

Welcome to **Fort Drum**

**Home of the U.S. Army's
10th Mountain Division (Light Infantry)**



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DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY
10TH MOUNTAIN RECEPTION COMPANY
BLDG 4412 CAMP SWIFT ROAD
FORT DRUM NY 13602

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Dear Soldier and family members:

It is our absolute pleasure to welcome you and your family to Fort Drum, New York, home of the 10th Mountain Division (Light Infantry) and the beautiful North Country! Your tour of duty here will be filled with adventure and challenges. Our staff will ensure your in-processing is as expeditious as possible.

All Soldiers arriving at Fort Drum are assigned to a brigade in accordance with their orders. Tenant unit Soldiers or Soldiers whose orders state "Reception Transient" will be given a final assignment immediately upon arrival at Fort Drum.

Over the next 10 days you will process through a series of installation orientation, installation activity in-processing, TA-50 issue, and deployment readiness screening designed to ensure your readiness prior to arriving at your gaining unit. Our staff will assist you in resolving any problems that may arise during your in-processing.

Whether you choose to live on-post or in one of the surrounding communities, we are extremely fortunate to be conveniently located in Northern New York in proximity to many great travel destinations.

As the most deployed Division in the Army over the past 30 years, Soldiers can expect to deploy in support of ongoing operations across the globe. While attached to the Mountain Reception Company, you will be provided an opportunity to visit the 10th Mountain Division Museum and learn more about our legacy and the operations the 10th Mountain Division has participated in over its many engagements.

The Mountain Reception team is eager to assist you during your transition. If you ever need any assistance, please call (315) 774-0165. Our office is open 24/7, with staff available to assist you and your Family anytime, day, or night. Please let us know if there is anything we can do to help. Welcome to Fort Drum and "Climb to Glory!"

THOMAS G. STACKHOUSE
CPT, AR
Commanding

Taxi Companies Operating out of Syracuse Hancock International Airport

Company	Number	AVG Price	Base Access?
Ace Medical	315-863-2844	\$225	Y
Albeene Taxi	315-450-2791	\$180 - \$240	Y
Alpha Blue Transportation	315-395-7944	\$245	Y
Amare Girma Taxi	315-396-4397	\$200 - \$250	Y
Ater Taxi	315-391-9673	\$200 - \$240	Y
Bobby Taxi	315-863-7222	\$240	Y
Everton Taxi	315-380-5948	\$150 - \$200	Y
George Taxi	315-664-1800	\$250	Y
Green Cab	315-391-8719	\$240	Y
Jacks Taxi	315-450-2313	\$150	N
Jeilani Taxi	315-729-8294	\$150	Y
Sanjeev Taxi	315-395-1415	\$230 - \$250	Y
SU Pride Taxi	315-516-0566	\$200	Y
Sueliman Taxi	315-558-0849	\$200 - \$240	N
Yellow Taxi	315-391-9085	\$200	Y

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Hotels Near Syracuse Airport

