN MAY REQUEST A WAIVER FROM THE MEDICAL SERVICE CORPS HEALTH SERVICES MAINTENANCE CONSULTANT/CHIEF WARRANT OFFICER OF THE BRANCH.

D. GUARD/RESERVE COMPONENT ENLISTED PERSONNEL MUST PROVIDE DOCUMENTATION OF 48 CONSECUTIVE MONTHS OF CIVILIAN WORK EXPERIENCE OR 24 MONTHS, IN A DEPLOYED ENVIRONMENT, WORKING IN THE BIOMEDICAL EQUIPMENT REPAIR FIELD. CIVILIAN WORK EXPERIENCE WILL BE DOCUMENTED IN THE APPLICANTS RESUME AND VERIFIED BY THE SENIOR WARRANT OFFICER, CW3 OR ABOVE, IN THE SENIOR WARRANT OFFICERS RECOMMENDATION LETTER.

E. ALL APPLICANTS WILL HAVE A MINIMUM OF AN ASSOCIATE'S DEGREE FROM AN ACCREDITED COLLEGE OR UNIVERSITY IN TECHNOLOGY BUSINESS, ENGINEERING, AND/OR MANAGEMENT ACCEPTED BY THE SURGEON GENERAL. THE DEGREE WILL, AT A MINIMUM, SHOW SUCCESSFUL COMPLETION OF 6 SEMESTER HOURS OF A COLLEGE LEVEL WRITING COURSE. THE DEGREE/CREDIT WILL BE DOCUMENTED ON AN OFFICIAL COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY TRANSCRIPT. FOR THOSE APPLICANTS CURRENTLY ENROLLED IN A DEGREE COMPLETION

PROGRAM, OFFICIAL TRANSCRIPTS MUST BE PROVIDED TO USAREC BY PACKET DEADLINE (18 JULY 2014).

F. APPLICANTS MUST HAVE COMPLETED A MINIMUM OF 6 SEMESTER HOURS IN COMPUTER SCIENCE OR AUTOMATION COURSES.

G. APPLICANTS ARE ENCOURAGED TO SOLICIT AND SUBMIT A WRITTEN LETTER OF RECOMMENDATION FROM A SENIOR (CW3 OR ABOVE) HEALTH SERVICES MAINTENANCE TECHNICIAN FOR WHOM THEY HAVE WORKED.

H. APPLICANTS MUST HAVE A MINIMUM OF 48 MONTHS AND NO MORE THAN 144 MONTHS OF ACTIVE FEDERAL MILITARY SERVICE AS OF THE DATE OF APPLICATION. THE FOLLOWING WAIVERS MUST FOLLOW THE GUIDELINES ON THE USAREC WEB SITE: AGE, ACTIVE FEDERAL SERVICE, APFT, MORAL AND MEDICAL.

I. MUST HAVE LESS THAN 12 YEARS ACTIVE DUTY MILITARY SERVICE AS OF 12 AUGUST 2014.

J. MUST HAVE A GENERAL TECHNICAL (GT) SCORE OF 110 OR HIGHER.

K. MUST MEET PHYSICAL REQUIREMENTS FOR WARRANT OFFICER APPOINTMENT AS PRESCRIBED IN AR 40-501, CHAPTER 2, AND BE WITHIN WEIGHT STANDARDS PRESCRIBED BY AR 600-9.

L. CERTIFICATIONS SUCH AS CERTIFIED BIOMEDICAL EQUIPMENT TECHNICIAN (CBET), CERTIFIED RADIOLOGY EQUIPMENT SPECIALIST (CRES), CERTIFIED LABORATORY EQUIPMENT SPECIALIST (CLES), AND DODI 8570 ARE HIGHLY RECOMMENDED AND CONSIDERED.

