

# RETIREE APPRECIATION DAY AGENDA

**PLACE:** Bliss and Root Halls, U.S. Army War College

**DATE AND TIME:** Saturday, 11 October 2014 starting at 7:30 am-2:30 pm

7:30- 9:00 am	Registration in War College Gym, Coffee & Doughnuts available in Joint Deli
9:00 – 9:10 am	Opening Ceremonies in Bliss Hall Auditorium
	National Anthem, Pledge of Allegiance, Armed Forces Medley, Invocation
9:10-10:00 am	Welcome – 50 <sup>th</sup> AWC MG Commandant MG William (Bill) E. Rapp, USA
10:00-10:15 am	Welcome by Retiree Council
10:15 – 10:45 am	DUNHAM Clinic Update
10:45-11:00 am	Break/Return to Bliss Hal for Tricare-For-Life Briefing (over age 65) or go to Reynolds Theater for Tricare Briefing (Under age 65)
11:00 – 12:00 pm	TRICARE Briefings in Bliss or Reynolds Theater
12:00 - 1:00 pm	Lunch Break. Root Hall’s “Joint Deli”; Exchange’s “Subway”; Oktoberfest at AHEC
1 pm – 1:05 pm	Welcome
1:05 – 1:55	VA Briefing in Bliss Hall
2 pm - 2:30 pm	Legal Briefing in Bliss Hall
2:30	Closing & Farewells in Bliss Hall

## DIRECTIONS

**From Interstate Rt. 81, Exit 52 or PA Turnpike I-76, Exit 226.**

**Follow US Rt. 11 South**

- 1. If you have a Current Military ID, Go straight about 5 miles and make a Left turn thru Ashburn Gate.**
- 2. If you don’t have a Current Military ID Card, stay on Left Lane of Rt. 11 South for about 2 miles; Turn Left onto Harmony Hall Road & follow the Blue Carlisle Barracks Signs to the Back Gate! Turn Left to go thru Security. If you do not have a Current Military ID, be prepared to show Driver’s License, Car Registration & Proof of Car Insurance and please Show Picture ID’s for everyone in the vehicle.**

**Follow the SPECIAL EVENT SIGNS to PARKING LOTS and APPRECIATION DAY SITE!**

**PLEASE MAIL PRE-REGISTRATION FORM to:**

**Retirement Services Office, 46 Ashburn Dr., Carlisle, PA 17013-5062 Or FAX to 717-245-4227**

PLEASE do not email Pre-Registration form!

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## **CARLISLE BARRACKS RETIREE APPRECIATION DAY PRE-REGISTRATION FORM**

**YES, I plan to attend this year’s Retiree Appreciation Day!** There will be \_\_\_\_\_ in my party.

**YES, I can assist during the Appreciation Day by being an Usher in the Bliss Hall Auditorium** \_\_\_\_\_

NAME \_\_\_\_\_ RANK \_\_\_\_\_ SERVICE \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

STATE \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

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DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY  
UNITED STATES ARMY WAR COLLEGE AND CARLISLE BARRACKS  
CARLISLE, PENNSYLVANIA 17013

