

Entering Hardship Duty Pay (HDP-L (DA))

Introduction This guide provides procedures for entering Hardship Duty Location Pay for Designated Areas (HDP-L (DA)) in Direct Access (DA).

References (a) [Coast Guard Pay Manual, COMDTINST M7220.29 \(series\)](#)
(b) [DoD FMR Vol 7-A, Chap. 17](#)

Important Information Hardship Duty Location Pay for Designated Areas (HDP-L (DA)) is payable to both officers and enlisted members for either PCS or TDY over 30 days in designated areas.

The maximum HDP-L (DA) that may be paid to an individual member in any one month is \$150.

See **MAS' webpage:** [Pay Rates and Benefits \(uscg.mil\)](#) for the latest Hardship Duty Pay rates.

Known Issue DA does not allow a payment for HDP-L (DA) and Hostile Fire Pay/Imminent Danger Pay (HFP/IDP) to exceed \$325 in a month. DA will deduct any dollar amount over \$325.

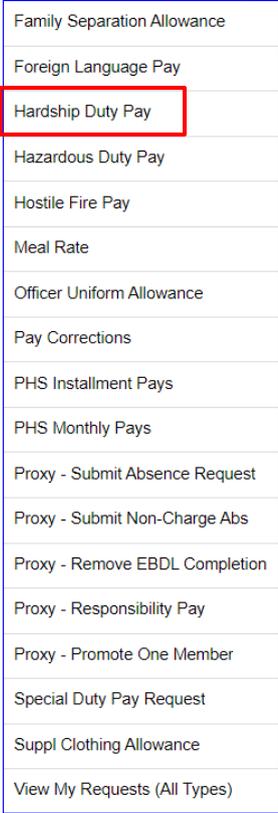
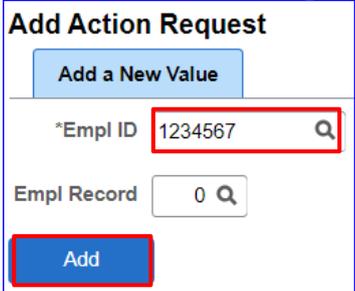
For example, a member was authorized HDP-L (DA) and HFP/IDP that also required a retro payment that spanned 5 pay periods. The total payment due the member should've been \$730, but due to the DA limit of \$325, DA issued a debt for the excess of \$405.

If a retro adjustment is required for HDP-L (DA) and HFP/IDP, a PPC Customer Care Ticket **must** be submitted requesting a retro adjustment be processed manually.

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| <p>1</p> | <p>Click on the AD/RRV Payroll Workcenter tile.</p>  |
| <p>2</p> | <p>Select the Hardship Duty Pay option.</p>  |
| <p>3</p> | <p>Enter the member's Empl ID and click Add.</p>  |

