

DoD Approved NATO Medals for Acceptance and Wear

NATO Medals	Start Date	End Date
Service in operations related to the the former Republic of Yugoslavia – Operations DENY FLIGHT, MARITIME MONITOR, MARITIME GUARD, SHARP GUARD, JOINT ENDEAVOR, JOINT GUARD, and JOINT FORGE.	Jul 1, 1992	Oct 12, 1998
Service in operations related to Kosovo – Operations ALLIED FORCE (U.S. Operation NOBLE ANVIL), JOINT GUARDIAN, ALLIED HARBOR, SUSTAIN HOPE, and SHINING HOPE	Oct 13, 1998	Dec 31, 2002
Operation EAGLE ASSIST (Airspace of North America following September 11, 2001)	Oct 12, 2001	May 16, 2002
NATO MEDAL ACTIVE ENDEAVOR – for Service in NATO operation ACTIVE ENDEAVOR (Mediterranean Sea)	Oct, 26, 2001	TBD
NATO Non-Article 5 MEDAL INTERNATIONAL SECURITY ASSISTANCE FORCE OPERATION IN AFGHANISTAN	Jun 1, 2003	TBD
NATO Non-Article 5 MEDAL THE BALKANS – for Service in NATO-Led Operations in the Balkans. (Operation JOINT ENTERPRISE) (Note 1)	Jan 1, 2003	TBD
NATO Non-Article 5 MEDAL – NATO TRAINING MISSION – IRAQ. Also awarded for NATO Training Implementation Mission - Iraq.	Aug 18, 2004	TBD
NATO Non-Article 5 MEDAL FOR NORTH ATLANTIC COUNCIL (NAC) APPROVED NATO OPERATIONS AND ACTIVITIES IN RELATION TO AFRICA – (Operations ALLIED PROVIDER, ALLIED PROTECTOR, and OCEAN SHIELD)	Jan 1, 2008	TBD
NATO Non-Article 5 MEDAL FOR APPROVED NATO OPERATIONS AND ACTIVITIES IN RELATION TO LIBYA (Operation UNIFIED PROTECTOR)	Mar 23, 2011	Oct 31, 2011
Note 1: NATO MEDAL THE BALKANS is authorized to replace the NATO medals issued for operations JOINT FORGE, JOINT GUARDIAN, ESSENTIAL HARVEST, and AMBER FOX.		