

National Archives and Records Administration  
REQUEST FOR DISPOSITION AUTHORITY

Records Schedule Number: DAA-AU-2022-0006

Status: INACTIVE  
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## General Information

Agency or Establishment	Department of the Army
Record/Scheduling Group	AU - Army Undifferentiated Scheduling Group
Records Schedule Applies To	Agency-wide
Schedule Subject	Investigative Case Files on Anthrax
Additional Schedule Information	<p>AR 15-6, Procedures for Administrative Investigations and Boards of Officers, provides policy and procedures for investigations and boards.</p> <p>Records schedule N1-AU-90-022 provides 5-year retention for records of investigative case files, AR 15-6. A Note attached to this schedule states: "Significant cases (those at result in national media attention, Congressional investigation, and/or substantive changes in Army policy or procedures)...must be submitted to NARA for case-by-case disposition schedule. This schedule is submitted in response to this Note.</p> <p>The investigative case files on Anthrax are maintained by the HQDA, Assistant Secretary of the Army (Acquisition, Logistics and Technology, Pentagon.</p>
Is There a Classified Version of This Schedule?	No
Is consultation and coordination with Tribal Governments required?	No- The records covered by this schedule do not implicate Tribal interests

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## Item Count

Total number of disposition items: 1

Number of Temporary disposition items: 0

Number of Permanent disposition items: 1

Number of Items with Disposition Not Approved: 0

Number of Inactive disposition items: 1

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Outline of Records Schedule Items for DAA-AU-2022-0006

<b>Item #</b>	<b>Title</b>	<b>Disposition</b>
0001	Anthrax Investigation, 2004-2017 / RN 15-6d / ACRS 800B - PERM.	Permanent

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Records Schedule Items

DAA-AU-2022-0006-0001		STATUS: INACTIVE - NOT FOR USE
<b>ITEM GENERAL INFORMATION</b>		
Item Title	Anthrax Investigation, 2004-2017 / RN 15-6d / ACRS 800B - PERM.	
Item Description	Records relating to activities pertaining to sampling and identification of chemical surety inspections, Army IG corrective action plans, external report findings, e-mails, standing operating procedures, investigation appointment memo, and inadvertent shipment of live bacillus anthrax spores by DoD, comprised primarily of briefings and reports collected in 25 DVDs, and notebooks containing administration documents, sworn statements, documentation of evidence, and other pertinent information.	
Is this item media neutral?	Yes	
Is this item a Big Bucket?		
<b>MANUAL CITATION</b>		
Agency Code	AR 25-400-2	
Manual Title	The Army Records Information	
<b>SUPERSEDED AGENCY DISPOSITION AUTHORITIES AND GRS DEVIATIONS</b>		
Does this item supersede existing disposition authorities?	No	
Is this item a deviation from the GRS?	No	
<b>DISPOSITION INSTRUCTION</b>		
<b>DO NOT USE. This item is inactive because NARA accessioned the records. The Transfer Request number is TR-0335-2022-0006</b>		
Final Disposition	Permanent	
Are there multiple instructions for this item?	No	
Transfer Instruction	Other: Transfer to the National Archives immediately upon approval of this schedule.	
<b>ADDITIONAL INFORMATION</b>		
Approximate first year of records covered by this authority	2004	
End year of records covered by this authority	Year: 2017	
Date span of the initial transfer	From: --/--/2004 To: --/--/2017	

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Are any of the records covered by  
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Signatory Information

Action	User	Date
Approve	Debra Wall	07/03/2022