

SERVICE MEMBERS



If you think your religious liberties are being threatened:

1 Respectfully confirm the order or instruction that you believe violates your rights – be sure you understand exactly what you are being directed to do.

2 If circumstances permit, ask for the order or instruction to be put in writing.

3 If appropriate, respectfully request a reasonable accommodation for your sincerely-held religious beliefs.

4 Contact your chaplain for guidance.

5 If appropriate, contact your commanding officer for guidance.

6 Contact the Chaplain Alliance for Religious Liberty at www.chaplainalliance.org/Legal.

Religious liberty is an unalienable right given by God and protected by U.S. law.

AS A SERVICE MEMBER, YOU HAVE THE RIGHT TO:

- Participate in and/or receive religious services, worship, teaching, fellowship, counseling, and sacraments in accordance with your sincerely-held religious beliefs.
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- Receive provision for your religious needs from the Chaplain Corps.
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- Freely exercise and appropriately express your faith, without substantial government burden, except when that burden furthers a compelling government interest and is the least restrictive means of furthering that interest.
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- Be free from discrimination based on your religious beliefs.
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- Be free from censorship based on others' objections to your appropriately expressed religious and moral beliefs.