



# 97TH AIR MOBILITY WING

ALTUS AIR FORCE BASE, OKLAHOMA

## ABOUT ALTUS AFB

Since its activation as a multi-engine flight training school in 1943, the 97th Air Mobility Wing has been the cornerstone of southwestern Oklahoma for 80 years. With an average of more than 300 days of weather conducive flying each year and a generally flat landscape with few obstructions, the wing is the ideal location to carry out its mission. Now referred to as "*Mobility's Hometown*," the 97th AMW trains over 2,000 air mobility students annually, to include students from 16 different foreign nations.

## VISION

A Premier Installation Forging the World's Most Inspired, Proficient and Adaptive Mobility Warriors to Deliver Airpower for America.

## MISSION

We Train Exceptional Mobility Airmen

## PRIORITIES

Mission  
Airmen  
Community

## WHAT WE PROVIDE THE NATION

- 43 aircraft on site to support the world's only KC-135 (18), KC-46 (8) and C-17 (17) Formal Training Units
- 70% of all mobility aircrew training
- 2,000 combat aviators produced annually
- International partnerships with 16 nations



## ALTUS AFB BY THE NUMBERS

|              |                                                          |
|--------------|----------------------------------------------------------|
| Overall Area | 8,016 acres                                              |
| Personnel    | 7,830 members                                            |
|              | *25% of Altus' population                                |
| Units        | 4 groups, 18 squadrons, 2 detachments,<br>1 reserve unit |

### POPULATION

|                                       | 2021         | 2022         |
|---------------------------------------|--------------|--------------|
| Active Duty Military                  | 1,278        | 1,255        |
| Guard/Reserve                         | 82           | 63           |
| Dependents                            | 1,802        | 1,783        |
| <b>Total Military and Dependents</b>  | <b>3,162</b> | <b>3,101</b> |
| Appropriated Fund Civilians           | 1,251        | 1,183        |
| Non-appropriated Fund Civilians (NAF) | 144          | 198          |
| Contractors                           | 262          | 269          |
| Others                                | 82           | 50           |
| <b>Total Civilian</b>                 | <b>1,739</b> | <b>1,700</b> |
| <b>Cadets/Students</b>                | <b>1,778</b> | <b>2,554</b> |
| <b>Total Retirees</b>                 | <b>919</b>   | <b>977</b>   |



## COMMUNITY INVESTMENTS

|                              |                     |
|------------------------------|---------------------|
| Military Construction        | \$0                 |
| Medical Construction         | \$376,845           |
| Local Construction Contracts | \$26,243,747        |
| Local Service Contracts      | \$1,684,888         |
| Local GPC Purchases          | \$918,471           |
| Services & Retail            | \$1,617,864         |
| Utilities                    | \$947,933           |
| Health Care                  | \$4,228,828         |
| Education Impact Aid         | \$899,744           |
| Local Lodging                | \$4,891,653         |
| Local M&IE                   | \$1,757,214         |
| <b>Total Investments</b>     | <b>\$43,567,187</b> |

## JOB CREATION

|                                  |                     |
|----------------------------------|---------------------|
| Estimated Number of Jobs Created | 2,076               |
| Average Annual Salary            | \$40,737.96         |
| <b>Total Economic Impact</b>     | <b>\$607,319,03</b> |

|                                |       |
|--------------------------------|-------|
| FY23 Projected Student Inbound | 2,554 |
| FY22 Students in AAFB Lodging  | 861   |
| FY22 Students Lodged Off-Base  | 1216  |