

## SEPARATION REASON CODES

### *Military Separation Reason Codes (Separation Program Numbers) Alphabetical Codes*

*These codes are contained in your military records and may be annotated on various military separation documents.*

B70 - Death, Battle Casualty - Navy	FBC - Other
B79 - Death, Battle Casualty - Navy	FBK - Expiration of Term of Service
BDK - Security reason	FBL - Expiration of Term of Service
BFS - Good of the Service, conduct triable by court martial	FCM - Conscientious Objector
BHJ - Unsuitability (Reason Unknown)	FDF - Pregnancy
BHK - Unsuitability, substandard performance	FDG - Parenthood
BKC - See BRA	FDL - See JDL
BLC - Homosexuality	FFT - Physical standards, no disability
BLF - Drug use	FGM - To accept commission
BLM - Unfitness (Reason Unknown)	FHC - In lieu of discharge
BML - Homosexuality	FHG - Serving under suspended sentence to dismissal
BMN - Unsuitability (Reason Unknown)	FKD - AWOL, Desertion
BNC - Misconduct, Misconduct, moral or professional dereliction or in interests of national security	FND - Misc. reasons (Unqualified resignation)
BRA - Engaged or attempted to engage in, or solicited another to engage in homosexual act(s)	GDK - Security reason
BRB - See JRB, BKC	GFN - Released for Conditions Existing Prior to Service
BRC - See JRC, BKC	GFT - Unqualified for Active Duty - Other
CBL - Unsuitability (Reason Unknown)	GFV - Unqualified for Active Duty - Other
DCH - Early Release - To teach	GHF - Other
DER - Disability - Non EPTS - No Severance Pay	GHJ - Unsuitability (Reason Unknown)
DFS - Good of the Service, conduct triable by court martial	GHK - Unsuitability (Reason Unknown)
DLC - Homosexuality	GJB - Court Martial
EKD - AWOL, Desertion	GKA - Discreditable Incidents - Civilian or Military
	GKB - Civil Court conviction
	GKC - Homosexuality

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GKD - AWOL, Desertion

GKE - Financial Irresponsibility

GKG - Fraudulent Entry

GKH - Lack of Dependent Support

GKK - Drug use

GKL - Sexual Perversion

GKQ - No listing at this time. However, all GK - Series appears ineligible for re - enlistment.

GKS - AWOL, Desertion

GLB - Discreditable Incidents - Civilian or Military

GLC - Homosexuality

GLF - Drug use

GLG - Financial Irresponsibility

GLH - Lack of Dependent Support

GLJ - Shirking

GLK - Unsanitary Habits

GLL - Sexual Perversion

GMB - Character or Behavior Disorder

GMC - Enuresis

GMD - Inaptitude

GMF - Sexual Perversion

GMG - Alcoholism

GMH - Financial Irresponsibility

GMJ - Motivational problems

GMJ - Shirking

GMK - Character or Behavior Disorder

GML - Homosexuality

GMM - Drug use

GMN - Unsuitability (Reason Unknown)

GMP - Unsanitary Habits

GNC - Misconduct (Reason Unknown)

GPB - Drug use

H21 - H23 - Death - , Non - Battle, Other (USMC)

H25 - H59 - Death, Non - Battle, Other (USMC)

H31 - Death, Non - Battle, Other (USMC)

H4G - Death, Non - Battle, Other (USMC)

H51 - Death, Non - Battle, Other (USMC)

H61 - 1169 - Death, Battle Casualty - Marine

HBF - Early Release - To attend school

HCR - No listing at this time.

HDF - Pregnancy

HDK - Security reason

HFT - Unqualified for Active Duty - Other

HFV - Unqualified for Active Duty - Other

HGH - [No definition for this code at this time]

HHJ - Unsuitability (Reason Unknown)

HJB - Court Martial

HKA - Discreditable Incidents - Civilian or Military

HKB - Civil Court conviction

HKD - AWOL, Desertion

HKE - AWOL, Desertion

HKE - Financial Irresponsibility

HKG - Fraudulent Entry.