REPLY TO  
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18 July 2014

MEMORANDUM FOR MILITARY RETIREES, FAMILY MEMBERS, SURVIVORS AND  
PRE-RETIREE PERSONNEL

SUBJECT: Carlisle Barracks Retiree Appreciation Day Invitation

1. On behalf of Major General William (Bill) Rapp, I cordially invite you to attend the 40th Annual Carlisle Barracks Retiree Appreciation Day on **Saturday, 11 October 2014**. The day will begin at 0730 at Root Hall Gymnasium with registration and then welcoming remarks at 0930 in the Bliss Hall Auditorium by MG Rapp. We will then host a series of seminars on such topics as TRICARE (Under Age 65), TRICARE-for-Life (Over Age 65), Veterans Affairs, and Legal Affairs. In addition to seminar activities, Post activities and organizational representatives will be in the Root Hall Gymnasium from 0800 – 1300 and we will offer an opportunity for a "Mini-Health Screening." Our ID Card Section will be open from 0800 – 1400 at Anne Ely Hall, 46 Ashburn Drive. Food options include the Joint Deli at Root Hall, the Bowling Center Snack Bar, and the Exchange Subway. Finally, the Commissary will be open until 1700 and the Post Exchange until 1800.
2. We have again planned our Retiree Appreciation Day to coincide with the Carlisle Barracks' Oktoberfest at the Army Heritage Education Center (AHEC) located on Army Heritage Drive. We encourage you to visit the Oktoberfest and enjoy the festivities, food, drink and music throughout the day! Shuttles will run from 0745 – 1545 between the parking lots as marked on your map, the U.S. Army War College, and the Oktoberfest location at AHEC.
3. For planning purposes, please complete the pre-registration form in this bulletin **no later than Wednesday, 8 October 2014 and mail to: Retirement Services Office, MPD, 46 Ashburn Drive, Carlisle, PA 17013-5062.**
4. This day is a small gesture of appreciation for your service to our country. Thank you for all that you have done and continue to do for this great Nation. We look forward to your visit! If you have any questions regarding this event, please contact the Retirement Services Office at 717-245-4501 or 717-245-3894.

KIMBERLY A. PEEPLES  
LTC, EN  
Garrison Commander

## Where to Sleep in the Carlisle Barracks Area?

For those who wish to stay at Carlisle Barracks-IHG Army Hotel, please call **717-245-4245**. Call NOW & have your Credit Card Ready for Reservations. There are 45 rooms and I cannot arrange for a "Block of rooms" for our Event!

**MY DISCLAIMER: Carlisle Barracks & I do not sanction the list below. The list comes from...**

<http://www.visitcumberlandvalley.com/business-directory/where-to-sleep/hotels.html>

### Hotels/Motels in Carlisle, PA

	Address & Zip Code	Phone	Web
America's Best Value Inn	1460 Harrisburg Pike, 17015	717-249-7775	<a href="http://www.americasBestvalueinn.com/bestv.cfm?idp=1716">www.americasBestvalueinn.com/bestv.cfm?idp=1716</a>
Best Western Carlisle	1155 Harrisburg Pike, 17013	1-866-597-6200	<a href="http://www.bestwestern.com/Carlisle">www.bestwestern.com/Carlisle</a>
Budget Inn	1125 Harrisburg Pike, 17013	717-422-5129	<a href="http://www.booking.com/hotel/us/carlisle-1125-harrisburg-pike.html">http://www.booking.com/hotel/us/carlisle-1125-harrisburg-pike.html</a>
Comfort Suites Hotel	10 S. Hanover St., 17013	717-960-1000	<a href="http://www.comfortsuitescarlisle.com">www.comfortsuitescarlisle.com</a>
Country Inn Carlisle South	1529 Commerce Ave, 17015	717-241-4900	<a href="http://www.countryinns.com/carlislepa">www.countryinns.com/carlislepa</a>
Days Inn & Suites	101 Alexander Spring Rd. 17015	717-258-4147	<a href="http://www.daysinnCarlisle.com">www.daysinnCarlisle.com</a>
Econo Lodge Carlisle	1252 Harrisburg Pike, 17013	717-243-8585	<a href="http://www.econolodge.com">www.econolodge.com</a>
Fairfield Inn & Suites by Marriott	1528 E Commerce Ave., 17015	717-243-2080	<a href="http://www.marriott.com">www.marriott.com</a>
Hampton Inn Carlisle	1164 Harrisburg Pike, 17013	717-240-0200	<a href="http://www.carlisle.hamptoninn.com">www.carlisle.hamptoninn.com</a>
Hotel Carlisle	1700 Harrisburg Pike, 17015	717-243-1717	<a href="http://www.hotelcarlisle.com">www.hotelcarlisle.com</a>
Howard Johnson Inn	1245 Harrisburg Pike, 17013	717-243-5411	<a href="http://www.hojo.com">www.hojo.com</a>
Motel 6	1153 Harrisburg Pike, 17013	717-249-7622	<a href="http://www.motel6.com">www.motel6.com</a>
Red Roof Inn	1450 Harrisburg Pike, 17015	717-245-2400	<a href="http://www.redroof.com">www.redroof.com</a>
Quality Inn	1255 Harrisburg Pike, 17013	717-243-6000	<a href="http://www.qualityinnpa.com">www.qualityinnpa.com</a>
Residence Inn	1 Hampton Ct, 17013	717-610-9050	<a href="http://www.carlisleresidenceinn.com">www.carlisleresidenceinn.com</a>
Rodeway Inn	1239 Harrisburg Pike, 17013	717-249-2800	<a href="http://www.rodewayinn.com">www.rodewayinn.com</a>
Sleep Inn Carlisle	5 E. Garland Dr, 17013	717-249-8863	<a href="http://www.sleepinn.com/">www.sleepinn.com/</a>
Super 8 Motel North	1800 Harrisburg Pike, 17013	717-249-7000	<a href="http://www.super8.com">www.super8.com</a>
Super 8 Motel South	100 Alexander Spring Rd, 17013	717-245-9898	<a href="http://www.super8.com">www.super8.com</a>
Travelodge	1247 Harrisburg Pike, 17013	717-243-2960	<a href="http://www.travelodge.com">www.travelodge.com</a>

