



GENERAL GUIDE FOR SELECTING RECREATION WORKERS FOR ABLE-BODIED TROOPS
ON MILITARY POSTS AND NAVAL STATIONS

Overseas

Women

GENERAL

Women recreation workers are assigned to various military posts and naval stations outside the continental United States.

Candidates for positions must be in good physical health as evidenced by a medical examination by a physician in good standing with the American Medical Association. Reports of all physical examinations will be reviewed for final approval by the medical director of the American Red Cross. They must be citizens of the United States and must be able to furnish a certified copy of a birth certificate or other proof of citizenship. Their records as citizens must be satisfactory to the military authorities as well as to the American Red Cross.

RESPONSIBILITIES AND DUTIES

A recreation worker for able-bodied troops on military posts and naval stations:

1. Is responsible to and will work under the immediate direction of the American Red Cross field director.
2. Is expected to assist the military recreation officer in conducting a well-rounded recreation program.
3. Serves in planning, organizing, and promoting recreation activities such as social recreation, entertainments, workshops, arts and crafts, music, puppets, libraries, game rooms, sports, etc.
4. May serve to conduct recreation training courses for soldiers assigned to recreation duty.
5. Serves when needed in organizing and conducting recreation activities on board ship while enroute from the United States to insular or foreign bases.
6. Makes suggestions from her field experience to national headquarters for improving policies, standards, and procedures relating to station recreation programs for able-bodied men.

AGE

Applicants should be between the ages of 25 and 35. Those with