

LIST OF RECOMMENDED HOTELS

Emerald Grande at HarborWalk Village, (4 star property) 66 Harbor Blvd., Destin, Florida (800) 676-0091. **7.1 miles from Doolittle Institute** www.emeraldgrande.com Government per-diem rates available at certain times of the year with proper credentials.

Hotel and guestroom features: Located in Destin at the famous Destin Bridge, overlooking the turquoise water and sugar sand beaches. Hotel is adjacent to HarborWalk Village with many different restaurants to choose from, beautiful boutiques and shops and kiosks, harbor activities available such as sailing, snorkeling or kayaking. All rooms have balconies with panoramic views, there are four different condo-hotel categories to accommodate families of all sizes. These luxurious hotel accommodations include custom-crafted furnishing and lavish bathrooms. Most rooms come equipped with queen sleeper sofa beds, granite countertop kitchens, and living room area. Fitness center and world-class spa.

Holiday Inn Resort, (3 star property) 1299 Miracle Strip Parkway SE, Fort Walton Beach, Florida 32548, (850) 301-9000. **1.8 miles from Doolittle Institute**, accepts government per-diem rates (they have allocated a number of ½ price government per-diem rates but must book on their website. At the bottom of site, mentions military rates) www.holidayinnresortfortwaltonbeach.com

Hotel and Guestroom Features: Opened in late spring, 2014, this hotel is located directly on the beach facing the Gulf of Mexico. Indoor and outdoor pool with lazy river, beachfront hot tub, restaurants on property. Lobby with working area and business center. State-of-the art fitness center. Supervised children's programs and pirate and mermaid shows. Modern guest rooms with private balconies, flat screen HDTVs, cable with HBO, mini refrigerator, microwave and coffee maker, hair dryers, in-room safe, and free Wi-Fi.

Four Points by Sheraton, (3 star property) 1325 Miracle Strip Parkway, Fort Walton Beach, Florida, (850) 243-8116. **1.9 miles from Doolittle Institute**, accepts government per diem rates, <http://www.fourpointsdestinfortwaltonbeach.com>

Hotel and Guestroom Features: Located directly on the beach facing the Gulf of Mexico. 216 guest rooms with flat screen TVs, free bottled water, free high speed internet, signature Four Points by Sheraton Comfort Bed, refrigerator, microwave and beach towels. 24 Hour fitness center, two outdoor heated pools, business center, guest laundry facilities. Restaurants on property.

Ramada Inn, (3 star property) 1500 Miracle Strip Parkway SE, Fort Walton Beach, Florida (850) 243-9161. **2.3 miles from Doolittle Institute**, offers government per diem rates.

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Hotel and Guestroom Features: Locate directly on the beach facing the Gulf of Mexico. Room service, free wireless internet, dry cleaning service, guest laundry facilities, beach chair rentals, several restaurants on property, in-room refrigerator and microwave, free HBO, coffeemaker, pillow-top bedding, in-room safe, free parking. Heated pool and waterfall pool, hot tub and kid's splash garden. Business center on property.

TownePlace Suites by Marriott (FWB-Eglin AFB), (2 ½ star property) 843 Eglin Parkway, Fort Walton Beach, Florida 32547, (850) 315-6000. **2.4 miles from Doolittle Institute**, accepts government per-diem rates. <http://www.marriott.com/hotels/travel/vpsts-towneplace-suites-fort-walton-beach-eglin-afb/>

Hotel and Guestroom Features: Opened in August, 2014, with breathtaking water views of Choctawhatchee Bay, located close to **Eglin Air Force Base, Doolittle Institute, and Air Force Armament Museum**. 112 guestrooms, with outdoor pool and a fitness center and complimentary breakfast. Each room includes coffee/tea makers and hair dryers, complimentary wireless and wired high-speed internet access. Televisions are equipped with cable channels. All units have full-size kitchens with stovetops, microwaves, refrigerators, and dishwashers.

Fairfield Inn & Suites by Marriott, (2 ½ star property) 1280 Eglin Parkway N., Shalimar, Florida, (850) 651-9999. **3.6 miles from Doolittle Institute**, government per diem rates accepted. <http://www.marriott.com/hotels/travel/vpsfi-fairfield-inn-and-suites-fort-walton-beach-eglin-afb/>

Hotel and guestroom features: Located outside the Eglin gate. Free hot breakfast, free wireless, fitness center, local dinner delivery.

Wyndham Garden, 573 Santa Rosa Blvd, FWB FL 32548, (850) 244-8686, **2.7 miles from Doolittle Institute**

Hotel and guest features: Backed by our Wyndham "Count on Me" culture, we are ready to deliver incomparable customer service, along with our distinguished amenities: Award winning catering services/restaurant "Asiago Catering Services" on property (Best in Destin, 2016), newly improved and free HSIA, business center, and fitness center. For leisure enjoyment, we are proud to offer: free beach service (1 umbrella, 2 chairs per room), free DVD movie rentals, free bicycle rentals, 2 heated pools, seasonal activities, free parking, and many more features that will surely enhance every single stay.