New Civilian Appraisal Program (DPMAP)

- **Who:** All Department of Defense appropriated civilian employees except those excluded under applicable laws.
- **What:** DPMAP = DoD-wide Performance Management and Appraisal Program. DPMAP is part of the DoD’s “New Beginnings” effort. Although national-level unions were involved in the development of DPMAP, labor bargaining is ongoing at the local level.
- **When:** Goes into effect on 1 April 2017, with the first annual evaluation in April 2018.
- **Where (do I get trained):** Mandatory training options include web-based training via Joint Knowledge Online (course numbers are PM101A for part one and PM101B for part two), in-resident class or a combination of the two. *The online training is available now.*
- **Why:** DPMAP is being implemented per the 2010 National Defense Authorization Act requirement to provide a “fair, credible, and transparent” way to link employee bonuses to performance appraisals of employees.

**What’s new for Air Force civilians?**

- **Three** levels of appraisal (5-3-1) compared to two in the current system.
- For supervisory civilians, the number of supervisory critical performance elements will **equal or exceed** the number of non-supervisory (technical) elements.
- A description must be provided for each element rated “outstanding” or “unacceptable.”
- DPMAP will use a **standardized automated performance appraisal tool called MyPerformance.** This will be the only tool authorized to create, review and approve performance plans, document modifications, progress reviews, employee input and performance appraisals.
- **Paperwork will be simplified** by using only one form, the DD Form 2906, instead of the four Air Force forms currently in use (AF Forms 860, 1003, 860A, and 860B).

For more information on the DPMAP, visit myPers.

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2016 DoD Warrior Games

Warrior Games will be hosted by the U.S. Army, from June 15-21, at the U.S. Military Academy, West Point, N.Y. Click [here](#) for more coverage of Air Force wounded warrior athletes during Warrior Games. Follow/ Like AFW2 on [Instagram](#) and [Facebook](#).
The OPM data breach, massive in its identity theft implications, gives rise to other crimes, and often one crime can result in two more. For example, phishing scams can morph into credit card fraud and social security abuse. Learn how to protect yourself here.

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