#### HANDY MILITARY TOLL-FREE NUMBERS

ARMY Reserve HR Retirement Benefits, St. Louis, MO	1-888-276-9472
Bureau of Veterans Affairs, Ft Indiantown Gap	1-800-547-2838
DEERS Update/Information	1-800-538-9552
Retirement & Annuity Pay Center, Cleveland, OH	1-800-321-1080

#### TRICARE PHONE NUMBERS

<b>TRICARE Information (Under age 65)</b>	<b>1-877-874-2273</b>
TRICARE Retiree Dental Program	1-888-838-8737
<b>TRICARE For LIFE! (Over age 65)</b>	<b>1-866-773-0404</b>
TRICARE Mail-Order Pharmacy Program	1-877-363-1303
<b>TRICARE Retail Pharmacy Program</b>	<b>1-877-363-1303</b>

#### VA PHONE NUMBERS

VA Insurance Information (NSLI -Old GI Insurance)	1-800-669-8477
VA Insurance Information (VGLI & SGLI)	1-800-419-1473
VA Education Customer Service Office (GI Bill/Post 911)	1-888-442-4551
VA Regional Office (General Questions)	1-800-827-1000

**CARLISLE BARRACKS PHONE NUMBERS**

**On-Post information - 717-245-3131 during normal duty hours only Mon-Fri 0700 - 2300**  
**Or Call the Office you want at 717-24x-xxxx**

<b>DUNHAM HEALTH CLINIC - CLOSED on THURS AFTERNOONS</b>	
Clinic Information	5-3400 or Toll-free 1-877-787-2569
Health Benefits Advisors	5-3778/5-4112/5-3918
Patient Affairs	5-3911
Patient Appointments	5-3400/1-877-787-2569
Pharmacy	5-3400
Pharmacy (Dunham Clinic Phone-in Refill)	1-800-248-6337, Press 2, then 4
Pharmacy (PX Refill Station)	1-800-248-6337, Press 2, then 1
<b>OTHER POST PHONE NUMBERS</b>	<b>Phone</b>
Army Community Services	5-4357
Army Emergency Relief, Financial Counsel Aid	5-4720
Barber Shop (PX)	249-4958
Barracks Crossing (Engraving, Frame, Auto)	5-3319
Bowling Center	5-4109/5-3027
Chapel (Post)	5-3318
Commissary	5-3105
Golf Course Club Lounge & Snack Bar	5-3267
Legal Assistance/Appointments (JAG)	5-4940
Letort View Community Center & Catering	5-3991/5-3215
Post Exchange	243-2065
<b>Post Closures Due to Bad Weather</b>	<b>5-3700</b>
Retirement, Survivor, Transition Ofc (Military)	5-4501/3894

