



Amarillo MEPS Important Information for Applicant Guests

Amarillo MEPS looks forward to welcoming you to witness your loved one take the Oath of Enlistment prior to shipping to basic training. Today they join an honored tradition of service to something greater, showing great selflessness, courage, and commitment just by volunteering to serve. We are honored to welcome them, and you, into the Military Family.

Below you will find information about visiting Amarillo MEPS. Please read it in its entirety before your visit.

Viewing the Oath of Enlistment Ceremony:

- Active-Duty applicants who are about to ship to basic training as well as National Guard and Reserve applicants are authorized *two* guests to attend their Oath of Enlistment.
- Guests are allowed in the MEPS 30-minutes prior to the ceremony. Oath times vary throughout the day.
- Applicants will contact their guests approximately 30 minutes prior to the Oath of Enlistment ceremony. Please remain nearby the MEPS to ensure timely arrival.
- Guests must exit the MEPS following the ceremony.
- Disruptive guests will be asked to leave.

Getting here

- Amarillo MEPS is located in a commercially leased building.
1100 S Fillmore St
Amarillo, TX 7901
- The sponsoring Service Liaison is responsible for escorting the applicant's guests to the MEPS entrance. MEPS personnel will not be available to escort an applicant's guests from the parking area to the entrance of the MEPS.
- Requirements to get on base or inside the federal building.
 - Entering the installation or building routinely takes 10 minutes but could take longer. Please plan accordingly.

Parking

- Parking is available in the parking lot next to the MEPS building.

Security

- Provide a valid, physical or official digital I.D. (photos of I.D.s are not)
 - Acceptable - Driver's License, State I.D., Passport, City I.D. (or other I.D. specified in UMR 601-23, available [here](#))
 - Minors must be accompanied by an adult. They do not require I.D.
- All guests will go through a security screening to include metal detector, X-ray machine, bag check.



- To decrease check-in times, guests are encouraged not to bring bags.
- Guests must sign in and out on a visitor log and wear a visitor badge while at the MEPS.

Photography

- Photo and/or video are only authorized in the Oath of Enlistment Ceremony room.

Refreshments

- A vending machine is available for purchase of a drink/snack.

Point of Contact at MEPS

- If you have questions, please contact (806) 290-9401