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| 4 | <p>The Submit Hardship Duty Pay Request page will display.</p> <div data-bbox="331 506 1385 1104" style="border: 1px solid blue; padding: 5px;"> <p>Action Request</p> <p>Submit Hardship Duty Pay Request</p> <p><u>Chester Copperpot</u></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Enter the BEGIN date. 2. Enter the END date. 3. Enter Amount. 4. Enter the Geographic Code. 5. Press Submit. <div style="border: 1px solid #ccc; padding: 5px; margin-top: 10px;"> <p>Request Details</p> <p>Begin Date: <input type="text" value=""/> <small>31</small></p> <p>End Date: <input type="text" value=""/> <small>31</small></p> <p>Amount: <input type="text" value=""/></p> <p>Geographic Code: <input type="text" value=""/> <small>▼</small></p> <p>Comment: <input type="text" value=""/></p> <p style="text-align: center;"> <input type="button" value="Submit"/> <input type="button" value="Resubmit"/> <input type="button" value="Withdraw"/> </p> </div> </div> | | | | | | | | | | |
| 5 | <p>Enter the Begin Date (effective date of orders or PCS report date). Enter the End Date (this may be left blank if the end date is unknown).</p> <div data-bbox="331 1205 1385 1417" style="border: 1px solid blue; padding: 5px;"> <p>Request Details</p> <p>Begin Date: <input type="text" value="09/09/2019"/> <small>31</small></p> <p>End Date: <input type="text" value=""/> <small>31</small></p> <p>Amount: <input type="text" value=""/></p> <p>Geographic Code: <input type="text" value=""/> <small>▼</small></p> </div> | | | | | | | | | | |
| 6 | <p>Enter the Amount (Do NOT use \$) as directed by the DoD FMR, Vol 7-A, Chap 17, Figure 17.1. For this example, the current amount directed for Bahrain is \$50.</p> <div data-bbox="331 1518 1385 1731" style="border: 1px solid blue; padding: 5px;"> <p>Request Details</p> <p>Begin Date: <input type="text" value="09/09/2019"/> <small>31</small></p> <p>End Date: <input type="text" value=""/> <small>31</small></p> <p>Amount: <input type="text" value="50.00"/></p> <p>Geographic Code: <input type="text" value=""/> <small>▼</small></p> </div> <table border="1" data-bbox="331 1765 1385 1899" style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse; margin-top: 10px;"> <thead> <tr> <th style="background-color: #d3d3d3;">Combatant Command</th> <th style="background-color: #d3d3d3;">Country/Area Or Water Area</th> <th style="background-color: #d3d3d3;">HDP-L Rate (Current)</th> <th style="background-color: #d3d3d3;">HDP-L Rate (2017)</th> <th style="background-color: #d3d3d3;">*IDP Limited / Change / No Change</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>CENTCOM</td> <td>Bahrain</td> <td>\$50</td> <td>\$100</td> <td>Change</td> </tr> </tbody> </table> | Combatant Command | Country/Area Or Water Area | HDP-L Rate (Current) | HDP-L Rate (2017) | *IDP Limited / Change / No Change | CENTCOM | Bahrain | \$50 | \$100 | Change |
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| 7 | <p>Using the drop-down, select the appropriate Geographic Code.</p> <div data-bbox="331 524 1390 734" style="border: 1px solid blue; padding: 5px;"> <p>Request Details</p> <p>Begin Date: 09/09/2019 <input type="text" value="31"/></p> <p>End Date: <input type="text" value="31"/></p> <p>Amount: 50.00</p> <p>Geographic Code: Bahrain <input type="button" value="v"/></p> </div> |
| 8 | <p>Enter comments as appropriate and click Submit.</p> <div data-bbox="331 808 1390 1400" style="border: 1px solid blue; padding: 5px;"> <p>Action Request</p> <p>Submit Hardship Duty Pay Request</p> <p><u>Chester Copperpot</u></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Enter the BEGIN date. 2. Enter the END date. 3. Enter Amount. 4. Enter the Geographic Code. 5. Press Submit. <div data-bbox="373 1077 1378 1256" style="border: 1px solid gray; padding: 5px;"> <p>Request Details</p> <p>Begin Date: 09/09/2019 <input type="text" value="31"/></p> <p>End Date: <input type="text" value="31"/></p> <p>Amount: 50.00</p> <p>Geographic Code: Bahrain <input type="button" value="v"/></p> </div> <p>Comment: Enter any comments as appropriate.</p> <p><input style="border: 1px solid red;" type="button" value="Submit"/> <input type="button" value="Resubmit"/> <input type="button" value="Withdraw"/></p> </div> |

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| 9 | <p>The action request will update to a Pending status and will be routed to the SPO tree for approval.</p> <div data-bbox="331 562 1390 1496" style="border: 1px solid blue; padding: 5px;"> <p>Action Request</p> <p><u>Submit Hardship Duty Pay Request</u></p> <p><u>Chester Copperpot</u></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Enter the BEGIN date. 2. Enter the END date. 3. Enter Amount. 4. Enter the Geographic Code. 5. Press Submit. <div style="border: 1px solid #ccc; padding: 5px; margin-top: 10px;"> <p>Request Details</p> <p>Begin Date: 09/09/2019</p> <p>End Date:</p> <p>Amount: 50.00</p> <p>Geographic Code: Bahrain</p> </div> <p>Comment: <input type="text" value="Enter any comments as appropriate."/></p> <p> <input type="button" value="Submit"/> <input type="button" value="Resubmit"/> <input type="button" value="Withdraw"/> </p> <div style="border: 1px solid #ccc; padding: 5px; margin-top: 10px;"> <p>Request Status Pending View/Hide Comments</p> <p>1</p> <div style="border: 1px solid #ccc; padding: 5px; margin-bottom: 5px;"> <p>Pending</p> <p>Multiple Approvers CGHRSUP for User's SPO</p> </div> <p>Comments</p> <p>Chester Copperpot at 09/16/19 - 12:21 PM Enter any comments as appropriate.</p> </div> </div> |

