

1. RECRUIT'S PERSONAL INFORMATION

NAME:	recname[1-8]	ID	recidnum	 1										
APPLICATION & CERTIFICATE #'S:	appcrtn[1-7]	FILE TYPEÂ(Invalid/ Widow/ Parent/ Minor):	penftype											
BIRTH:	rb_date[1-2]	Q	rb_dtqc[1-2]	CITY rb_city[1-2]	CO rb_cnty[1-2]	STATE rb_stat[1-2]	Q	rb_plqc[1-2]						
APPEARANCE:	COMPLEXION	ra_cplx	Q	ra_cplqc	EYES	ra_eyec	Q	ra_eyeqc	HAIR	ra_hairc	Q	ra_harqc		
HEIGHT:	FEET	rh_feet[1-5]	INCHES	rh_inch[1-5]	Q	rh_fiqc[1-5]	DATE	rh_date[1-5]						
DEATH:	SOURCE	rd_stype	DATE	rd_date	Q	rd_dtqc	CITY	rd_city	CO	rd_cnty	STATE	rd_stat	Q	rd_plqc
CAUSE OF DEATH	rd_cause							BEGIN DATE	rd_bgdt	Q	rd_bdtqc			
CONTRIB. CAUSE	rd_ccaus							BEGIN DATE	rd_cbgdt	Q	rd_cbdqc			
DEATH ILLNESS LASTED:	YEARS	rd_illyr	MONTH	rd_illmn	DAYS	rd_illdy								
IF IMMIGRANT:	DATE OF ENTRY	ri_entdt	Q	ri_edtqc	OR # OF YEARS IN COUNTRY	ri_numyr								
PARENTS:	FATHER	fthrname												
BIRTH	fb_date	Q	fb_dtqc	CITY	fb_city	CO	fb_cnty	STATE	fb_stat	Q	fb_plqc			
DEATH	fd_date	Q	fd_dtqc	CITY	fd_city	CO	fd_cnty	STATE	fd_stat	Q	fd_plqc			
	MOTHER	mthrname												
BIRTH	mb_date	Q	mb_dtqc	CITY	mb_city	CO	mb_cnty	STATE	mb_stat	Q	mb_plqc			
DEATH	md_date	Q	md_dtqc	CITY	md_city	CO	md_cnty	STATE	md_stat	Q	md_plqc			
RESIDENCE: (Fa/ Mo/ Pa)	pr_fmpt[1-3]	CITY	pr_city[1-3]	CO	pr_cnty[1-3]	STATE	pr_stat[1-3]	Q	pr_plqc[1-3]					
	FROM	pr_fmdt[1-3]	Q	pr_fdqc[1-3]	TO	pr_todt[1-3]	Q	pr_tdqc[1-3]						
REMARKS	sc1rmks													

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Recruit death cause icd-6 code (**rd_cscd**), recruit's death county code (**rd_cycd**) and recruit's death state code (**rd_stcd**) were added during the cleaning process. They were not entered by the inputters and thus do not appear on the collection screens.

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The first data collection screen of the miliary pension data, collecting a recruit's personal information such as birth, death, parents, and pension application number.

2. PERSONAL FAMILY INFORMATION

SPOUSE:

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NAME BIRTH DATE Q
MARRIAGE DATE Q DEATH DATE Q
MARRIAGE PLACE CITY CO STATE Q
OFFICIATOR Div/ Sep DATE Q
RELIGION Q SOURCE

CHILDREN:

NAME M/F Living/ Dead DATE Q
BIRTH DATE Q CITY CO STATE Q
DEATH DATE Q CITY CO STATE Q

SIBLINGS:

NAME BIRTH DATE Q

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The second data collection screen of the military pension data, collecting a recruit's family's information, including any spouse(s), children, and sibling(s).

