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SUBJ/ACADEMIC YEAR 2019 NURSE CORPS MEDICAL ENLISTED COMMISSIONING PROGRAM
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APPLICATION ADMINISTRATIVE MANUAL.//

RMKS/1. This NAVADMIN solicits applications for the academic year
(AY) 2019 Nurse Corps Medical Enlisted Commissioning Program (MECP) selection
board. The AY-19 MECP selection board will convene in Fall of 2018. MECP
provides a path for active-duty and Full-Time Support (FTS) enlisted Sailors
and Marines, in any rating or military occupational specialty, who already
have some college credit, to obtain a baccalaureate degree in nursing and a
commission in the Nurse Corps. Reservists in a FTS status are eligible,
however reservists in any status other than FTS are not eligible.

2. Applications must be postmarked by 14 September 2018 and mailed
to:
   Commanding Officer
   Navy Medicine Professional Development Center
   8955 Wood Road Bldg 1 16TH Floor, Rms 16141, 16148
   Bethesda, MD 20889-5628

   All required documentation must be received by 5 October 2018.
   Incomplete packages will not be reviewed by the board.

3. Reference (a) provides application procedures and requirements.
   Chapters 1, 2, and 5 should be read in their entirety. Additional
   application information can be found at
   http://www.med.navy.mil/sites/nmpdc/professional-
   development/SitePages/Enlisted%20Commissioning%20Programs.aspx.
   Applicants must not have reached their 42nd birthday by the time of initial
   commission. Age waivers will not be granted. A MARADMIN will outline
   conditional release procedures for active-duty Marines who are selected to
   participate in the program.

4. Amplifying information for the AY-19 NC MECP selection board.
   a. Applicants assigned to a nuclear training command or who hold a Navy
   nuclear enlisted classification (335X, 336X, 338X, 339X) and are applying for
   the AY-19 NC MECP selection board must obtain conditional release from
   nuclear field duty prior to submitting their application for consideration
for the AY-19 selection board. To obtain a conditional release, applicants must submit an Enlisted Personnel Action Request (NAVPERS 1036/7) to the Chief of Naval Operations Nuclear Propulsion Program Management Branch via their detailer. The AY-19 NC MECP selection board will only consider nuclear enlisted candidates who have a conditional release included in their program application.

b. For applicants not assigned to nuclear programs listed in paragraph 4a: Applicants under obligated training require a conditional release from their enlisted community manager (ECM). To obtain a conditional release, applicants must submit a NAVPERS 1306/7 to their ECM. The AY-19 NC MECP selection board will only consider enlisted candidates who have a conditional release included in their program application.

5. Once approved, board results will be released and posted at the Navy Medicine Professional Development Command (NAVMED PDC) website: http://www.med.navy.mil/sites/nmpdc/professional-development/sitepages/.

6. Point of contact is Ms. Beverly Kemp, NAVMED PDC Code HMDT, and can be reached at (301) 319-4520/DSN 285, or via e-mail at beverly.d.kemp.civ(at)mail.mil.

7. This NAVADMIN will remain in effect until superseded or 30 September 2019, whichever occurs first.

8. Released by Vice Admiral R. P. Burke, N1.//

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