



## Did You Know???

### Civilian doctors (including VA doctors) CANNOT issue physical profiles to Soldiers?

In accordance with AR 40-501, para 7-8 f, For ARNG Soldiers not on active duty, profiles will be accomplished by State ARNG providers. Chapter 10 specifically addresses ARNG Soldiers and requires them to report any hospitalization, significant illness, or disease that occurs when not on duty, to the unit CDR or 1SG at the earliest possible opportunity and, in all cases, before initiating the next period of training.





Paragraph 10–15 requires that Soldiers report in writing, any recommendation for restricted activity that has been made by a private physician before performing any duty.

*This includes VA physicians.*

It is the individual Soldier's responsibility to report any medical problems immediately to the chain of command.

Commanders will honor the private physician's recommendations until the Soldier is evaluated by a military provider, and a recommended course of action is determined by a designated military profiling officer.





**Unit administrators should submit the private physician's recommendations electronically via MODS for approval by a profiling officer.**

**A profile assessment by a military provider should occur before the next period of duty.**

**The State Surgeon attempts to review all profiles within a few days or weeks at most.**

