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Please review the listed websites and if you have any questions please don't hesitate to contact your Sponsor or the FFSC Relocation Assistance Program.

WEBSITES about Fort Meade:

www.militaryhomefront.dod.mil	Plan My Move and Military Installations	
www.militaryonesource.com	Safety and Crime reports / Community Comparisons / School Reports	
www.fcc.navy.mil	Fleet Cyber Command/Commander Tenth Fleet website	
www.ftmeade.army.mil	Fort Meade's website / Ft Meade Facebook	
www.ftmeademwr.com	MWR website, Lots of fun stuff in the area with major discounts!	
QUICK LOOK at Fort Meade Statistics:		

* Fort Meade is located in Anne Arundel County - www.aacounty.org

- * Fort Meade and National Security Agency (NSA) equals the largest employers in the State of MD.
- * Fort Meade and NSA contribute nearly \$4 Billion to the Maryland Economy.
- * Fort Meade has the 4th largest workforce of Army installations in the continental United States.
- * Fort Meade is one of the largest Joint Service Centers in the U.S.

(A true purple installation, Army, Navy, Air Force and Marines are stationed at Fort Meade and NSA) **MOVING and MONEY \$\$\$**

www.move.mil The Official DOD website to set up your PCS move

BAH rates at Defense Travel.dod.mil/site/bah Ft Meade zip code is 20755.

Ft Meade is located in a high cost area.

www.annualcreditreport.comReview your free Credit Report once a year!

Get more financial information and assistance from FFSC Financial Management Program 301-677-9017 and start on your financial path to becoming the millionaire next door!

LODGING - ABRAMS HALL (located on Ft Meade) 410-674-7700 or 301-677-5660

Reservations accepted 90 days in advance. PCS orders have priority.

Remember no pets allowed. Call Family Pet Care Center Lodging and Doggie Day Care on Fort Meade for kennel availability at 301-677-4059.

EXTENDED STAY HOTELS in the area with kitchenettes: (FFSC cannot endorse any hotel or franchise)

Remember to ask for a Military Discount / FYI- All Pet Deposits vary from \$15.00 to \$150.00 Columbia.hilton.com / Homewoodsuites.com / ExtendedStayHotels.com

Ask RCI Housing Office for more choices, 301-677-7748

HOUSING – ON POST Corvias Military Living (DoD Civilian availability also)

Experience the convenience of living on post at Corvias Housing Center 410-305-1258 / 1-866-525-HOME Rent is equal to your BAH and currently includes averaging utilities and trash pickup.

Cable and phone service are not included. Comcast and Verizon are local on post suppliers.

TIP: For all military, if you decide to live Off Post but later decide to move On Post, the move will be paid for.See RCI Housing Office. You will not be reimbursed after the move; you must contact them before the move.HOUSING - OFF POSTCurrently, Single Navy personnel E-3 and above are authorized to live Off-PostRCI Housing Office Phone 301-677-7748Hours: 0730-1700 Monday - Friday

A huge selection of Off Post Housing and Set-Aside properties listings. Easy and convenient, tell them what you are looking for and receive a print out to get you started on your new rental home search! If you are looking at

buying a home in the Ft Meade area, they also have a wall of realtor information. *RCI does not endorse any realtor*. **TIP – Ask about the** <u>Set Aside Properties</u>; Landlords waive many deposit fees and may reduce the rent by 5% - 10% when you pay rent by direct allotment.

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HOUSING - OFF POST

Rentals: www.ahrn.com (Automated Housing Referral Network) is a Department of Defense-sponsored site featuring available off-base housing rentals for service members stateside and overseas.

www.militarybyowner.com Local Rentals and Homes for Sale:

www.crimereports.com Check on your new area by zip code, Fort Meade zip code is 20755

www.bge.com Baltimore Gas and Electric Utilities

OFF LIMITS AREA Every Post has an Off-Limits Area and the area of Meade Village located on Reece Road, 1 mile out from the Main Gate (Reece Gate) of Fort Meade and Arwell Court (2 block area) located at The Orchards at Severn in Severn, MD are designated as Off-Limits. You will <u>not</u> receive any BAH if you chose to live in these areas.

TELEMARKETER LIST www.donotcall.gov Remove your name from Telemarketer's Calling List

GATE to FORT MEADE: Reece Gate is the only gate open 24 hours, 7 days a week. Reece Gate is off Rte 175

SPEED LIMIT on Ft Meade

Remember on Post, the speed limit is posted and ranges from 15 mph to 45 mph[®] Also, watch out for the deer!

<u>PETS</u>

Fort Meade Veterinary Treatment Facility 301-677-1300 Routine Vet care by appt.

All dogs and cats living in post housing must be micro-chipped. Ft Meade Vet can micro-chip.

