

## **ID Cards – Expiration, Extension, Issuance Updated Guidance ...from CAPT Philip E. Old, Chief**

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The DoD has issued updated guidance on the expiration, extension, and issuance of CACs (svcmbr/employees) and USID cards (dependents/retirees) in light of the COVID-19 environment.

Please check the “Expires” date on you and your family members’ CAC/USID cards. If the date is before 30 June 2021, I strongly encourage you to read this [guidance](#).

- Expired CACs cannot be used after 30 Sep 2020
- Expired USID cards can be used to access installations until 30 Mar 21
- Expired USID cards can be used to access benefits until 30 Jun 21
- Age of initial issuance of USID card increased from 10 years to 14 years
- Priority of reissuance of cards will be given to expired CAC holders
- DEERS enrollment of newly acquired dependents may be completed through a remote process

More information can be found at <https://www.cac.mil/Coronavirus/>