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| 10 | <p>Once approved, navigate to the member’s Element Assignment By Payee (EABP) page to verify the Hardship Duty Pay request processed correctly. Locate the Hardship Duty Pay – Location element and select HARDSHIP PAY to view the element details.</p> <p>Note: For more information on navigating and reviewing EABPs, see the Element Assignment By Payee user guide.</p> <div data-bbox="331 741 1394 1608" style="border: 1px solid #ccc; padding: 5px;"> <p>Assignments</p> <p>🔍 1-16 of 16</p> <p>Elements Recipient</p> <table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th>Element Name</th> <th>Description</th> <th>Process Order</th> <th>Begin Date</th> <th>End Date</th> <th>Active</th> <th>Instance</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>MA DONATION</td> <td>Mutual Assistance Donation</td> <td>999</td> <td>07/01/2012</td> <td></td> <td><input checked="" type="checkbox"/></td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td>ASSOC DUES</td> <td>Association Dues</td> <td>999</td> <td>12/01/2016</td> <td></td> <td><input checked="" type="checkbox"/></td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td>SAVINGS</td> <td>Savings</td> <td>999</td> <td>03/01/2016</td> <td>09/30/2016</td> <td><input checked="" type="checkbox"/></td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td>SAVINGS</td> <td>Savings</td> <td>999</td> <td>10/01/2016</td> <td>02/28/2019</td> <td><input checked="" type="checkbox"/></td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td>SAVINGS</td> <td>Savings</td> <td>999</td> <td>04/01/2019</td> <td></td> <td><input checked="" type="checkbox"/></td> <td></td> </tr> <tr style="border: 2px solid red;"> <td>HARDSHIP PAY</td> <td>Hardship Duty Pay - Location</td> <td>999</td> <td>09/09/2019</td> <td></td> <td><input checked="" type="checkbox"/></td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td>CSEAPAY</td> <td>Career Sea Pay</td> <td>999</td> <td>04/04/2015</td> <td>05/06/2015</td> <td><input checked="" type="checkbox"/></td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td>HFP IDP</td> <td>Hostile Fire/Imminent Danger</td> <td>999</td> <td>09/09/2019</td> <td></td> <td><input checked="" type="checkbox"/></td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td>DMR</td> <td>Discount Meal Rate</td> <td>999</td> <td>10/27/2014</td> <td>05/06/2015</td> <td><input type="checkbox"/></td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td>DMR</td> <td>Discount Meal Rate</td> <td>999</td> <td>04/04/2015</td> <td>05/06/2015</td> <td><input checked="" type="checkbox"/></td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td>IN SRVC DEBT</td> <td>In-Service Debt</td> <td>999</td> <td>09/01/2019</td> <td>09/30/2019</td> <td><input checked="" type="checkbox"/></td> <td></td> </tr> </tbody> </table> <p>Add New Assignment</p> <p>Save Return to Search Notify Refresh</p> </div> | Element Name | Description | Process Order | Begin Date | End Date | Active | Instance | MA DONATION | Mutual Assistance Donation | 999 | 07/01/2012 | | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | | ASSOC DUES | Association Dues | 999 | 12/01/2016 | | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | | SAVINGS | Savings | 999 | 03/01/2016 | 09/30/2016 | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | | SAVINGS | Savings | 999 | 10/01/2016 | 02/28/2019 | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | | SAVINGS | Savings | 999 | 04/01/2019 | | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | | HARDSHIP PAY | Hardship Duty Pay - Location | 999 | 09/09/2019 | | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | | CSEAPAY | Career Sea Pay | 999 | 04/04/2015 | 05/06/2015 | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | | HFP IDP | Hostile Fire/Imminent Danger | 999 | 09/09/2019 | | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | | DMR | Discount Meal Rate | 999 | 10/27/2014 | 05/06/2015 | <input type="checkbox"/> | | DMR | Discount Meal Rate | 999 | 04/04/2015 | 05/06/2015 | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | | IN SRVC DEBT | In-Service Debt | 999 | 09/01/2019 | 09/30/2019 | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | |
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| 11 | <p>The element details should match the entries and selections made in Steps 4-6.</p> <div data-bbox="331 521 1390 1547" style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px;"> <p>Element Assignment By Payee</p> <p>Element Detail</p> <p>Employee ID 1234567 Empl Record 0 Name <u>Chester Copperpot</u></p> <p>Element Name HARSHIP PAY Hardship Duty Pay - Location Instance 1</p> <p>Assignment Process Detail</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Assignment Is Active Currency Code USD US Dollar</p> <p>Process Order 999 Begin Date 09/09/2019 End Date</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Allow Batch Update of End Date Previous End Date</p> <p style="text-align: right;">Updated in Payroll Run</p> <p>Calculation Information</p> <p>Calculation Rule Amount</p> <p>Amount Numeric</p> <p>Amount Element</p> <p>Amount Value 50.00</p> <p>Supporting & Element Overrides</p> <p>1-1 of 1 View All</p> <table border="1" data-bbox="343 1176 1382 1294"> <thead> <tr> <th>Element Name</th> <th>Description</th> <th>Character Value</th> <th>Numeric Value</th> <th>Date Value</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>CG VR HFP IDP AREA</td> <td>Hostile Fire/Immi Danger Areas</td> <td>BHR</td> <td></td> <td></td> </tr> </tbody> </table> <p>Additional Overrides</p> <p>Frequency Option Use Element Frequency</p> <p>Frequency</p> <p>Generation Option Use Element Generation Control</p> <p>Generation Control</p> <p>OK Cancel Refresh</p> </div> | Element Name | Description | Character Value | Numeric Value | Date Value | CG VR HFP IDP AREA | Hostile Fire/Immi Danger Areas | BHR | | |
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