CDR René Campos, USN (Ret)



Campos began her 30-year career as a photographer's mate, enlisting in 1973 and later being commissioned a naval officer in 1982. Her last assignment was at the Pentagon as associate director, Office of Family Policy in the Office of the Deputy Under Secretary of Defense for Military Personnel and Family Policy. She rejoined the MOAA staff in February 2015 as deputy director, Government Relations, managing matters related to military and veterans' health care; wounded, ill, and injured service members; and caregivers. From 2004-07, she helped establish a military family program at MOAA, working on defense and military quality-of-life programs and policy issues. In September 2007, she joined the MOAA health care team, specializing in the DoD and VA health care systems, as well as advocating for seamless transition programs and women-in-the-military issues.

Campos serves as a member of The Military Coalition - a consortium of nationally prominent uniformed services and veterans' organizations, representing approximately 5.5 million current and former members of the seven uniformed services, including their families and survivors serving on the Health Care; Morale, Welfare & Recreation and Military Construction, and Base Realignment & Closure; Veterans; and Personnel, Compensation and Commissary committees.

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