



FORT SILL POST CLAIMS

Categories of Claims



The Fort Sill Claims Office processes the following categories of claims:

1. **Personnel Claims** – Personnel Claims include claims against the U.S. Government filed by Soldiers, DA civilians and other military personnel for loss and damages of personal property incident to service.

- a. Damage to household goods during a PCS move or another move incident to service.
- b. Carrier Recovery – recovers money on behalf of the U.S. Army for the cost of personal property losses paid to claimants as the result of household good and vehicle moves.
- c. Disaster Claims – Compensation for damage to personal property during unusual occurrences which affect the Servicemember or DA civilian incident to their service obligations.

2. **Tort Claims** – Claims filed under the Federal Tort Claims Act, Military Claims Act, Non-Scope Claims Act, National Guard Claims Act, Foreign Claims Act, or Maritime Claims Act against the U.S. for property damage, personal injury, or death caused by the negligence of military personnel acting within the scope of employment or incident to the noncombat operations of the armed services.

3. **Affirmative Claims** – Claims where the United States Government either collects or assists in the collection of debts.

- a. Medical Affirmative Claims – Actions to recover the reasonable cost of medical care furnished by Military Treatment Facilities to TRICARE beneficiaries against responsible third parties pursuant to the Federal Medical Care Recovery Act.
- b. Affirmative Tort Claims – Pursues recovery for property damage to government property from responsible third parties.
- c. Article 139 claims – Claims filed by an individual against members of the armed forces who are suspected of wrongfully taking or willfully damaging personal property. The Government will assist in adjudicating these claims.

The Fort Sill Claims Office is located at 4700 Mow-Way Road, Suite 400 in the Client Services Center. Our office operates on a walk-in basis from the hours of 8:00am - 4:00 pm, Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, and Friday. On Thursdays, hours are from 12:00pm - 4:00 pm. Our telephone number is (580) 442-2317.

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