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As the calendar year ends, CAP is excited to share the latest updates and achievements from the first quarter of FY2025. This CAPtions News Bulletin highlights key strategic initiatives and activities.

CAP is thrilled to welcome Ms. Kameelah Montgomery as the director starting January 13, 2025. With her experience and fresh ideas, the staff is excited to begin the new year under her leadership.

CAP has processed over **1,571** accommodation requests this fiscal year, showcasing the staff's dedication to exceptional service. Thank you for being so supportive as CAP closes 2024 strong and look forward to new opportunities in 2025!





CAP staff presenting at NDEAM event.



CAP staff hosting at Pentagon table

Request an Accommodation

- 1. Visit cap.mil
- 2. Log in and register for an account with a CAC card.
- 3. Click the "accommodations" header at the top of the page.
- 4. Select the appropriate disability category and review the available accommodations.
- 5. Add the selected accommodations to the card. Click "view cart."
- 6. Answer any required questions and click "Request these accommodations." The CAP website will walk through the rest of the request form.
- 7. Please contact the CAP staff at cap@mail.mil if you need assistance submitting a request.

Celebrate Warrior Care Month



November is Warrior Care Month, observed annually since 2008 to highlight resources for wounded, ill, and injured Service Members, their families, and caregivers. Acting Under Secretary of Defense for Personnel and Readiness, Mr. Vazirani, stated, "Many professionals within the department work year-round to ensure that exceptional care is provided to Service members... I ask you to become more informed about available resources, explore new ways to help our wounded, ill, and injured Service members realize their potential, and foster even greater discourse about these efforts." CAP supported Warrior Care Month with various events and activities.

Air Force Day of Healing Care Fair

On November 18th, CAP attended the annual Air Force Day of Healing Care Fair at the National Harbor in Washington, DC. Wounded warriors, their families, and caregivers were invited to explore the services and assistive technology devices that may be provided by CAP to support their recovery and reintegration into the workforce.

Recovery Coordination Advisory Council Briefing

During November, CAP partnered with the Defense Health Agency Office of the Warrior Care Recovery Coordination Program to support Warrior Care Month activities. In addition, CAP provided a comprehensive briefing for the Recovery Coordination Advisory Council (RCAC) by providing a program overview and emphasizing the resources available to wounded, ill, and injured Service members through CAP.

Looking Ahead

As Warrior Care Month drew to a close, CAP remained steadfast in its dedication to supporting wounded, ill, and injured Service members year-round. Through ongoing programs, partnerships, and emphasis on the employment lifecycle, CAP will continue to highlight the challenges faced by the military community and the resources available to support their recovery and reintegration into the workforce.

Request CAP at your event



Planning an agency event? Invite CAP to enhance your event with expert presentations on assistive technology devices and strategies for improving accessibility and inclusion. To request CAP at your event, visit our website.

https://cap.mil/request-cap-at-your-event

News

Exciting Announcement

CAP is excited to announce that, effective December 1, 2024, the Defense Human Resources Activity (DHRA)'s Workforce Recruitment Program (WRP), formerly the Disability Programs Directorate, integrated into CAP. This alignment represents the opportunity to strengthen both programs through a unified mission while effectively supporting the DoD enterprise.



LaTasha Oglesby (<u>latasha.s.oglesby.civ@mail.mil</u>) will serve as the DoD WRP Program Lead. This integration does not impact regular DOL WRP operations. Stay tuned for more information from this integrated staff.

Funding Announcement



CAP is pleased to report that partial funding has been secured! Since November, CAP has been fulfilling approved accommodation requests, ensuring that DoD employees and active duty Service members receive the assistive technology devices and services essential for their job performance. To date, CAP has ordered 2276 accommodations in FY 2025.

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