

Campaigns & Expeditions That Qualify for Veterans Preference

Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal (AFEM) A veteran's DD Form 214 showing the award of any Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal is acceptable proof. The DD form 214 does not have to show the name of the theater or country of service for which that medal was awarded.

<i>Campaign or Expedition (Date Order)</i>	<i>Inclusive Dates</i>	
	<i>From</i>	<i>To</i>
Afghanistan (Operation Iraqi Freedom)	3/19/2003	present
Iraq (Operation Iraqi Freedom (OIF))	3/19/2003	present
Afghanistan (Operation Enduring Freedom)	10/24/2001	present
Iraq (Operation Enduring Freedom (OEF))	10/24/2001	present
Global War on Terrorism	9/11/2001	present
Kosovo Campaign Medal (Operation Joint Guardian)	6/11/1999	to be determined
Kosovo Campaign Medal (Operation Task Force Falcon)	6/11/1999	to be determined
Kosovo Campaign Medal (Operation Task Force Hawk)	4/5/1999	6/24/1999
Kosovo Campaign Medal (Oper Sustain & Shining Hope)	4/4/1999	7/10/1999
Kosovo Campaign Medal (Operation Allied Harbor)	4/4/1999	9/1/1999
Kosovo Campaign Medal (Operation Task Force Hunter)	4/1/1999	11/1/1999
Kosovo Campaign Medal (Operation Task Force Saber)	3/31/1999	7/8/1999
Kosovo	3/24/1999	present
Kosovo Campaign Medal (Operation Noble Anvil)	3/24/1999	7/20/1999
Kosovo Campaign Medal (Operation Allied Force)	3/24/1999	6/10/1999
Iraq (Operation Desert Spring)	12/31/1998	12/31/2002 (proj)
Persian Gulf (Operation Desert Fox)	12/16/1998	12/22/1998
Persian Gulf (Operation Desert Thunder)	11/11/1998	12/22/1998
Bosnia (Operation Joint Forge)	6/21/1998	present
Iraq (Operation Northern Watch)	1/1/1997	present
Bosnia (Operation Joint Guard)	12/20/1996	6/20/1998
Persian Gulf (Intercept Operation)	12/1/1995	present
Persian Gulf (Operation Southern Watch)	12/1/1995	present
Persian Gulf (Operation Vigilant Sentinel)	12/1/1995	2/1/1997
Bosnia (Operation Joint Endeavor)	11/20/1995	12/20/1996
Haiti (Operation Uphold Democracy)	9/16/1994	3/31/1995
Rwanda (Operation Distant Runner)	4/7/1994	4/118/1994
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Somalia (Operations Restore Hope & United Shield)	12/5/1992	3/31/1995
Southwest Asia Service Medal (Oper Desert Shield & Storm)	8/2/1990	11/30/1995
Liberia (Operation Sharp Edge)	8/5/1990	2/21/1991
Panama	2/1/1990	6/13/1990
Panama (Operation Just Cause)	12/20/1989	1/31/1990
Persian Gulf (Operation Earnest Will)	7/24/1987	8/1/1990
Persian Gulf	2/1/1987	7/23/1987
Libian Area (Operation Eldorado Canyon)	4/12/1986	4/17/1986
Libyan Area	1/20/1986	6/27/1986
Grenada (Operation Urgent Fury)	10/23/1983	11/21/1983
Lebanon	6/1/1983	12/1/1987
Lebanon	8/20/1982	5/31/1983
El Salvador	1/1/1981	2/1/1992
Panama	4/1/1980	12/19/1986
Indian Ocean/Iran	11/21/1979	10/20/1981
Iranian/Yemen/Indian Ocean	12/8/1978	6/6/1979
Mayaguez Operation	5/15/1975	5/15/1975

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	From	To
Viernam Evacuation (Operation Frequent Wind)	4/29/1975	4/30/1975
Cambodia Evacuation (Operation Eagle Pull)	4/11/1975	4/13/1975
Cambodia	3/29/1973	8/15/1973
Korea	10/1/1966	6/30/1974
Vietnam Service Medal	7/4/1965	3/28/1973
Dominican Republic	4/28/1965	9/21/1966
Congo	11/23/1964	11/27/1964
Cuba	10/24/1962	6/1/1963
Thailand	5/16/1962	8/10/1962
Berlin	8/14/1961	6/1/1963
Laos	4/19/1961	10/7/1962
Cuba	1/3/1961	10/23/1962
Congo	7/14/1960	9/1/1962
Quemoy & Matsu Islands	12/23/1958	6/1/1963
Taiwan Straits	8/23/1958	1/1/1959
Lebanon	7/1/1958	11/1/1958
Vietnam (including Thailand)	7/1/1958	6/3/1965
Korea Defense Service Medal	7/28/1954	to be determined
Korean Service	6/27/1950	7/27/1954
Japan, Army Occupation of	9/3/1945	4/27/1952
Chinese Service Medal (Extended)	9/2/1945	4/1/1957
Austria, Army Occupation of	5/9/1945	7/27/1955
Berlin, Army Occupation of	5/9/1945	10/2/1990
Germany, Army Occupation of (Except Berlin)	5/9/1945	5/5/1955
Units of the Sixth Fleet (Navy)	5/9/1945	10/25/1955
Austria, Navy Occupation of	5/8/1945	10/25/1954
Trieste, Navy Occupation of	5/8/1945	10/25/1954
World War II	12/7/1941	12/31/1946

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