# I Would Like To...

- Air Force Reserve Individual Reservist Program
- HQ AFRC/A1 Messages
- Reserve Job Opportunities (TR, AGR, ART, IMA, PIRR and Civilian)
- HCM 2.0 Toolbox
- Access the vPC Dashboard
- View My Records [PRDA]
- View My Current Retirement Points
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- Calculate my Reserve Retired Pay
- Update My DEERS Information
- Access Secure Apps (vMPF, PRDA) CAC Only
- Medical Continuation
- Access AROWS-R
- Request a VA Home Loan Letter
- View my Notification of Eligibility for Retired pay/Reserve Component Survivor Benefit Plan Election
- Access Reserve Reduced Retired Pay Age

- Log into myPers Customer Portal (web site).
- Click the Access the vPC Dashboard under the I Would Like To...banner

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Once in the vPC Dashboard, click on the Action Requests tab

## Dashboard

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Under the Retirements menu, click the "Apply for Retirement" hyperlink

myPers Home Page

#### Section 1 - Mandatory Separation Date/High Year Tenure Date

 If you have received a letter from HQ ARPC advising that you will be automatically transferred to the Retired Reserve on your mandatory separation date (MSD) or high year tenure date (HYT); you do not need to apply for retirement unless you wish to request an earlier date. If your retirement effective date is the same as your MSD or HYT, please <u>click here</u> to provide information for your retirement ceremony and certificate.

Section 2 - Retirement Introduction/Pre Application Checklist

There are two basic retirement categories for Air Force Reserve and Air National Guard personnel:

#### Reserve Retirement:

- You are eligible for Assignment or Transfer to the Retired Reserve if you have 20 satisfactory years of service. Reference AFI 36-3203, Service Retirements and <u>AFI 36-3209</u>, Separation and Retirement Procedures for Air National Guard and Reserve Personnel Members. If you are uncertain whether you have received your letter or do not have a copy you may submit a request on line using the vPC-GR application at https://gum.cx.usd.oraclecloud/app/processes/form/fn/vdb.
- Please safeguard the 20 Year Letter. In addition to protecting your retired pay entitlement, it is required as
  proof of eligibility for space available travel on military aircraft IAW DoD Regulation 4515.13-R, Air
  Transportation Eligibility.
- You may submit a request on line using the vPC-GR application at <u>https://gum.cx.usd.oraclecloud/app/processes/form/fn/vdb</u> to verify total number of retirement points to determine your basic eligibility or the vMPF under "Self-Service Actions." In vMPF, click on "Personal Data", then "ANG/USAFR Point Credit Summary Inquiry" (PCARS) and "Point Summary" which will provide you with your total "Satisfactory Service" and then click on "Service History" and at the bottom of the "Retire" column this will provide your "Total Retired Points".
- One more item you may want to check before deciding on your date is to review our "Entitlements" information concerning the Reserve Component Survivor Benefit Program and the retirement pay calculator. You can access this information at <a href="https://gum.cx.usd.oraclecloud/app/processes/form/fn/rpc">https://gum.cx.usd.oraclecloud/app/processes/form/fn/rpc</a>.
- To determine your retired pay you must have your "Total Retired Points" (Outlined above) and your "Years of Service" directly from your Leave and Earning Statement (LES). This includes members who prefer to be discharged under the provision of <u>AFI 36-3208</u>, Administrative Separation of Airmen (regular Airman requesting appointment as a Reserve Officer for retirement under Title 10).

### Active Duty Military Retirement

- To be eligible for an active duty military retirement, members must have accumulated 20 years of Total Active Federal Military Service (TAFMS). If members are officers and they wish to retire in their officer grade, they must also have 10 years of commissioned service. See <u>AFI 36-3203</u>, Service Retirements and AFI 36-3209, Separation and Retirement Procedures for Air National Guard and Reserve Personnel Members.
- To verify your TAFMS, you may submit a "My Request" using our vPC-GR self-service application at <u>https://gum.cx.usd.oraclecloud/app/ask</u> or calculate it yourself by using the vMPF under "Self-Service Actions." In vMPF, click on "Personal Data", then "Record Review/Update", then click on "Service", on the first line you should find your Total Active Federal Military Service Date (TAFMSD). Use your projected retirement date and subtract it from your TAFMSD.

