Joint Task Force Rattlesnake RS6 Specialist
California National Guard ESAD Vacancy Announcement
1 Position Available

Position Details

Posting Number:	JTFRS-ESAD 2026-01
Opening Date:	18 February 2026
Closing Date:	Open until filled
Position Title:	JTFRS RS6 SPECIALIST
UIC:	W8AYAA
DMOS/Branch:	Immaterial (25B/3D0X2 preferred)
Min/Max Grade:	E4-E6
Duty Location:	Yuba City, Rancho Cordova, San Luis Obispo CA
Selecting Official:	JTFRS Command Sergeant Major
Security Clearance Requirements:	N/A
Minimum Military Education Requirements:	Professional Military Education qualified for their grade.

Conditions of Employment

- This position is to augment the Full-Time Joint Task Force Rattlesnake (JTFRS) Command and Control (C2) Cell utilizing Emergency State Active Duty (ESAD) personnel. JTFRS ESAD Orders cover 90-day periods and are subject to ongoing quarterly budget requirements. Position expected to start 02 March 2026.
- Service Member must not have been relieved for cause from any duty position in the 36-month period preceding the date of application.
- Service Member must not have a "do not retain" evaluation from JTF Rattlesnake.
- Must be within reasonable commuting distance of the assigned duty station per JFTR, 7355B. The HOR on ARRO will be used to determine commute distance. 100 miles round trip will be used as a base line for determining reasonable commute.
- Relocation expenses are NOT authorized.
- Must meet California Army/Air National Guard or State Guard retention standards.
- Must meet California Army/Air National Guard or State Guard fitness, uniform, and weight control program standards.

Eligibility Requirements

APPLICANT MUST, at a minimum, submit documents referenced in the instructions for Submitting Applications to this announcement, complete the attached applicant checklist and meet all applicable criteria below:

- Active members of the California Military Department (Army, Air, CSG) in the grades of **E-4 through E-6** in the MOS/AFSC may apply. Applicants must have a military affiliation per Para 2-2 of CMD Reg. 600-2. CSG members who have no prior federal military experience, or experience on JTF Rattlesnake, must be a member of the CSG in good standing for a minimum of two years for eligibility for ESAD vacancies. **CSG members must submit a copy of their CSG orders with their application.**
- Service Member must have valid ARRO access or the ability to secure ARRO access with no issues.

- Have CAARNG Access or the ability to secure CAARNG access with no issues.
- Have familiarity with Google Workspace, ArcGIS, and Microsoft TEAMS.
- Have a valid state driver's license.
- Ability to communicate effectively, orally and in writing.
- Completion of military and civilian education requirements commensurate with the grade of the applicant are required.
- Military assignments appropriate to the grade of the applicant are required.
- Required to meet height/weight and physical fitness standards prescribed by their military branch of membership.
- Applicants must meet, and maintain, federally recognized medical fitness standards or CSG equivalent.
- Appropriate military uniform with federally recognized, or CSG recognized, rank will be worn in accordance with military regulation.
- Must have, or be able to obtain, access to a Outlook, Sharepoint, and PowerBI.
- Must have no documented instances of conduct adversely reflecting on their character, honesty, or integrity.
- Females must provide a negative pregnancy test verification memorandum within 15 days of start date or orders renewal.

Preferred Qualifications
- A NIPR administrator card and ability to perform admin-level functions.
- A CMD account with admin-level privileges.
- Firefighter 1C or pro-board equivalent.
- Access to DTMS.
- One year or more of experience in the S6 of a Battalion or higher echelon, or civilian IT equivalent.

Primary Duties and Responsibilities
- Advises the Task Force Commander on all communications and automations matters affecting the JTF and subordinate Companies.
- Plans, coordinates, and manages all aspects of communications activities with subordinate units.
- Coordinates with CMD State JOC, J4, and J6 for all communications support.
- Ensures integrity of all Somewear device tracking and communications.
- Oversees maintenance of JTF Rattlesnake digital systems of record, communication, and knowledge management on both state and federal devices.

Instructions for Submitting Applications
Applicants must, as a minimum, submit the following documents: If required item(s) are missing from your packet **it will** be returned to the applicant due to lack of information. Send completed packets to the JTFRS Recruiting inbox at jtfr.recruiting@cmd.ca.gov
- Enlisted Biographical Summary or resume of military and civilian experience.
- **CA Army National Guard (CAARNG) Applicants:** Are required to submit a Record Brief (ERB/ORB) or IPPS-A printout, current within the past six months.
- **CA Air National Guard (CAANG) Applicants:** Are required to submit Report on Individual Person (RIP), and ARCNet Individual Readiness Detail, current within the past six months.
- **CSG Applicants:** CSG Accession Orders and Current Assignment Orders – CSG Applicants only.

- CMD Individual In-Processing Checklist (CSG Only).
- MEDPROS/ASIMS printout (Army/Air Force Only).
- ESAD Health Assessment Form (5 August 2012).
- Additional forms will be required as a part of in-processing should a Service Member be selected for the position.

Remarks

The California National Guard is an Equal Opportunity Employer. All applicants will be protected under Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 against discrimination based on race, color, religion, gender or national origin.