HKH - Lack of Dependent Support

HKJ - Shirking

HKK - Drug use

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HKL - Sexual Perversion	JBB - Other
HKQ - No information on file	JBC - Other
HLB - Discreditable Incidents - Civilian or Military	JBD - Retirement - 20 - 30 Years Service
HLC - Homosexuality	JBH - Other
HLF - Drug use	JBK - Expiration of Term of Service
HLG - Financial Irresponsibility	JBK - Involuntary discharge at end active obligated service, USN - Enlisted
HLH - Lack of Dependent Support	JBM - Early Release - Insufficient time left in service after returning from overseas or other duty
HLJ - Shirking	JBM - Within 3 months of end active obligated service, USN - Enlisted
HLK - Unsanitary Habits	JCC - Early Release - Reduction in authorized strength
HLL - Sexual Perversion	JCC - General demobilization. Reduction in authorized strength, USN - Enlisted
HMB - Character or Behavior Disorder	JCM - Conscientious Objector
HMC - Enuresis	JCP - Other, Alien not lawfully admitted
HMD - Inaptitude	JDA - Fraudulent entry
HMF - - Sexual Perversion	JDF - Pregnancy
HMG - Alcoholism	JDG - Parenthood
HMJ - Motivational problems	JDJ - Early Release - In the national interest
HMM - Drug use	JDK - Security reason
HMN - Financial Irresponsibility	JDL - Withdrawal of ecclesiastical endorsement
HMN - Unsuitability (Reason Unknown)	JDM - Early Release - Other
HMP - Unsanitary Habits	JDN - Lack of jurisdiction (other than void enlistment)
HNB - Character or Behavior Disorder	JDP - Breach of Contract
HNC - Misconduct (Reason Unknown)	JDR - Early Release - Other
HPD - No information at this time	JDR - Strength reduction first term airman, USAF
HRC - Homosexuality	JDT - USN, USMC, Failure to meet minimum qualifications for Retention
HRG - No information at this time	JED - Early Release - Insufficient Retainability
HWL - Homosexuality	
J11 - USAF Other	
JBB - Involuntary discharge, age, USAF	

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JEH - USAF Expeditious Discharge

JEM - Army Trainee Discharge

JEM - USAF Expeditious Discharge

JEM - USN, USMC Failure to meet minimum qualifications for Retention

JET - Army Trainee Discharge

JET - USAF Trainee Discharge (See also JGA)

JFA - No description at this time.

JFB - Minority, Underage

JFBI - Physical disability that existed prior to entry was revealed by Marine during enlistment processing and was waived by FEES or higher headquarters, USMC

JFC - Enlisted/reenlisted/extended/inducted in error/ Erroneous Enlistment or Induction

JFC1- Erroneous enlistment; a medical board determined that Marine failed to meet required physical standards for enlistment. Marine was not aware of defect and defect was not detected or waived by AFEES, USMC

JFF - Secretarial Authority

JFG(1 - 7) - USMC Other, for the Good of the Service

JFG(9) - USMC Trainee Discharge

JFG(B) - USMC Expeditious Discharge

JFG - Army, Navy, USAF Discharge by competent authority w/o Board Action. (Failure to resign – failed to meet entrance physical requirement)

JFL - Physical Disability - Severance Pay or Juvenile Offender

JFL - Physical disability. entitled to severance pay., USN - Officers

JFL1 - Physical disability with severance pay, USAF

JFL2 -Physical disability that existed prior to service but was aggravated by the Service, with severance pay, USAF

JFM - Physical disability existing prior to entry on active duty established by physical evaluation board proceedings. Not entitled to severance pay., USN- Enlisted

JFM - Physical disability existing prior to service as established by physical evaluation board. Not entitled to severance pay., USN Officers

JFM - Released for Conditions Existing Prior to Service

JFM2 - Physical disability that existed prior to entry disability was unknown by Marine but was detected and waived by AFEES or higher headquarters, USMC

JFM3 - Physical disability that existed prior to entry for any reason not falling within the purview of JFM1 or JFM2, USMC

JFN - Physical disability existing prior to service as established by medical board. not entitled to severance pay., USN - Officers

JFN - Released for Conditions Existing Prior to Service

JFN1 - Physical disability determined by a medical board that existed prior to entry disability was revealed by Marine during enlistment processing and waived by AFEES or higher headquarters, USMC

JFN2 - Physical disability determined by a medical board that existed prior to entry disability was unknown to Marine but detected and waived by AFELS or higher headquarters, USMC

JFN3 - Physical disability determined by a medical board that existed prior to entry; any reason not falling within the purview of JFN1 or JFN2, USMC

JFP - Misconduct (Reason Unknown) or disability not in the line of duty

JFR - Disability - Non EPTS - No Severance Pay

JFR - Physical disability not existing prior to entry on active duty established by physical evaluation board processing. Not entitled to severance pay USN - Enlisted