6. SUBMISSION OF APPLICATION:

A. THE APPLICATION MUST BE ASSEMBLED AND SUBMITTED IAW THE USAREC WEBSITE.

B. ALL APPLICANTS MUST SCAN COMPLETED PACKETS AND EMAIL TO THE FOLLOWING ADDRESS: USARMY.KNOX.USAREC.MBX.RCHS-CV-MS@MAIL.MIL.

C. REQUIRED STATEMENTS:

(1) "IAW MILPER MSG 13-XXX, SUBJECT: FY15 WARRANT OFFICER APPLICATIONS FOR HEALTH SERVICES MAINTENANCE TECHNICIAN (MOS 670A), I HEREBY APPLY FOR THE HEALTH SERVICES MAINTENANCE TECHNICIAN TRAINING PROGRAM. UPON SUCCESSFUL COMPLETION OF THE WARRANT OFFICER CANDIDATE SCHOOL, I WILL, IF TENDERED, ACCEPT APPOINTMENT AS A WARRANT OFFICER IN THE USAR WITH CONCURRENT CALL TO ACTIVE DUTY AS DESCRIBED THEREIN."

(2) I HAVE REVIEWED MY ENLISTED RECORDS BRIEF (ERB); IT IS CURRENT AND ACCURATELY POSTED. IN ADDITION, AN UPDATED PHOTO (LESS THAN SIX MONTHS FROM PACKET SUBMISSION) HAS BEEN PLACED IN MY ERB. "

(3) LISTING OF SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS REQUIRED IN PARAGRAPH 7 BELOW AS ENCLOSURES.

(4) COMMANDER'S RECOMMENDATION: BASIC APPLICATION MEMORANDUM MUST CONTAIN ENDORSEMENT BY CURRENT UNIT BATTALION COMMANDER/ O-5 COMMAND EQUIVALENT RECOMMENDING APPROVAL/DISAPPROVAL OF THE APPLICANT FOR APPOINTMENT AS A WARRANT OFFICER CANDIDATE. MEMORANDUM MUST ALSO HAVE A STATEMENT OF UNDERSTANDING AS FOLLOW: IF THE SOLDIER IS SELECTED, THE COMMAND WILL RELEASE

THE SOLDIER TO ATTEND THE WARRANT OFFICER CANDIDATE COURSE AS EARLY AS 3 JANUARY 2015.

7. SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS:

A. AT LEAST THREE LETTERS OF RECOMMENDATION THAT COMMENT ON APPLICANT'S QUALIFICATION AND POTENTIAL FOR TRAINING AS A HEALTH SERVICES MAINTENANCE TECHNICIAN MUST BE INCLUDED.

B. LETTER OF PURPOSE AND INTENT. APPLICANT WILL PERSONALLY PREPARE A SINGLE PAGE LETTER TO EXPLAIN HIS/HER MOTIVATION FOR SEEKING HEALTH SERVICES MAINTENANCE TECHNICIAN TRAINING. THIS LETTER SHOULD REFLECT APPLICANTS EXPECTATIONS UPON COMPLETION OF TRAINING AND UPON BEING APPOINTED A WARRANT OFFICER.

C. RESUME: RESUME SHOULD BRIEFLY DEPICT MILITARY ASSIGNMENTS PERTINENT TO MOS 670A AND MILITARY TRAINING AND/OR CIVILIAN EDUCATION THE APPLICANT CONSIDERS TO QUALIFY HIM/HER FOR FAVORABLE CONSIDERATION AS A CANDIDATE FOR THE HEALTH SERVICES MAINTENANCE TECHNICIAN TRAINING PROGRAM.

D. LEGIBLE COPIES OF DA FORMS AND ENLISTED RECORD BRIEF (ERB). THE LOCAL MILITARY PERSONNEL SERVICE CENTER MUST REVIEW EACH REPRODUCTION FOR ACCURACY/LEGIBILITY AND MUST CERTIFY THEM AS TRUE COPIES.

