



Civilian Recruitment in the 21st Century: A USA Staffing® Briefing for Applicants







Why the Change from Resumix?

- Defense Enterprise Hiring Solution
 - A single hiring process and tool used by all components of DOD
 - USA Staffing is an interim solution
- Why USA Staffing was chosen
 - Resumix not favored by other components as a solution
 - Negative stigma to Resumix
 - Resumix is an unsupported software
 - Integrated with USAJobs
 - Supports OPM's end-to-end hiring model
 - Supports Presidential Hiring Reform initiatives





CHRA Implementation

- Piloted in select locations since March 2010
- Full transition over two years
 - Beginning January 2011
 - Ending April 2012
 - By CPAC
- During transition
 - Vacancies filled under Resumix or USA Staffing procedures
 - <u>www.armycivilianservice.com</u> will post all announcements
 - Individual announcement will link directly to USAJobs or include familiar self-nomination procedures
 - Follow instructions in the job announcement





Changes for Applicants

- Apply through USAJobs/Application Manager
 - Create/store up to 5 different resumes
 - Submit supporting documentation
 - Track status of all applications
 - View messages sent regarding status
 - Initial acknowledgment of receipt of application package
 - Qualifications/referral notification
 - Non-selection notification
- Application package vs. Resume
 - Includes resume, assessment questionnaire responses and supporting documents
 - Everything required before the close of the announcement





Application Package

Resume

- Able to tailor resume to specific job opportunities
- Must include complete dates (month/year) and hours worked per week for each employment period.
- May be in the format of your choice
- Can be created using USAJobs template or copied/pasted from Resumix into USAJobs template
- Must be uploaded under "Resume" in order to receive consideration
- Only one resume per application will be considered





Application Package

- Assessment Questionnaire
 - Serves two purposes
 - > To determine eligibility
 - > To determine qualifications
 - Eligibility and qualification determinations based on selected responses to a series of questions
 - Better demonstrate job specific qualifications





Application Package

- Supporting Documents
 - Clearly specified in the announcement to establish eligibility and qualifications
 - ➤ Notification of Personnel Action (i.e., SF-50 or DA-3434)
 - ➤ DD-214, SF-15, Veterans Administration Letter; Request for Terminal Leave
 - > Transcripts
 - > Licenses/certifications
 - > Additional documentation as required in the vacancy announcement
 - Upload to Applicant Manager and reuse for all future applications





How To Apply to Army Jobs

- Search for current Army vacancies at www.armycivilianservice.com and click on "Job Search"
- Specific instructions on submitting an application package can be found by clicking on "How to Apply"
- Start the application process by clicking "Apply Online" from the job announcement
- Login or create your USAJobs account
- Click on "Apply for this position now!"
- You will be directed to "Application Manager" and click on "Proceed with my Application"
- Complete required information





Army Deployment Schedule

- Piloting in select locations since March 2010
- Full transition over two years
 - Beginning January 2011
 - Ending April 2012
 - By CPAC
 - NAF and APF HR offices may transition on different dates



Civilian Human Resources Agency



QUESTIONS?