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MEMORANDUM FOR ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF THE ARMY (M&RA)
ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF THE NAVY (M&RA)
ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF THE AIR FORCE
(MANPOWER, RESERVE AFFAIRS, INSTALLATIONS
AND ENVIRONMENT)
HEALTH AND SAFETY DIRECTOR OF THE COAST

SUBJECT: Policy Memorandum to Establish 2009 Rates for TRICARE Reserve Select Premiums

TRICARE Reserve Select (TRS) premium rates are established annually on a calendar year basis in accordance with 10 U.S. Code 1076d and 32 Code of Federal Regulations 199.24.

The TRS monthly premiums for calendar year 2009 shall be the amounts listed in the table below.

Type of Coverage	Monthly
_	Rate
Member-only	\$ 47.51
Member & family	\$ 180.17

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The premiums for 2009 have decreased compared to calendar year 2008. Member-only premiums were \$81.00 for 2008 and member and family premiums were \$253.00.

I request wide dissemination of this information and I will do the same. My point of contact in this matter is Jody W. Donehoo, Ph.D.; TRICARE Policy and Operations; (703) 681-0039, jody.donehoo@tma.osd.mil

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