

On an average day, the Coast Guard:

Conducts 45 search and rescue cases

Saves 10 lives

Saves over \$1.2m in property

Seizes 874 pounds of cocaine and 214 pounds of marijuana

Conducts 57 waterborne patrols of critical maritime infrastructure

Interdicts 17 illegal migrants

Escorts 5 high-capacity passenger vessels

Conducts 24 security boardings in and around u.s. ports

Screens 360 merchant vessels for potential security threats prior to arrival in u.s. ports

Conducts 14 fisheries conservation boardings

Services 82 buoys and fixed aids to navigation

Investigates 35 pollution incidents

Completes 26 safety examinations on foreign vessels

Conducts 105 marine inspections

Investigates 14 marine casualties involving commercial vessels;

Facilitates movement of **\$8.7b** worth of goods and commodities through the nation's maritime transportation system

General requirements:

- You must be a U.S. citizen or a Resident Alien.
- Be between the ages of 17-35 for active duty (full-time) or 17-40 for reserve (part-time).
- Have a high school diploma (GEDs accepted with waiver).
- Have no more than three dependents.
- Score a 36 or higher on the Armed Services Vocational Aptitude Battery (ASVAB) test. If you took the test at your school or with another branch, we can use the score. If you have not taken the test or would like to improve your score, your recruiter will arrange a test date at MEPS.
- Qualify medically during the military entrance medical exam. Your Recruiter will schedule the exam at MEPS.
- Pass a police background check. You cannot have pending legal actions, or felony offenses on your record.

Since the Coast Guard is a federal law enforcement agency, you must be legally allowed to own a firearm to be eligible for hiring.

- Pass a credit check to verify no debts in past due collections. Credit requirements relate to eligibility for a security clearance.
- Meet the Coast Guard's Whole Person Evaluation (CG-WPE). The CG-WPE considers your attitude, professionalism, honesty, respect, language proficiency, weight/physical abilities, and work ethic.
- Be highly motivated. The Coast Guard is an amazing organization with lots of opportunities. It's our job to ensure it's right for you and us.

*Enlistment Bonus' starting
at \$2,000 and up to
\$40,000*

***Semper Paratus -
Always Ready***

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