Ft Meade Family Pet Care Center Lodging & Doggie Day Care 301-677-4059, Kennel for 28 dogs & 14 cats **www.petswelcome.com** General information and lodging on moving with pets. (*Army Lodge doesn't take pets*)

Family Members: Exceptional Family Member Program (EFMP) If enrolled please contact FFSC EFMP before transferring to get connected before you arrive. 301-677-9017

CHILDREN

Don't forget to ask for our Children's E-Welcome Packet - give them ownership of the move too! <u>Important Tip:</u> When enrolling your child in school, on or off post, tell the school and the school counselor your child is a military child! It is important for funding and for your child's education.

MEDICAL CARE

www.tricare.mil – Remember, if you are leaving your Tricare Region, you must re-enroll into your new Tricare Region. This is **not** done automatically. Tricare is NOT DEERS!

Kimbrough Ambulatory Care Center, Ft Meade - Open business hours Monday-Friday, no emergency room. www.kacc.narmc.amedd.army.mil

Walter Reed National Military Medical Center, Bethesda, MD – Full Hospital / 60-90 minute commute www.bethesda.med.navy.mil

Andrews AFB Malcolm Grow Medical Center – Full Hospital / 45-60 minutes commute www.andrews.af.mil

Johns Hopkins Medical for Dependents An alternative to Tri-Care/ you will not be in the military pharmacy system and must pay a small amount for your prescription drugs, \$3.00 and \$9.00. **www.hopkinsmedicine.org/usfhp**

<u>SPOUSE EMPLOYMENT</u> PCS Spouses use the Military Spouse Preference 13473 for federal employment.

FFSC Family Employment Readiness Program – 301-677-9017 Simplify your job search, one stop shopping for all your employment needs, Employment Counseling; Resume writing; Internship & Scholarship Information; Job Search Strategies and Federal Employment and Interviewing Skills. Take a class and then have a mock interview. www.usajobs.gov & www.army.cpol.mil for federal jobs.

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www.aacounty.org - Anne Arundel employment www.maryland.gov - State of MD employment

MILTARY EDUCATION SERVICE 301-677-6421 (www.ftmeade.army.mil)

The Fort Meade Education Center offers education programs and services. Offices on Fort Meade.

Anne Arundel Community College	410-672-2117	www.aacc.edu
University of Maryland	301-621-9882	www.udm.edu
Central Michigan University	301-621-9796	www.cmich.edu

<u>RELIGIOUS SERVICES</u> 301-677-6703 / 7842 Chapel activities include worship services, pastoral counseling, religious education, Bible studies, various youth, women's, men's groups and a variety of special events. **All Faiths welcome**. Call for more information on the different services and volunteering opportunities.

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES – Get Involved!

Volunteer for Saturday Scholars or Habitat for Humanity, help at a Ravens game or help out at the FFSC! To get involved contact the Command Volunteer Coordinator at 443-634-4599.

MWR FITNESS CENTERS & SWIMMING POOLS, Bowling Center, Theater and Golf Course!

Stay active! Check out the MWR Website for more information at www.ftmeade.mwr.com

MWR INFORMATION, TICKETS, & RESERVATIONS 301-677-7354

for all your TicketMaster needs and don't forget the easy bus trips to New York City or the ski trips to the Poconos!

NEARBY SHOPPING

Ft Meade Commissary Evening hours till 2100 and Early Bird hours starting at 0700 www.commissaries.com Main Post Exchange, Towne Center on Fort Meade (by the Commissary) Arundel Mills Mall, 10 minutes from Ft Meade http://www.simon.com/mall

LOCATION, LOCATION, LOCATION Fort Meade is located between Washington, D.C. and Baltimore MD. Ft Meade lies 5 miles east of Interstate 95 and one-half mile east of the Baltimore-Washington Parkway, between Maryland State routes 175 and 198. Ft Meade is located near the communities of Odenton, Hanover, Glen Burnie, Ellicott, Laurel, Columbia, and Jessup.

TOURISM

Location, Location! One of the greatest assets about being stationed at Ft Meade! www.maryland.gov (includes information on the MARC Train to the Washington DC Metro)

www.annapolis.gov and www.baltimore.org

www.dchomepage.net and www.washington.org and www.dcpages.org

Good Tip: Before going into Washington DC, check the websites for parades, marches, festivals, and other events, DC Traffic is not a myth but a reality O

AIRPÖRTS

The nearest airport is Baltimore Washington International Airport, 15 minutes from Fort Meade. **www.bwiairport.com**

Ronald Reagan Washington National Airport is about 31 miles away, 60 minute drive depending on DC traffic. **www.mwaa.com**

Washington Dulles International Airport is about 52 miles away, 60 - 120 minutes depending on DC traffic. **www.mwaa.com**

If you have questions, please email the FFSC Relocation Office at karol.yox@navy.mil

or call 301-677-9017. FFSC looks forward to seeing you at Fort Meade!

Thank you for your service to our country