



Office of the USAR Dental Surgeon



Dental Surgeon's Initiatives



"Moving the Army Reserve One Bite at a Time"



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1 Army Selected Reserve Dental Readiness (ASRDR):

- * Provides Class III Dental Treatment and Class IV Dental Exams Regardless of the ARFORGEN Cycle.
- * Treatment Vouchers are approved through the Automated Voucher System (AVS) and care is provided through the Reserve Health Readiness Program (RHRP).

2 First Term Dental Readiness (FTDR):

- * The Active Component provides Exams and Treatment for Soldiers going through Initial Entry Training (IET). This includes Advanced Individual Training (AIT), and the Basic Officer Leadership Course (BOLC).

3 DEMOB Dental Re-set:

- * All DEMOB Soldiers (CONUS & OCONUS based) are examined by the Active Component before REFRAD.
- * Class III care will be provided at the DEMOB site or via RHRP.



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- 4 Ready Response Reserve Unit (R3U):**
 - * Pilot Program is designed to provide Dental Surge Capabilities on Short Notice (minimum 30 days notification).

- 5 USAR Dental Corps Homepage:**
 - * To Enhance Mission Awareness, Information Dissemination, Uniformity of Procedures, Training Opportunities, Career Development, Recruitment, and Retention.

- 6 Dental Bytes:**
 - * A Contracted Web Based Oral Health and Dental Fitness Newsletter.
 - * Maintained to Disseminate Dental Health and Readiness Information.



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7 AR Recruitment/Retention of Dental Officers:

- * Recruitment/Retention of Qualified Professionals to be part of the AR Dental Corps.
- * Seeks to improve the AR Dental Corps.
- * Designed to implement a Subject Matter Expert (SME) Program to support USAREC Army Medical Department requirements.
- * Initiation of changes to the current Special Pay Guidelines and Career Advisor System.

8 Credentialing:

- * Permanent Member of the AR Credentialing Board.
- * Ensures the Highest Quality of Providers are Referred to the Privileging Boards in the Army Dental Corps System.

9 Notification:

- * Contacting Units Scheduled for Mobilization to Improve Dental Readiness; Identify Unit Class III Needs and Reduce Class IV "No Go's" at MOB Site.
- * Units are Encouraged to Use AVS for Necessary Treatment.
- * Ensure awareness of ASDRS.