

## **TRICARE HEALTH CARE COVERAGE FOR GRAY-AREA RESERVISTS**

A new program will offer "gray area" reservists the opportunity to purchase TRICARE health care coverage. The new provision allows certain members of the Retired Reserve who are not yet age 60, called "gray-area" retirees, to purchase TRICARE Standard and TRICARE Extra coverage. The new program will differ from TRICARE Reserve Select (TRS) in its qualifications, premiums, copayment rates and catastrophic cap requirements. The program is tentatively called TRICARE Retired Reserve. Premiums for the new gray-area retiree program will be announced after program rules are published in the Federal Register. For more information about TRICARE benefits, visit the TRICARE website at [www.tricare.mil](http://www.tricare.mil).