



## Military Spouse under Executive Order 13473

You are eligible for this hiring category if you:

- Are a spouse of a member of the Armed Forces serving on active duty who has orders specifying a permanent change of station (not for training).
  - ◆ Limited to a maximum of 2 years from the date of the applicable documentation for the permanent change of station.
  - ◆ Limited to the geographic area as specified in the permanent change of station orders. This includes the surrounding area which people reasonably can be expected to travel daily to and from work.; **OR**
- Are a spouse of a 100 percent disabled service member injured while on active duty; **OR**
- Are the un-remarried widow or widower of a service member who was killed while performing active duty.

OPM eliminated the 2-Year eligibility limitation to provide spouses of certain deceased or 100 percent disabled veterans with unlimited eligibility for noncompetitive appointment effective September 30, 2011.

To obtain a copy of SF-15, go to [http://www.opm.gov/forms/pdf\\_fill/SF15.pdf](http://www.opm.gov/forms/pdf_fill/SF15.pdf).

For more information please see OPM's Questions and Answers for Noncompetitive Appointment of Certain Military Spouses: <http://www.fedshirevets.gov/hire/hrp/qaspouse/index.aspx>.