

# MISSISSIPPI

## MILITARY LODGING AND CAMPGROUNDS

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*Accommodations owned by the Army, Navy, Air Force, Marine Corps, Coast Guard, and Joint Services will save you a bundle on traveling expenses. Lodges on installations are available, of course; but whether you're traveling for business or pleasure, you also can stay in offsite homey condos, in luxury resorts, at rustic campsites and RV spots and even in a lighthouse! Eligibility requirements vary, but in general, all are available to retired servicemembers, regardless of branch, and their families. Consider taking advantage of these locations --- you EARNED IT!*

### Information sources:

<http://www.armymwr.com/recreation/outdoors/paths.aspx>

<http://www.dodlodging.net/>

<http://www.armymwr.com/travel/recreationcenters/>

### **Naval Construction Battalion Center (NCBC) Gulfport C.B. Campgrounds (Shields RV Park) Gulfport, MS**

Located on base. Shield's RV Park offers 68 sites. (228) 871-5435 NOTE: Swimming pool and 9 hole golf course on base and just short distance over to Keesler AFB where they have an 18 hole course and complete facilities. Beaches and Casinos are very short distance away. Area Attractions: 26 miles of Gulf Coast Beaches, World Class Casinos, Outlet Mall, Promenade Shopping, Desoto National Forest, Ship Island excursion, Fort Massachusetts Tours, MS Gulf Coast Beachfront Walking & Bike Path, Glenn L Swetman Scooner Cruises, Deep Sea Fishing Charters, Beauvoir-Jefferson Davis Home, G. I. Museum, Lynn Meadows Discovery Center, NASA Space Center--Stennis Sphere, Ohr-O'Keefe Museum of Art, quick access to New Orleans, LA and Mobile, AL

### **Gulfport Naval Construction Battalion Center (NCBC) – Gulfport, MS**

Navy Lodging. (228) 871-2505 It is one of the Navy's best kept secrets!! It is minutes away from 62 miles of Gulf of Mexico's scenic shoreline which also includes 26 miles of soft white sand beaches. Restaurants, shops, and casinos also line the coast. In addition, it is conveniently situated only minutes from Downtown Gulfport, the Gulfport-Biloxi International Airport, outlet malls, and numerous restaurants.

### **Keesler Air Force Base FAM Camp – Biloxi, MS**

50 RV Sites. Located 4 miles west of Keesler Air Force Base, located on government property; however, it is not located on Keesler AFB. (228) 377-9050 Physical address: 200 Annex Rd, Biloxi, MS.

### **Keesler Air Force Base – Biloxi, MS**

Air Force Lodging. (228) 374-0088 Area Attractions: Ohr-O'Keefe Museum of Art, Ship Island, Casinos, Beauvoir, Biloxi Lighthouse.

### **Lake Walker Campground – Camp Shelby Training Site - MS**

32 RV Pads. Located on post. South of Hattiesburg. (601) 558-2397

### **Naval Air Station (NAS) Meridian – Meridian, MS**

NAS Lodging. (601) 846-1675 Area Attractions: Bonita Lakes, Causeyville General Store, Clarks State Park, Dunn's Falls.

### **Columbus Air Force Base Lodging – Columbus Air Force Base, MS**

Air Force Inns and Lodging. (662) 434-2548 Located 9 miles from Columbus, MS. Columbus AFB has been training Air Force pilots since [World War II](#), and that mission continues today. About half the pilots in the Air Force today went through basic and primary flight training at Columbus AFB. Area Attractions: Hunting and Fishing, Magnolia Motor Speedway, Columbus Speedway.