Changes to form WH-385-V, Military Caregiver Leave for Veterans

General

- 1. Added color to WHD logo and section headers
- 2. Reorganized order of information and instructions provided
- 3. Added line for employee's name to every page
- 4. Changed questions to statements to be confirmed by checking a box
- 5. Aligned text and checkboxes
- 6. Shortened section titles
- 7. Added date formatting prompts
- 8. Renumbered items
- 9. Bolded selected text for emphasis
- 10. Removed excess blank lines
- 11. Rephrasing for plain language, and changes to language to be consistent form to form

Section I: Employer

- 12. Created new section for employer information
- 13. Added instruction that either the employer or employee may complete the section
- 14. Added information about administrative delays to providing the certification
- 15. Added date line and return by date
- 16. Added at least 15 calendar days instruction to due date request

Section II: Employee and/or Veteran

Part A: Employee Information

- 17. Added checkbox options for family relationship
- 18. Added definitions of spouse, in loco parentis, and next of kin

Part B: Veteran Information and Care to be Provided to the Veteran

- 19. Added checkbox options for the care the employee will provide the family member
- 20. Added option for reduced work schedule information

Section III: Health Care Provider

- 21. Added instruction to print the health care provider's name
- 22. Added checkboxes to identify the type of health care provider

Part A: Medical Information

- 23. Added line for patient's name
- 24. Added checkbox options for injury or illness

Part B: Amount of Leave Needed

Changes to form WH-385-V, Military Caregiver Leave for Veterans

- 25. Changed format, need for care for a continuous period of time
- 26. Changed format, duration of planned treatment and recovery
- 27. Changed format, need for care on an intermittent basis