Upcoming elections for federal office (North Carolina Primary Date Change):

Correction: The Primary Election date for North Carolina has been changed and will now take place on May 17. Please see the updated information below.

The following states have elections for federal office in the next 90 days:

**January 2022:**
January 11: Florida Special General Election in U.S. Congressional District 20

**February 2022:**
No federal elections scheduled

**March 2022:**
March 1: Texas Primary Election*

**May 2022:**
May 17: North Carolina Primary Election

*Subject to change

COVID-19 ELECTION UPDATE - FVAP is working closely with state election offices, the Military Postal Service Agency and other federal agencies to bring you up-to-date information on possible mailing delays. Please visit [FVAP.gov/COVID-19](https://FVAP.gov/COVID-19) for the latest information on any international postal disruptions or contact your installation military post office.

Register and request your ballot by your state’s deadline. You can use FVAP’s easy online assistant at [www.fvap.gov/FPCA](https://www.fvap.gov/FPCA) to walk you through each section of the form. After you finish filling out the FPCA, print it, sign it, and send it to your election office. Most states accept the FPCA by email or fax while some require it by mail. Check your state-specific guidelines at FVAP.gov.

Once you receive your requested absentee ballot, vote and return it as soon as you get it. Remember to carefully follow the instructions, especially if a “security envelope” is required, and sign the package as indicated when returning it.

To save time, send voted ballots electronically if allowed by state law. Voters can check if their state accepts completed absentee ballots by email, fax, or via an online portal at FVAP.gov/guide.

If a requested ballot has not arrived, use the Federal Write-in Absentee Ballot (FWAB) immediately at [www.fvap.gov/FWAB](https://www.fvap.gov/FWAB). It works like a backup ballot. If your official absentee ballot arrives after sending in the FWAB, complete and send in the official ballot, too. Only one will be counted.

Make sure the voted ballot is received by your state. Go to FVAP.gov, click on your state and then the "check the status of your voted ballot" button.
To find your state's election website for specific information on candidates, elections, contact information, and links to your local election offices, visit our [contact page](#). You can also reach out directly to your election office for status updates on your registration and absentee ballot.

Additional Information for non-UOCAVA voters: Uniformed service members, their families, and Department of Defense civilians who are currently stationed in the same location as their voting address may visit vote.gov to register to vote and request information from their local election office to vote locally.

*The Department of Defense is required to send this email notification starting 90 days before each election for federal office. This information is current as of January 3, 2022. As updates may occur, please check the election calendars and state guidelines at FVAP.gov for real time information.*

If you would like more information on the Federal Voting Assistance Program, or need help with the absentee voting process, please go to FVAP.gov, call 703-588-1584 (toll free 1-800-438-VOTE or DSN 425-1584), or email (vote@fvap.gov).