3. SOCIO-ECONOMIC INFORMATION

RESIDENCE:



STREET CITY
CO STATE FROM Q TO Q
LIVING WITH RELATIONSHIP DATE Q

OCCUPATION: FROM Q TO Q

LABOR FORCE PARTICIPATION: % Working/ Disabled

OR AT Q

STATE OF FINANCES: AT Q

WEALTH & INCOME INFORMATION: TYPE (Income/ Wages/ Real estate/ Personal/ Financial/ Debts)

SOURCE DATE Q

DESCRIPTION AMOUNT \$

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The county code of residence (**r_cycd[01-15]**), state code of residence (**r_stcd[01-15]**) and recruit's occupation code (**ro_jcd[01-10]**) were added during the cleaning process. They were not entered by the inputters and thus do not appear on the collection screens.

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The third data collection screen of the military pension data, collecting a recruit's socioeconomic information, including residence(s), occupation(s), wealth, and income.

4. MILITARY SERVICE 1 INFORMATION

ENLISTMENT:

 1AGE AT ENLISTMENT ENLISTMENT: Q CITY CO ST Q MUSTER: Q CITY CO ST Q PERIOD: YEARS MONTHS DAYS (Draft/ Vol/ Sub/ Com) BOUNTY: PAID\$ DUE \$ ENLISTMENT OFFICER

CREDIT:

CITY CO STATE Q SUBDISTRICT CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT OTHER CREDITED TO

DISCHARGE:

DATE Q Honorable/ Dishonorable REASON (Term/Disability/Renlist/Other) CITY CO STATE Q IF DISABLED:Â # DAYS UNFIT FOR DUTY CAUSE BOUNTY: PAID\$ DUE \$ REMARKS:

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County of enlistment code () and state of enlistment codes () were added during the cleaning process. They were not entered by the inputters and thus do not appear on the collection screens.

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The fourth data collection screen of the military pension data, collecting a recruit's enlistment and discharge information.

5. MILITARY SERVICE 2 INFORMATION

RANK:

INITIAL RANK COMPANY REGIMENT STATE DESCRIPTION  ¹
CHANGE RANK CO REG ST DESC. DATE Q

BATTLES: DATE Q

DUTIES:
FROM Q TO Q

MILITARY ACTION: Furlough/ Desertion/ aWol/ Arrest/ Mia
DATE: FROM Q TO Q
PLACE
REASON
LEGAL ACTION/ RESULT

PRISONER OF WAR:

CAPTURED Q AT STATE Q
CONFINED Q AT STATE Q
PAROLED Q AT STATE Q
RESULTS

LENGTH OF PENSIONABLE SERVICE: YEARS MONTHS DAYS

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The fifth data collection screen of the military pension data, collecting a recruit's military service information. Includes rank, battles, duties, actions, and prisoner of war status if applicable.

6. MEDICAL INFORMATION

Illness/ Wound	illwnd[01-20]	DESCRIPTION	ilwdsc[01-20]	SEVERITY	ilwsev[01-20]	Q ilwdqc[01-20]
HOSPITAL	hospsnm[01-20]					 1
PLACE	hosppl[01-20]					
ADMITTED DATE	admtddt[01-20]	Q admtqc[01-20]	RELEASED DATE	relsdt[01-20]	Q relsqc[01-20]	

RESULT OF TREATMENT:

RETURNED TO DUTY	rtnddt[01-20]	Q rtndqc[01-20]	TO	rtndpl[01-20]
DESERTED	dsrtdt[01-20]	Q dsrtqc[01-20]	ACTION	dsrtac[01-20]
DISCHARGED SERVICE	dschdt[01-20]	Q dschqc[01-20]	REASON	dschrn[01-20]
SENT TO GEN HOSPITAL	stghdt[01-20]	Q stghqc[01-20]	TO	stghpl[01-20]
FURLOUGHED	frlodd[01-20]	Q frloqc[01-20]	TO	frlopl[01-20]
DIED	dthdt[01-20]	Q dthqc[01-20]	CAUSE	dthcs[01-20]
OTHER	othrddt[01-20]	Q othrqc[01-20]	REASON	othrrn[01-20]
RESULT	result[01-20]			

