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1SG Andrea Allen is the senior enlisted advisor of the Charlotte Military Entrance Processing Station and supports the USMEPCOM mission of evaluating applicants by applying Department of Defense standards in processing and determining eligibility for military service.

She enlisted the Army in 2007 at the Fort Gillem MEPS, Georgia in 2007. She completed Basic Combat Training and Avance Individual Training at Fort Jackson, South Caralina.

First Sgt. Allen has served in numerous positions including Senior Human Resources Sergeant, 41st Field Artillery Brigade, Grafenwoehr, Germany; Assistant Inspector General, Fort Drum, NY; Drill Sergent, 3rd Battalion, 13th Infantry Regiment, Fort Jackson, SC; Executive Administrative Assistant to the Division Sergeant Major, 4th Infantry Division, Fort Carson, CO and Human Resources NCO, HHBN, XVIII ABN CORPS, Fort Bragg, NC.

Her military education includes Basic, Advanced, Senior and Master Leader Courses; Human Resources Plans and Operations Course; Inspector General Course; Drill Sergeant Academy; Airbourne and Air Assault School and Master Fitness Trainer. She earned a Master of Management and Leadership from Western Governors University, Salt Lake City, UT, and a Bachelor of Business Management and Associate of Accounting from the University of Maryland Global Campus, Adelphi, ML.

First Sgt. Allen's military awards and decorations include three Meritorious Service Medals, one Joint Service Commendation Medal, five Army Commendation Medal, and four Army Achievement Medal. She is also a recipient of the Field Artillery Association's prestigious Order of Saint Barbara and various service, unit and personal medals and ribbons.