To determine your retirement pay and Survivor Benefit Pay (SBP) you can do this by using the following website: <u>https://w20.afpc.randolph.af.mil/retsepcalcnet35/RetirementCalculator.aspx</u>. If you do not know your 1405 date, you can contact the Total Force Service Center - Denver (TFSC) <u>TFSC@mailds01.csd.disa.mil</u> or toll-free 1-800-525-0102

- If you apply for an active duty retirement, you must also fill out a <u>DD Form 2656</u> for pay purposes and attach with your retirement application. You must complete Section II of the DD Form 2656. \*\*Based on previous occurrences of improperly filled out forms, please follow the directions within the "Instructions" link above for filling out the DD Form 2656 and make sure to upload the form into the attachment field within the application.
- Note: Section XI Survivor Benefit Plan Spouse Concurrence 10 U.S.C. Section 1448, requires that an otherwise eligible spouse concur if the member declines to elect SBP coverage, elects less than full coverage or elects child coverage only (see page 2 of the DD Form 2656 instructions).

## Initial Here:

I understand and acknowledge the Information in Section 2

There is new information in the application to assist you with selecting the appropriate retirement type. This information also provides instruction on which documents are needed to apply for retirement. Members must completely read the instructions and the checklist, then initial at the bottom of each section before proceeding to the application

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# **Retirement Application**

The next step in the online retirement process is to complete and submit a Retirement Application. Before your Retirement Application routes to the Air Reserve Personnel Center (ARPC) for processing, Air Force Reserve or Air National Guard members MUST coordinate with your Unit and/or Wing Command Chief (CC); Individual Mobilization Augmentee (IMA) members MUST coordinate with your Program Manager. NOTE: The system will automatically delete an incomplete application after one (1) year of your 60th birthday.

### Active Duty Pay

Members applying for Active Duty pay must complete a Data for Payment of Retired Personnel (DD Form 2656). This form collects information needed to establish a retired/retainer pay account, designate beneficiaries for Survivor Benefit Plan electors, determine Federal tax withholding and establish payee address information.

# To apply for Active Duty pay:

- 1. Complete a DD Form 2656. There is a link to a blank DD Form 2656 (and instructions) within the Retirements Application
- 2. Upload the completed DD Form 2656 to your Retirement Application. Use the required attachments field at the end of the Retirement Application to upload your completed DD Form 2656

## Tips and General Information:

- Read the instructions and Privacy Act Statement carefully before completing the DD Form 2656
- Complete Section II Direct Deposit/Electronic Fund Transfer Information. This section MUST be completed as your net retired/ retainer pay must be sent to your financial institution by direct deposit/electronic fund transfer (DD/EFT)
- Provide the Routing Transit Number (RTN) and account number of your financial institution
- Consider and elect your Options for the Survivor Benefit Plan (SBP)
- Advise the Defense Finance and Accounting Service (DFAS)-Cleveland of any changes to your marital/family status, address or banking/financial institution/direct deposit information

### Application Information 1.0 Retirement Type\*

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OActive Duty Retirement (20 or more years of Federal Active Military Service)

ORRPA (Reduced Retirement Pay Age)

OAge 60 Retirement

Save and Exit Submit

Exit

From the Application Information section, members select a Retirement Type prior to entering the Retirement Application. There are 4 choices available:

- Reserve Retirement
- Active Duty Retirement
- RRPA
- Age 60

NOTE: RRPA and Age 60 retirement types are new to the application.



Once a retirement type is selected, the entire application becomes available and the information the member completes is based upon the retirement type chosen.

The data fields in bold are mandatory and must be completed. The member can choose to click the "Exit" button should he/she decide not to apply for retirement. The system generates a pop-up message allowing the member to either exit with or without saving any updates to the application.

Incomplete applications can be found in the member's worklist

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From the worklist, members change the View to "Submitted by me", adjust "Start Date" and click Refresh to see any incomplete Retirement application(s) **<u>NEW</u>**: Hover Help Icons - Members can hover over the blue "I" to get help about content for that particular field

Application Information 1.0 Retirement Type*	-	
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Air Reserve/National Guard Technician*		
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Is this your Highest Grade held?* OYes ONo		

**<u>NEW</u>**: Mandatory Separation Date (MSD) – This is now pre-populated by the system. Members can select a retirement date equal to or less than their MSD



**<u>NEW</u>**: Expiration Term of Service (ETS) – This is now pre-populated by the system. Members can select a retirement date equal to or less than their ETS



**<u>NEW</u>**: Members can now use the justify text area to render an explanation of their highest grade held (if applicable). The system can now also accept multiple supporting documents to justify a member's highest grade held

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**<u>NEW</u>**: The Contact Information area is mandatory for members to complete if they choose a ceremony. Additionally, these fields help contact members should any questions arise regarding the retirement package

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The Retirement application displays a red warning should a data field is left blank