E. STATEMENT FROM MILITARY PERSONNEL SERVICE CENTER VERIFYING THAT FAVORABLE LOCAL RECORDS CHECK HAS BEEN MADE TO ASSURE APPLICANT IS ADMINISTRATIVELY QUALIFIED FOR ADMISSION TO COURSE AND APPOINTMENT AS A WARRANT OFFICER AND THAT APPLICATION IS NOT IN CONTRAVENTION TO AR 600-8-2.

F. ORIGINAL DA FORM 61 (APPLICATION FOR APPOINTMENT). APFT HEIGHT AND WEIGHT STATEMENT SHOULD BE IN ITEM 41, IAW AR 135-100, PARA 2-1.

G. ORIGINAL DA FORM 160 (APPLICATION FOR ACTIVE DUTY).

H. ORIGINAL SIGNED STATEMENT OF ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF ARMY POLICY CONCERNING ACCOMMODATION OF RELIGIOUS PRACTICES BY THE APPLICANT, AS PRESCRIBED BY AR 135-100.

I. STATEMENT FROM UNIT SECURITY OFFICE THAT THE APPLICANT HAS A SECRET CLEARANCE OR HAS INITIATED OR COMPLETED NAC/ENTAC, AS APPLICABLE. APPLICANTS WHO DO NOT HAVE A SECRET (OR HIGHER) CLEARANCE MUST SIGN A STATEMENT INDICATING THEIR UNDERSTANDING THAT, IF THEY ARE SELECTED AS A CANDIDATE BEFORE COMPLETION OF NAC/ENTAC, THEY MAY NOT BE ENROLLED IN THE PROGRAM. FAILURE TO OBTAIN A SECURITY CLEARANCE WOULD CAUSE APPLICANT TO BE INELIGIBLE FOR APPOINTMENT AS A WARRANT OFFICER.

J. ORIGINAL DA FORM 3575 (CERTIFICATE OF ACKNOWLEDGMENT AND UNDERSTANDING OF SERVICE REQUIREMENTS FOR INDIVIDUALS FOR APPOINTMENT IN THE USAR UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF AR 135-100 OR 135-101, (AS APPLICABLE).

K. ORIGINAL SF 88 OR DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE EQUIVALENT (REPORT OF MEDICAL EXAMINATION) AND ORIGINAL SF 93 (REPORT OF MEDICAL HISTORY). THE REVIEWING MEDICAL AUTHORITY MUST INDICATE THAT THE APPLICANT MEETS THE MEDICAL STANDARDS FOR QUALIFICATION FOR APPOINTMENT AS A WARRANT OFFICER.

L. COLLEGE TRANSCRIPTS. COLLEGIATE STUDIES LISTED IN RESUMES AND /OR ENLISTED RECORDS BRIEF (ERB) MUST BE DOCUMENTED BY LEGIBLE COPIES OF OFFICIAL TRANSCRIPTS.

8. APPLICANTS ARE REMINDED THAT THEY ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR TIMELY SUBMISSION OF APPLICATION DOCUMENTS, AND FOR VERIFYING THAT ALL APPROPRIATE DOCUMENTS AND TRANSCRIPTS HAVE BEEN RECEIVED BY USAREC. AGAIN, IT MUST BE STRESSED THAT APPLICATIONS WHICH ARE INCOMPLETE, INELIGIBLE OR RECEIVED AFTER 29 JUL 14, WILL BE RETURNED TO THE ORIGINATOR WITHOUT ACTION.

9. POINT OF CONTACTS:

A. MSC PROGRAM MANAGEMENT BRANCH, MAJ DANIELLE HINES OR CPT HEATHER SULTEMEIER AT DSN 536-1730/1598 OR (502) 626-1598/1730.

B. MSC HEALTH SERVICES MAINTENANCE CONSULTANT, CW5 JOHN R. BURGESS, DSN 471-7078 OR (210) 221-7078, FAX (210) 221-7249.