Red Roof Inn Syracuse

6614 Thompson Rd, Syracuse, NY 13206

315-437-3309

Red Carpet Inn North Syracuse, NY

2914 Brewerton Rd, North Syracuse, NY 13212

315-454-3266

Days Inn by Wyndham Syracuse

6609 Thompson Rd, Syracuse, NY 13206

315-748-5735

Candlewood Suites Syracuse-Airport, an IHG Hotel

Town of Salina, 5414 S Bay Rd, North Syracuse, NY 13212

315-454-8999

Holiday Inn Express Syracuse Airport, an IHG Hotel

5418 S Bay Rd, North Syracuse, NY 13212

315-454-0999

Sleep Inn & Suites Airport

6344 E Molloy Rd, East Syracuse, NY 13057

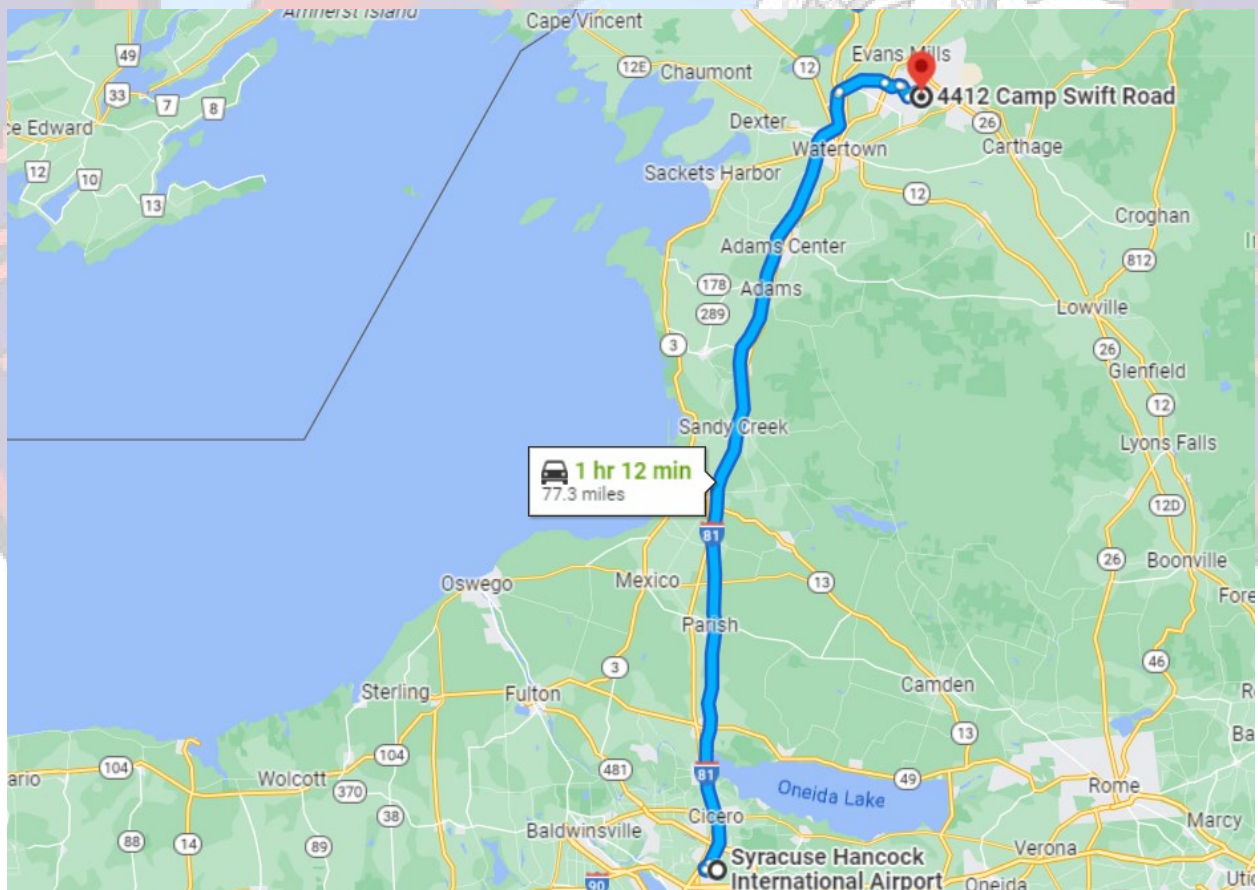
315-401-4409

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Directions to Mountain Reception Company From Syracuse Hancock International Airport

1. Get on I-81 N in Cicero from Airport Blvd/Col Eileen Collins Blvd
2. Follow I-81 N to Iraqi Freedom Dr in Caicum (use exit 48A/I-781)
3. Continue on Iraqi Freedom Dr. (**Main Gate**), Take Mt. Belvedere Blvd and Enduring Freedom Dr to Camp Swift Rd in Fort Drum.

Syracuse Airport To MRC



*Refer to gate operational hours on the next page

Fort Drum Gate Information

Hours of Operation:

The following gates are open 24/7:

Lt. Gen. Paul Cerjan/Main Gate

Gasoline Alley Gate

Hours at Col. Michael Plummer Gate:

Open from 4:30 a.m. to 10 p.m. daily

Hours at Wheeler-Sack Army Airfield Gate:

Open 5:30 a.m. to 10 p.m. Monday through Friday; closed on weekends and federal holidays. When WSAAF Gate is closed, those who need to access the airfield should use the Gas Alley Gate and traverse Bomporto Bridge.

***Visitor Center is located at Lt. Gen. Paul Cerjan Gate**

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**Fort Drum Pamphlet 600-5: 10th Mountain Division
(Light Infantry) and Fort Drum Standards**

[Click here to download the Fort Drum Blue Book](#)

OR

Scan the QR code below



MRC Contact Information

MRC Staff Duty (24/7)

315-774-0165

MRC Operations

315-774-4229

MRC 1SG

315-774-6065

MRC CDR

315-774-6080

Hays Hall Staff Duty (24/7)

315-772-5647

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