JFR1 - Physical disability that existed prior to service and not aggravated by the Service, without severance pay, USMC

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JFS - See KFS

JFT - Unqualified for Active Duty - Other

JFV - Physical condition, not a disability, interfering with performance of duty, USN - Enlisted

JFV1 - Discharge because of a physical condition which is not disabling, involuntary, USMC

JFV5 - Medical board determination of obesity, USMC

JFV6 - Discharge because of a physical condition which is not disabling (Pseudofolliculitis Barbae), USMC

JFX - Personality disorder (See also JMB)

JFW - No definition on file at this time.

JG7 - Army, Navy, USMC Failure to meet minimum qualifications for Retention

JG7 - USAF Trainee Discharge

JGA - Entry level status performance and conduct or entry level status performance –pregnancy

JGB - Failure of selection for permanent promotion

JGB - Failure to select for promotion. not retirement eligible, USN - Officers

JGC - Failure to select for promotion. not retirement eligible, USN - Officers

JGC1- Failure of selection for promotion, USAF

JGF - Failure to meet minimum qualifications for Retention

JGH - Army, Air Force Expeditious Discharge

JGH - USN, USMC Failure to meet minimum qualifications for Retention

JHD - Disqualified from officer candidate training physical, USN - Enlisted

JHD - Navy Expeditious Discharge

JHD - Other

JHE - Failure to meet minimum qualifications for retention

JHF - Failed to meet course standards

JHJ - Army, USMC, USAF Unsuitability (Reason Unknown)/ Unsatisfactory performance

JHK - Unsuitability, substandard performance

JHM - Misconduct (Reason Unknown)

JIV - Unqualified for Active Duty - Other

JJB - Court Martial

JJC - Court Martial, Desertion

JJD - Court Martial, Other

JKA - Discreditable Incidents - Civilian or Military

JKB - Civil Court conviction

JKC - Homosexuality

JKD - AWOL, Desertion

JKE - Financial Irresponsibility

JKF - Army, Navy Air Force AWOL, Desertion

JKG - Fraudulent Entry

JKH - Lack of Dependent Support

JKJ - See JHJ

JKK - Character or Behavior Disorder (see also JPC)

JKK - Drug use

JKL - Sexual Perversion (see also JPD)

JKL - Shirking

JKM - Misconduct, pattern of misconduct (See also JKE)

JKN - Misconduct, minor disciplinary infractions (See also JKF)

JKQ - Misconduct, commission of a serious offense (See also JKH)

JKV - Unsanitary Habits

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JLB - Discreditable Incidents - Civilian or Military

JLC - Homosexuality

JLF - Drug use

JLG - Financial Irresponsibility

JLH - Lack of Dependent Support

JLJ - Shirking

JLK - Unsanitary Habits

JLL - Sexual Perversion

JMB - Character or Behavior Disorder

JMC - Enuresis

JMD - Inaptitude

JMF - Sexual Perversion

JMG - Alcoholism

JMH - Financial Irresponsibility

JMJ - Motivational problems

JML - Homosexuality

JMM - Drug use

JMN - Navy, USMC, USAF Unsuitability (Reason Unknown)

JMP - Unsanitary Habits

JNC - Misconduct, moral or professional dereliction

JND - Other, Concealment of arrest record

JNF - Army Trainee Discharge

JNF - Navy, USMC, USAF Other

JNG - Unfitness (Reason Unknown)

JPB - Drug use

JPC - Drug abuse rehabilitative failure

JPD - Alcohol abuse rehabilitative failure

JRA - Engaged, attempted to engage or solicit another to engage in a homosexual act

JRB - Admission of Homosexuality or bisexuality

JRC - Marriage or attempted marriage to a person known to be of the same biological sex

KAK - Expiration of Term of Service

KBD - Retirement - 20 - 30 Years Service

KBH - Other

KBJ - Other

KBK - Normal expiration of Service

KBM - Early Release - Precluded from attaining eligibility for retirement with pay