**ID CARD SITES IN PENNSYLVANIA**

<b>Location</b>	<b>Address</b>	<b>Phone</b>
<b>Allentown</b>	1400 Postal Rd, Allentown PA 18109	610-263-8823
<b>Annville</b>	Bldg 9-68, Ft Indiantown Gap, PA 17003	717-861-8693
<b>Avoca</b>	1200 Navy Way Road, Avoca PA 18641	570-457-8430
<b>Carlisle</b>	<b>46 Ashburn Dr., Carlisle Barracks, PA 17013</b>	<b>717-245-3533</b>
<b>Chambersburg</b>	2 Wisconsin Ave., Chambersburg, PA 177201	717-267-8751
<b>Coraopolis</b>	300 Tanker Road, #4226 Coraopolis PA 15108	412-776-7380
<b>Danville</b>	90 Liberty Valley Road, Danville PA 17821	570-275-7450
<b>Ebensburg</b>	260 Industrial Park Rd., Ebensburg PA 15391	814-472-5083
<b>Erie</b>	3938 Old French Rd., Erie, PA 16504	814-434-0209
<b>Johnstown</b>	295 Goucher St., Johnstown, PA 15905	814-288-6000
<b>Middletown</b>	81 Constellation Ct., Middletown PA 17057	717-948-2285
<b>Moon Township</b>	99 Soldiers Lane, Moon Township. 15108	412-604-8319
<b>New Cumberland</b>	2021 Mission Dr., New Cumberland, PA 17070	717-770-7111
<b>North Versailles</b>	625 E. Pittsburgh-McKeesport Blvd, North Versailles, PA 15147 PA	412- 673-0801
<b>Philadelphia</b>	2700 Southhampton Rd, Philadelphia PA 19154	215-856-5925
<b>Tobyhanna</b>	11 Hap Arnold Blvd., Tobyhanna, PA 18466	570-615-7409
<b>Washington</b>	125 Goodridge Lane, Washington PA 15301	724-223-4572
<b>Williamsport</b>	1307 Grove St., Williamsport, PA 17701	570-321-5041-Closed due to retirement of ID site employee-check before driving

## **Can I Get a New ID during the Retiree Appreciation Day? YES!**

This year the ID Section will be doing ID cards by Appointment. This way you won't be in the Waiting room for hours and missing out on Briefings you wanted to sit in on! Make the ID Appointment in the Root Hall gym from 7:30 am to 8:15 am. The ID Section will open at 8:30 am – 12:45, Closed for Lunch, Open again at 12:45 pm until 2:15 pm. The ID Section is located in Anne Ely Hall, 46 Ashburn Drive, 1<sup>st</sup> Floor, Carlisle, PA 17013.

### **Can I use copies of source documents that I made to get an ID? NO!**

All source documents must be ORIGINALS OR COURT CERTIFIED. You will get the documents back.

### **Does My Sponsor need to be present so I can get an ID CARD? YES!**

That is, unless you have a Power of Attorney that allows you to sign for your sponsor.

**My Sponsor Passed away. Can I get a new ID card? YES!** Bring your spouse's Original Death Certificate.

### **I need to update my address. Can I do that without going to an ID site? YES!**

You can update your Address by calling DEERS at 1-800-538-9552.

## **What are some of the Documents I need to get an ID?**

### **Acceptable forms of primary photo ID (All documents must be unexpired)**

- Military ID
- Driver's license (license with following statement "Not for Federal Identification Use" is not acceptable)
- Passport
- State, federal or local government ID card provided it contains a photograph and information such as name, date of birth, gender, height, eye color, address and an identification number ("Not for Federal Identification Use") (Badges are not accepted)

All identification documents must be originals or court certified copies. There are no exceptions.

