



## State of Nevada Employee Veteran of the Month – August 2023

### **Justin McRoberts**

CN III McRoberts was recently promoted to Correctional Nurse III or Charge Nurse but has been an employee for the Nevada Department of Corrections for more than three years at High Desert State Prison's (HDSP) Medical Department. CN III McRoberts adjusted quickly to his new role and became a well-respected leader for the medical team at HDSP. CN III McRoberts focuses on and encourages teamwork within our medical department, as well as with the custody and non-custody staff within our facility. He utilizes constructive feedback for all the staff as a tool for individual and team improvement. He values open communication and encourages our staff to continuously improve as a team, but also with their personal and professional development.

CN III McRoberts should be recognized as the State of Nevada's Employee Veteran of the Month because of the proven leader that he is and for how he has stepped up to be for our facility and our department. His experience in combat rescues provides our staff with his knowledge and expertise in handling emergency situations and with hands-on real-world training.

CN III McRoberts served in the United States Air Force (USAF) from 2001 to 2011 as an 1A7 Aerial Gunner on HH60G Combat Rescue Helicopters. He has been deployed seven times to Iraq, Afghanistan, and to the Horn of Africa. He is known for being a hero having flown over four hundred sorties, which resulted in saving over 100 coalition forces' lives.

An individual like CN III McRoberts should be recognized and celebrated as our nominee for the State of Nevada Employee Veteran of the Month not only as a Veteran but as a truly valued member of our NDOC team.