



# NEW IDENTIFICATION CARD ENTITLEMENTS FOR FORMER MEMBERS AND ELIGIBLE DEPENDENTS

## What is a Former Member?

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A former member is an individual eligible to receive retired pay at age 60 for non-Regular service under Title 10, U.S.C. 1223. Unlike a member of the retired reserve awaiting pay age 60 (Gray area retiree), a former member chose to terminate his or her Reserve status rather than transfer to the retired reserve and maintains no military affiliation.

### 1. ID Card Entitlements - Former Members Under Age 60:

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- Former Members Under Age 60: What ID card will former members under age 60 be entitled to? Former members under age 60 are now entitled to the DD Form 2, United States Uniformed Services Identification Card (Reserve Retired) (Red) ID card, the same as Gray area retirees awaiting pay at age 60.
- Privileges Authorized: The DD Form 2 (Reserve Retired) allows unlimited access to exchange and morale, welfare and recreation activities, and also limited commissary privileges--if accompanied by a DD Form 2529, DoD Reserve Component Commissary Card. The commissary cards are issued at the Services' respective Reserve Personnel Centers. Air Force members may contact ARPC/DPSSE, DSN: 925-6439 or 800-525-0102.
- Documentation Required to Obtain the DD Form 2 (Reserve Retired). A Notice of Eligibility for Retired Pay at Age 60 and a discharge order.

### 2. ID Card Entitlement - Former Members Age 60 or Older, and in Receipt of Retired Pay. Former members in receipt of retired pay at age 60 or older will be issued a DD Form 2765, Department of Defense/Uniformed Services Identification and Privilege Card.

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- Benefits and Privileges Authorized: Unlimited exchange, morale, welfare and recreation and commissary privileges. The card will also grant medical care in Uniformed Services Facilities on a space available basis, and medical care in civilian facilities IF not entitled to Medicare, Part A. Care in civilian facilities is not granted if the member is under 65, entitled to Medicare, Part A, but not enrolled in Medicare Part B supplemental insurance.
- Documentation Required to Obtain the DD Form 2765. Retired pay order reflecting receipt of retired pay.

### 3. Eligible Dependents of Former Members Under Age 60. Eligible dependents, will be issued the DD Form 1173-1, United States Uniformed Services Identification and Privilege Card.

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- Privileges Authorized: Unlimited access to exchange, morale, welfare and recreation activities and also limited commissary privileges--if accompanied by a DD Form 2529, DoD Reserve Component Commissary Card.
- Documentation Required to Obtain the DD Form 1173-1: See AFI 36-3026(I), 29 Jul 99, Identification Cards for Members of the Uniformed Services, Their Eligible Family Members, and Other Eligible Personnel, Attachment 5.

### 4. Eligible Dependents of Former Members Age 60 or Older, and in Receipt of Retired Pay. Eligible dependents will be issued the DD Form 1173, Uniformed Services Identification and Privilege Card.

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- Benefits and Privileges Authorized: Unlimited exchange, morale, welfare and recreation and commissary privileges. The card will also grant medical care in Uniformed Services Facilities on a space available basis, and medical care in civilian facilities IF not entitled to Medicare, Part A. Care in civilian facilities is not granted if the member is under 65, entitled to Medicare, Part A, but not enrolled in Medicare Part B supplemental insurance.
- Documentation Required to Obtain the DD Form 1173: See AFI 36-3026(I), Attachment 5.