WOUND INFORMATION:

BODY WOUND (Y/ N)	bdywnd[01-20]	BODY LOCATION	bdyloc[01-20]				
RECEIVED IN BATTLE	wndrib[01-20]	GEOGRAPHICAL LOCATION	geoloc[01-20]				
MISSILE	mslwnd[01-20]	TYPE	msltyp[01-20]	DATE RECEIVED	wndrddt[01-20]	AGE	ageinj[01-20]

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The sixth data collection screen of the military pension data, collecting a recruit's military health information. Includes illnesses and wounds, results of treatments, and hospital locations if applicable.

7. APPLICATIONS AND RULINGS

APPLICATION:

TYPE: (New/ increase Law/ increase Disability/ Re-rating/ re-Issue/ Additional)

 1

apptyp[01-20]

APPLICATION DATE

appdt[01-20]

AGE

appage[01-20]

LAW

applaw[01-20]

OR LAW DATE

appldt[01-20]

ATTORNEY

attrny[01-20]

CLAIMS:

SOLDIER CLAIMS

BOARD CLAIMS

A.

a_clm[01-20]

a_sclm[01-20]

a_bclm[01-20]

B.

b_clm[01-20]

b_sclm[01-20]

b_bclm[01-20]

C.

c_clm[01-20]

c_sclm[01-20]

c_bclm[01-20]

D.

d_clm[01-20]

d_sclm[01-20]

d_bclm[01-20]

E.

e_clm[01-20]

e_sclm[01-20]

e_bclm[01-20]

F.

f_clm[01-20]

f_sclm[01-20]

f_bclm[01-20]

G.

g_clm[01-20]

g_sclm[01-20]

g_bclm[01-20]

H.

h_clm[01-20]

h_sclm[01-20]

h_bclm[01-20]

I.

i_clm[01-20]

i_sclm[01-20]

i_bclm[01-20]

J.

j_clm[01-20]

j_sclm[01-20]

j_bclm[01-20]

K.

k_clm[01-20]

k_sclm[01-20]

k_bclm[01-20]

L.

l_clm[01-20]

l_sclm[01-20]

l_bclm[01-20]

RULING:

RULING AMOUNT \$

rulamt[01-20]

Increase/ Decrease/ Rejected

rulidr[01-20]

RULING:

FROM

rulfdt[01-20]

TO

rultdt[01-20]

ARREARS:

FROM

arrfdt[01-20]

TO

arrtdt[01-20]

REASON

reason[01-20]

SOLDIER WRITES?

(Y/ N)

writes[01-20]

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The seventh data collection screen of the military pension data, collecting a recruit's pension application. Includes the relevant pension law, specific claims, attorney information and determination regarding their pension eligibility and amount.

8. AFFIDAVITS									
DEPONENT (Self - recruit/Neighbor/Family/Co-worker/Employer/Military/eXaminer/Doctor/Other)					dponet[01-20]	DATE	afdvdt[01-20]	Q	afdvqc[01-20]
TYPE (Economic/ Labor/ Health/ Other)		info1t[01-20]	info2t[01-20]	Pre/ War/ After	infotm[01-20]	INFO DATE	infodt[01-20]	Q	infoqc[01-20]
AFFIDAVIT DESCRIPTION:									
afdesc[01-20]									
AFFIDAVIT DESCRIPTION, CONTINUED:									
afcond[01-20]									

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Note that the affidavit description and the affidavit description continued variables (afdesc[01-20] and afcond[01-20]) are uniquely related. Pertinent information found in affadavits was recorded in the affidavit description variable (afdesc[01-20]). When the description was too lengthy to fit the affidavit description variable (afdesc[01-20]), it was continued in the like-numbered affidavit description continued variable (afcond[01-20]).

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The eighth data collection screen of the military pension data, collecting affidavits accompanying a recruit's pension application. Includes the relationship to recruit, type of affidavit, and text of the affidavit.