



FY24 USMEPCOM OPERATING SCHEDULE

SCHEDULE EFFECTIVE 1 OCTOBER 2023

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Federal Holiday (no processing)							Resilience Training (no processing)							Quarterly Training (no processing)							Air & Space Force Mission Day							Army Active & Reserve Mission Day							Army National Guard Mission Day							Marine Corps & Navy Mission Day							Saturday Processing Opportunity						
OCTOBER 2023							NOVEMBER 2023							DECEMBER 2023							JANUARY 2024							FEBRUARY 2024							MARCH 2024																				
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processing days: 21							processing days: 19							31							processing days: 19							processing days: 20							processing days: 19							31							processing days: 20						
APRIL 2024							MAY 2024							JUNE 2024							JULY 2024							AUGUST 2024							SEPTEMBER 2024																				
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processing days: 22							processing days: 22							30							processing days: 18							processing days: 22							processing days: 21							processing days: 20													

- ADMINISTRATIVE NOTES:**
- Point of Contact for this document is the USMEPCOM J-3 Processing Branch Recruit Travel team at osd.north-chicago.usmepcom.list.hq-j3-meop-pd-recruit-travel@army.mil.
 - Versions of this document are located on SPEAR and on the USMEPCOM public website. This document will be republished with updates, as necessary.
 - Easter and Western Sectors will confirm selection dates for MEPS Org Day and CARES Day. E/W Sectors will provide consolidated records to J-3 Processing.

SERVICE	STANDARD SHIP DAYS
Air Force Space Force	Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday
Army Active Duty Army Reserve	Monday - Wednesday for Initial Military Training Monday - Thursday when destination is AIT, ESL, or Direct assignment location
Army National Guard	Monday - Wednesday for Initial Military Training Monday - Thursday when destination is AIT, ESL, or Direct assignment location
Coast Guard	Tuesday
Marine Corps	Monday-Wednesday
Navy	Monday - Wednesday (Females) Monday - Thursday (Males)

- PROCESSING NOTES:** Total processing days: 244*
- Ship days will shift 1 day to the right in weeks with a federal holiday.
 - Shipping outside of standard ship days, for reasons other than a federal holiday, require coordination with the respective Service and an approved Exception to Policy from J-3/Recruit Travel.
 - Friday after Thanksgiving (24 November 2023) is a USMEPCOM non-processing day.
 - CARES Day (Resilience Training) options for MEPS are 12 January 2024 or 16 February 2024.
 - MEPS will coordinate with local IRC for observance of Org Day events. Specific dates are published via HQ USMEPCOM Current Operational Status messages.
 - Navy "blackout periods"/ no-ship days are 9-22 October 2023 and 18 December 2023 – 1 January 2024.
 - Coast Guard does not have current Mission Days for FY24.
 - Saturday processing opportunities and requirements will be announced if dates are approved.