KCC - Early Release - Other

KCE - Early Release - To attend school

KCF - Early Release - To attend school

KCK - Early Release - In the national interest

KCM - Conscientious Objector

KCO - Sole surviving son

KCP - Other

KCQ - See MCQ

KDB - Dependency or Hardship

KDF - Pregnancy

KDG - Parenthood

KDH - Dependency or Hardship

KDJ - Early Release - In the national interest

KDK - Security program

KDM - Early Release - Other

KDM1 - Marine Corps order applicable to all members of a class, USMC

KDN - Other

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KDP - Breach of Contract	KHF - Other
KDQ - Breach of Contract	KHK - Substandard performance
KDR - Early Release - Other	KLG - Financial Irresponsibility
KDS - Breach of Contract	KLM - Unfitness (Reason Unknown)
KEA - Expiration of Term of Service	KMN - Army Expeditious Discharge
KEB - Early Release - Other -	KNC - See BNC
KEC - Expiration of Term of Service	KND - No definition on this code at this time
KFB - Minority	KNF - Other
KFF - Secretarial Authority, to be discharged or retire as an officer	KNL - Good of the Service
KFG - Other	KOG - Early Release - Police Duty
KFN - Released for Physical disability Existing Prior to service	KOJ - Early Release - Seasonal Employment
KFS - Good of the Service, in lieu of court martial	L68 - Involuntary release: nonselection for Indefinite Reserve status, USAF
KFT - Failure to qualify medically for flight training, no disability	LBB - Involuntary release maximum age, USN -Officers
KFV - Unqualified for Active Duty - Other	LBB - Maximum age
KGF - Failure to meet minimum qualifications for retention	LBC - Involuntary release completion of maximum period service according to grade, USN- Officers
KGH - No information on this code at this time.	LBC - Maximum service
KGL - Officer or Warrant Officer Commission program	LBH - Early Release - Insufficient Retainability
KGM - Officer Commission program	LBK - Expiration of Term of Service
KGN - Officer Warrant Officer Commission program in another service	LBK - Involuntary discharge at end active obligated service, USN - Enlisted
KGS - Officer Commission program	LBM - Navy, USMC, USAF Short length of time remaining after return from overseas or other duty
KGT - Warrant Officer program	LBM - Within 3 months of end active obligated service, USN - Enlisted
KGU - Service Academy	LCC - Early Release - Reduction in authorized strength
KGX - Officer Commission program	LCC - General demobilization. reduction in force, USN-Enlisted
KHC - Immediate reenlistment	
KHD - Other	

## SEPARATION REASON CODES

LDG - Inability to perform prescribed duties due to parenthood

LDK - Security reason

LDL - See JDL

LDM - Strength adjustment, USN - Officers

LDN - Early Release - Lack of jurisdiction (other than void enlistment)

LDP - Breach of Contract

LDP6 - Nonfulfillment of service contract convenience of the government, with breach of contract payment, USAF

LDP7 - Nonfulfillment of service contract, with breach of contract and readjustment payment, USAF

LDP8 - Nonfulfillment of service contract. failure of selection for promotion, with breach of contract payment, USAF

LDP9 - Nonfulfillment of service contract request for extension of active duty disapproved, with breach of contract and readjustment payment, USAF

LDPA - Nonfulfillment of service contract failure of selection for promotion, with breach of contract and readjustment payment, USAF

LDPB - Nonfulfillment of service contract convenience of the government, with readjustment payment, USAF

LDPC - Nonfulfillment of service contract, with readjustment payment, USAF

LDPD - Nonfulfillment of service contract termination of extended active duty, with breach of contract payment, USAF

LDR - Early Release - Other

LED - CONUS based airman lacks retainability for assignment, USAF

LED - Early Release - Insufficient Retainability

LET - Entry level status performance and conduct or pregnancy

LFC - Erroneous entry

LFF - Directed by service authority

LFG - Other

LFN - Physical disability existing prior to service as established by medical board. not entitled to severance pay., USN - Officers

LFR - Revert to inactive status. Retire age 60. No disability severance pay, USAF

LFT - Erroneous Enlistment or Induction or unqualified for Active Duty - Medical

LGA - See LET

LGB - Failure of selection for permanent promotion

LGB - Failure of selection for permanent reserve promotion, USN – Officers

LGB - Involuntary release. Failed permanent promotion or removed from list, USAF

LGC - Failure of selection for temporary promotion

LGC - Involuntary release: twice failed temporary promotion, USAF

LGH - Failure to meet minimum standards of service

LGI - Early Release - Disapproval of request for extension of service

LGI - Involuntary release: disapproved request for extension of tour, USAF

LGI - Request for extension of active duty denied (USNR), USN - Officers

LGI1 - Request for extension of service denied upon initial EAS without readjustment pay/not selected for retention, USAF

