



Why participate in TRICARE?

TRICARE is the Department of Defense's health care benefit program connecting civilian healthcare providers with Active Duty Service Members, National Guard and Reserve Service Members, retirees and their family dependents worldwide

- TRICARE is the health care benefit program that provides Service Member and their Families coverage during changes in military status, supporting continuity of care as they selflessly sacrifice to protect and defend America. With your support and participation, Service Members and their Families can have continuity of care as they move from private insurance coverage to TRICARE and back again.
- TRICARE has a network of healthcare providers who support and supply quality healthcare coverage for more than 155,500 Ohio Service Member and Family beneficiaries.
- Services can be provided as a contracted "network" provider, or as a "participating" non-contracted provider.
- Reimbursement rates mirror Medicare; clean claims are usually paid in less than 6 days.
- The need for TRICARE "participating" providers is particularly strong in the rural areas of Ohio.

Call 1-877-TRICARE or visit www.Tricare.mil for additional information.