### **Acceptable forms of secondary ID**

- Social Security card
- Birth certificate must have a file number (if not original, must be court notarized copy)
- Voter's registration card
- Old Military ID Card that expired within 24 months
- INS Form 1-151, 1-551, a Foreign national ID with picture or Perm Res Card

## **Some of the Most Requested ID Cards & Required Documents**

- **Reserve/National Guard (Grey Area Retiree under age 60):** Transfer Order to Retired Reserves and Proper ID listed above
- **Reserve/National Guard Retiree who just turned Age 60:** Must have Retirement Order and ID listed above.
- **Recently Retired From the Active Component:** Retirement DD 214, Orders and ID listed above
- **Renew Spousal ID:** ID listed above
- **Turning age 65 to get TRICARE for Life:** MEDICARE (Part A&B) Card and ID Listed above
- **Spousal FOREVER Card at Age 75!:** ID Listed above
- **Update Address:** ID Listed above and new address
- **Recently Married:** Will need Marriage License, Spouse's SSN Card, Birth Certif., Driver's Lic (or Other Photo ID). If spouse is changing last name, must have one document with new last name.
- **Divorced:** Need Divorce Decree
- **Children:** Must present Birth Cert and SSN Card. Children under age 10 do not get a Picture ID.
- **New Step-children:** Marriage Certificate, Birth Certificate and SSN Card.

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### **Remember there may be unusual situations that may require more/different documents**

For more in-depth information sources; go to:

[http://carlislebarracks.carlisle.army.mil/services/deers\\_idcard\\_cac.cfm](http://carlislebarracks.carlisle.army.mil/services/deers_idcard_cac.cfm) or call 717-245-3533

<https://www.dmdc.osd.mil/rsi/html/RequiredDocuments.html> or call DEERS at 1-800-538-9552

**The Regular duty hours for the Carlisle Barracks ID section are Monday – Friday  
7:30 am – 3:30 pm**

**Except on the 1<sup>st</sup> Wed of each month, when they open at 9:00 am.**

# Checkout the NEW VA Dental Insurance Program (VADIP)

## Frequently Asked Questions!



### **What is the VA Dental Insurance Program?**

The VA Dental Insurance Program (VADIP) is a three-year, national pilot program to assess the feasibility and advisability of providing a premium-based dental insurance plan to eligible individuals.

### **Who is eligible for the program?**

Veterans enrolled in the VA health care program and CHAMPVA program beneficiaries are eligible to participate in VADIP.

### **Does the program affect VA's existing dental coverage?**

Participation in VADIP will not affect Veterans' eligibility for VA dental services and treatment.

### **Can my family participate in VADIP?**

Dependents of Veterans, except those eligible under CHAMPVA, are not eligible for VADIP; however, separate coverage options may be offered dependents by the insurance carrier.

### **Who are the insurance carriers?**

VA has contracted with Delta Dental and MetLife, private insurers, to administer the dental insurance program.

### **Is there a cost to participate in the program?**

Each participant will pay a fixed monthly premium for coverage, in addition to any copayments required by his or her plan.

### **What services are offered?**

Multiple plan options will allow participants to select a plan that provides benefits and premiums that meet their dental needs and budget. The offered plans vary and may include diagnostic, preventative, surgical, emergency and endodontic/restorative treatment.

### **Where do I receive treatment?**

Coverage for VADIP dental services will be provided in the United States and its territories.

# **The NEW VA Dental Insurance Program (VADIP)... ...More Frequently Asked Questions!**



## **What if I travel or move?**

Both insurance providers offer care nationwide. Coordinate with your provider in advance of your travel or move for information on coverage.

## **When can I apply for the program?**

Beginning November 15, 2013, individuals interested in participating in VADIP may complete an application online, over the phone or by mail.

## **When did the VA DIP coverage begin?**

Coverage began January 1, 2014.

## **What happens to my coverage when the pilot period ends?**

Dental coverage is available through the contracted period of the pilot unless the program is extended or made permanent.

## **Is there a mandatory participation period?**

The initial participation period will be at least 12 calendar months. Afterward, beneficiaries can renew their participation for another 12-month period or be covered month-to-month, as long as the participant remains eligible for coverage and VA continues VADIP.

