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SUBJECT: Military Occupational Specialty (MOS) Administrative Retention Review (MAR2) Final Phase Pilot Implementation

1. References.
  - a. AR 600-60, Physical Performance Evaluation System
  - b. AR 614-200, Enlisted Assignment and Utilization Management
  - c. DA PAM 611-21, Military Occupational Classification and Structure
  - d. AR 40-501, Standards of Medical Fitness
  - e. AR 600-8-24, Officer Transfers and Discharges
2. The Army intends to replace the MOS Medical Retention Board (MMRB) with the MOS Administrative Retention Review (MAR2) upon approval by the Secretary of the Army.
3. The Army initiated a MAR2 pilot on 1 Aug 10 that was further expanded to include 18 installations, all 54 Army National Guard states and Territories, 4 United States Army Reserve (USAR) Regional Support Commands, and 2 OCONUS USAR Mission Support Commands.
4. Effective 1 Nov 11, all active duty installations are included in the MAR2 pilot program. Including all active duty installations to participate in the MAR2 pilot affords the Army the opportunity to collect data to determine the impact on personnel resources prior to Army-wide implementation. This will also allow full integration of the eProfile MAR2 module for the active component and allow time to make necessary changes in the final phase of data system integration.

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SUBJECT: Execution of Final Phase of Military Occupational Specialty (MOS)  
Administrative Retention Review (MAR2) Across Active Duty

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