



Global War on Terrorism Expeditionary Medal Operations



| ENDURING FREEDOM | IRAQI FREEDOM | NEW DAWN | NOMAD SHADOW | FREEDOM'S SENTINEL | INHERENT RESOLVE | ODYSSEY LIGHTNING |
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| 11 SEP 2001 – TBD (Excludes Afghanistan Effective 31 DEC 2014) | 19 MAR 03 – 31 AUG 10 | 1 SEP 10 – 31 DEC 11 | 5 NOV 07 – TBD | 1 JAN 15 – TBD | 15 JUN 14 - TBD | 1 AUG 16 – 19 DEC 16 |

Notes:

- Effective 30 April 2005, the Global War on Terrorism Expeditionary Medal (GWOTEM) is no longer authorized to be awarded for service in Afghanistan and Iraq.
- The GWOTEM is authorized for service in a qualifying area of eligibility in support of OIR retroactive to 15 June 2014.
- Effective 30 March 2016, the GWOTEM is no longer authorized for service in support of OIR in Iraq and/or Syria.

* Subsequent award of the GWOTEM will be denoted with a Bronze Service Star (BSS).

* BSS are authorized for each subsequent operation a Soldier participated in (provided the criteria of AR 600-8-22, para 2-18 are met)