## **Can I be denied participation?**

The contracted insurance carriers must accept all eligible beneficiaries who request participation.

## **How do I apply and get more Information on VADIP?**

Individuals interested in participating in VADIP may apply by mail, online or by phone. For details, visit or call your local VA Facility (Look in the Blue pages of your Phone Book for the phone number), or visit the VADIP Website at [www.va.gov/healthbenefits/VADIP](http://www.va.gov/healthbenefits/VADIP). You can also call the VA at 1-800-827-1000, Call VA-DIP Delta Dental at 1-855-370-3303 or Call VA-DIP MetLife at 1-888-310-1681.

# Carlisle Barracks Retiree Bulletin

Military Personnel Services Division, Carlisle Barracks, Carlisle, PA 17013

August 2014

**Retiree Appreciation Day at Carlisle Barracks is scheduled for Sat, 11 October 2014!**

*The Carlisle Barracks Oktoberfest will also be held at the Army Heritage Education Center (AHEC) on Sat, 11 Oct 2014, so in addition to the Bliss Hall "Joint Deli", you'll be able to eat at the Oktoberfest, the "Subway" at the Exchange and the "19<sup>th</sup> Hole Snack Bar" at the Carlisle Barracks Golf Course.*

*Not too many changes for this year's Retiree Appreciation Day. There will be a longer Registration from 7:30 am to 9 am to give everyone a chance to get flu shots, etc. The ID card section will be open in Anne Ely Hall, Building 46 as usual. But an ID Signup table will be in Bliss Hall during Registration from 7:30 am to 8:15 am. ID section is open at 8:30 am, closed for lunch from noon to 12:45 pm and open again until 2:15 pm. Appointments will be required for the morning and walk-in service from 12:45 pm until 2:15 pm. More information on receiving your ID cards in this bulletin!*

The Retirement Services Office publishes this Retiree Bulletin.

*Nice Comments should be mailed to*

*Theresa A. Derr, RSO, MPSPD, 46 Ashburn Drive, Carlisle, PA 17013-5062 or email at [theresa.a.derr.civ@mail.mil](mailto:theresa.a.derr.civ@mail.mil).*

*My Web site is*

*<http://carlislebarracks.carlisle.army.mil/services/rso.cfm>*

*If you receive this Bulletin in the name of a loved one who passed, Please contact Military Retirement Pay Center @ 1-800-321-1080.*

## Did you know...

You can use the Judge Advocate General (JAG) office?

If you are a Military Retiree drawing retired pay, spouse or surviving spouse, you can come on Post to have Wills, Living Wills, Advance Medical Directives, Powers of Attorney completed for FREE! During the Tax season you can have your taxes completed and submitted through the VITA (Volunteer Income tax Assistance) Team, also for FREE! The JAG office at Carlisle Barracks is located at Upton Hall, 22 Ashburn Drive, 1<sup>st</sup> Floor. Please call for appointments – Phone 717-245-4940 & web site <http://carlislebarracks.carlisle.army.mil/installation/legal.cfm>

The Department of the Army Retirement Services Office has a new Web-site?

The new SOLDIER for LIFE Site is up and running! Go to <http://soldierforlife.army.mil/retirement/>

You can get Dental insurance through TRICARE Retiree Dental Program (Delta Dental)...

Website is [www.trdp.org](http://www.trdp.org) and phone number is 1-888-838-8737

**AND VA offers Dental Insurance too?**

If you are a veteran enrolled in the VA health care program, you are eligible for the VA Dental Insurance Program (VADIP)! VA has contracts with Delta Dental and MetLife to administer the programs. This NEW program started 1 January 2014! For more information contact Delta Dental at 1-855-370-3303 [www.deltadentalvadip.org](http://www.deltadentalvadip.org) or MetLife at 1-888-310-1681 [www.metlife.com/VADIP](http://www.metlife.com/VADIP) or visit [www.va.gov/healthbenefits/VADIP](http://www.va.gov/healthbenefits/VADIP)