

Upstate Young Marines Awards Application DDR Ribbon

Eligibility Requirements:

Awarded to a Young Marine who successfully executes the Enabling Objectives and Performance Requirements listed in the Performance Qualification Review for Performance Objective 5 Drug Prevention and Resistance in the Basic, Junior and Senior guidebooks and Performance Objective 6 Drug Prevention and Education in the Advanced guidebook. This award is only earned four times:

- Level 1 for completion of the Basic Young Marines Guidebook,
- Level 2 for completion of the Junior Young Marines Guidebook,
- Level 3 for completion of the Senior Young Marines Guidebook,
- Level 4 for completion of the Advanced Young Marines Guidebook.

Criteria:

The Young Marine must complete the following for each level.

1. Level 1. Complete Basic Young Marine Guide Book with promotion to YM-LCPL and receive required quarterly DDR training of at least 3 hours per quarter.
2. Level 2. Complete Junior Young Marine Guide Book with promotion to YM-SGT and receive required quarterly DDR training of at least 3 hours per quarter.
3. Level 3. Complete Senior Young Marine Guide Book with promotion to YM-GYSGT and receive required quarterly DDR training of at least 3 hours per quarter.
4. Level 4. Complete Advanced Young Marine Guide Book with promotion to YM-MGYSGT and receive required quarterly DDR training of at least 3 hours per quarter.

Authorized Devices:

One Bronze Star (3/16") for Level 2 (**Int.** ____)

Two Bronze Stars (3/16") for Level 3 (**Int.** ____)

Three Bronze Stars for (3/16") for Level 4 (**Int.** ____)

DEA Device -This device will be provided by the DEA to National Young Marines Headquarters, and awarded to a Young Marine who, while serving in any capacity of the Young Marines at any rank, distinguishes themselves by giving four presentations on Drug Demand Reduction to civic, community and other appropriate audiences outside the Young Marines organization to promote the ideals of a drug-free lifestyle. Submit documentation of criteria to NHQ, Attn: National DDR Officer. Once verified, the DEA device, with certificate, will be mailed to the Unit Commander for presentation.

Gold Crown Device – Awarded to those Young Marines who have directly participated in efforts of their unit being awarded the Fulcrum Shield Award.

For those Young Marines that earn the DEA Device and/or Gold Crown Device before completion of Basic Young Marine Guide Book, the device will be entered by NYM Hq's without ribbon award. Stars are removed when DEA or Gold Crown are awarded. The DEA and Gold Crown devices may both be worn on DDR ribbon.

Young Marine Name _____

Commanders Signature

Date Entered in Database