LGI2 - Request for extension of service denied upon extended EAS without readjustment pay/not selected for retention, USAF

LHD - Other

LHF - Navy, USMC, USAF Other



## SEPARATION REASON CODES

LHH - Service under sentence to dismissal awaiting appellate review

LHJ - Unsatisfactory performance

LIF - Secretarial Authority

LLM - Army Trainee Discharge

LMJ - See LHJ

LND - Misc. reasons (medical service personnel who receive unfavorable background investigation or National Agency check

LNF - Army Trainee Discharge

MBD - Hardship

MBH - Early Release - Insufficient Retainability

MBK - Completion of active duty service commitment or expiration of term of service, USAF

MBK - Expiration of Term of Service

MBN - (ANGUS) (USAFR) Release from active duty completion of required service, USAF

MBN - Expiration of Term of Service

MCF - To attend educational facility

MCK - Early Release - In the national interest

MCQ - Sole surviving son, daughter or family member

MDB - Hardship

MDF - Pregnancy

MDG - Parenthood

MDH - Dependency or Hardship

MDJ - National interest

MDL - Early Release - To attend school

MDM - Early Release - Other

MDN - Other

MDP - Breach of Contract

MDR - Early Release - Other

MDS - Breach of Contract

MEB - Early Release - Other

MEC - Completed extended enlistment, USAF

MEC - Erroneous Enlistment or Induction

MEC - Expiration of Term of Service

MFA - Expiration of Term of Service

MFF - Secretarial Authority

MFG - Other

MGC - Early Release - Other

MGH - Warrant Officer program

MGJ - Early Release - Other

MGM - To accept commission

MGO-Early Release- Police Duty or Seasonal Employment

MGP - Interdepartmental transfer

MGR - Revert to Regular Army warrant officer status

MGU - To enter Service Academy

MGX - Officer Commission program

MHC - Immediate enlistment

MND - Misc. reasons (in lieu of serving in lower grade than Reserve grade or by request – includes MC and DC officers) or in lieu of unqualified resignation

MNF - Other

MOD - Sole surviving son

MOJ - Early Release - In the national interest

NBD - Retirement - 20 - 30 Years Service

NDB - Dependency or Hardship

NDH - Early Release - To teach

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NEF - Secretarial Authority	SGB - Failure of selection for promotion, permanent, USN – Officers
NET - Unqualified for Active Duty - Other	SGB - Retired on established date nonselection permanent promotion or retained for retirement nonselection permanent promotion, USAF
NVC - Erroneous Enlistment or Induction	SGC - Failure of selection for promotion, temporary, USN - Officers
PGU - Service Academy	SKU - No definition at this time
RB - Retirement - Over 30 Years Service	TCC - See LCC
RBB - Retirement - Other	VFJ - Permanent Disability – Retired
RBD - Retirement - 20 - 30 Years Service	VFJ - Revert to retired list with permanent disability, USAF
RFJ - Permanent Disability - Retired	VFK - Revert to retired list and placed on temporary disability retired list, USAF
RFJ1 - Permanent disability retired list, USAF	VFK - Temporary Disability – Retired
RFK - Temporary Disability - Retired	VNF – Other
RFK1 - Temporary disability retired list, USAF	WFK - Temporary Disability – Retired
SBB - Attain maximum age. Mandatory retirement USN - Officers	XBK - Retirement – Other
SBB - Mandatory retirement on established date, maximum age, USAF	XDM - Early Release - Other
SBC - Attain maximum time in grade/service mandatory retirement, USN - Officers	XET - Unqualified for Active Duty - Other
SBC - Mandatory retirement on established date maximum years of service, USAF	XND - Other
SBD - Retirement - 20 - 30 Years Service	XOH - Dependency or Hardship
SFE - Placed on temporary disability retired list, USN – Officers	XOP - Breach of Contract
SFJ - Permanent Disability - Retired	XOS - Retirement - Other
SFJ - Permanent disability retirement, USAF	YBK - Retirement - Other
SFJ - Permanent disability, USN - Enlisted	YCP – Other
SFJ - Permanent disability, USN - Officers	YDN - Other
SFK - Place on temporary disability retired list, USAF	YFB – Minority
SFK - Placed on temporary disability retired list, USN – Enlisted	YKG - Fraudulent Entry
SFK - Temporary Disability – Retired	YND – Other