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DIEGO CA//N01M// RUCOSSA/COMNAVIAIRPAC SAN DIEGO CA//N01M//
RUCBKMC/COMSUBLANT NORFOLK VA//N01M// RHHMDBA/COMSUBPAC PEARL HARBOR
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SUBJ/REVISED MEDICAL GUIDANCE FOR ENHANCED POST DEPLOYMENT HEALTH
ASSESSMENTS AND QUALITY ASSURANCE (PDHA QA) PROGRAM//

REF/A/DOC/DODI/YMD:20060811/NOTAL//
REF/B/GENADMIN/CNO/261447ZOCT2006//

NARR/REF A IMPLEMENTS POLICIES AND PROCEDURES FOR DEPLOYMENT HEALTH
ACTIVITIES FOR DEPLOYING, DEPLOYED AND REDEPLOYED PERSONNEL. REF B
EXEMPTS ROUTINE SHIPBOARD OPERATIONS FROM ENHANCED POST DEPLOYMENT AND
POST DEPLOYMENT REASSESSMENT REQUIREMENTS.// POC/SHARON
WRIGHT/CDR/CFFC N02H7/LOC:NORFOLK, VA/TEL:757-836-9245//

RMKS/1. THIS MESSAGE HAS BEEN COORDINATED WITH COMPACFLT SURGEON'S
OFFICE. REF A PROVIDES SPECIFIC CRITERIA FOR THE COMPLETION OF PRE
DEPLOYMENT HEALTH ASSESSMENTS, POST DEPLOYMENT HEALTH ASSESSMENTS
(PDHA/DD 2976), POST DEPLOYMENT HEALTH REASSESSMENTS (PDHRA/DD 2900),
AND QUALITY ASSURANCE METRICS FOR DEPLOYED SERVICE MEMBERS AND FOR DOD
CIVILIANS AND DOD CONTRACT PERSONNEL DEPLOYING WITH US FORCES. PER
REFS A AND B, SHIPBOARD OPERATIONS THAT ARE NOT ANTICIPATED TO INVOLVE
OPERATIONS ASHORE ARE EXEMPT FROM THE ENHANCED POST-DEPLOYMENT HEALTH
ASSESSMENTS. IN ORDER TO COMPLY WITH QUALITY ASSURANCE METRICS, TYCOMS
WILL TRACK THE FOLLOWING PDHA AND PDHRA DATA ELEMENTS AND INCORPORATE
INTO THEIR CURRENT QA PROGRAM.

- A. NUMBER OF PERSONNEL DEPLOYED.
- B. NUMBER OF PERSONNEL REDEPLOYED.
- C. NUMBER OF PERSONNEL COMPLETING DD 2796.
- D. NUMBER OF PERSONNEL COMPLETING THE POST DEPLOYMENT BLOOD DRAW.
- E. NUMBER OF PERSONNEL REQUIRING A REFERRAL/CONSULT AS A RESULT OF
THE PDHA SCREENING.
- F. NUMBER OF PERSONNEL COMPLETING INITIAL REFERRAL EVALUATION.

- G. NUMBER OF DD FORM 2796 FORWARDED TO ARMY MEDICAL SURVEILLANCE ACTIVITY (AMSA).
- H. NUMBER OF PERSONNEL COMPLETING DD 2900.
- I. NUMBER OF PERSONNEL REQUIRING A REFERRAL/CONSULT AS A RESULT OF THE PDHRA SCREENING.
- J. NUMBER OF PERSONNEL COMPLETING INITIAL REFERRAL EVALUATION AS A RESULT OF THE PDHRA SCREENING.
- K. NUMBER OF DD FORM 2900 FORWARDED TO ARMY MEDICAL SURVEILLANCE ACTIVITY (AMSA).

2. DATA COLLECTION WILL BE ACCOMPLISHED BY THE ISIC THROUGH RECORDS REVIEW WITHIN 90 DAYS OF RETURN FROM DEPLOYMENT FOR THE DD 2796 AND 180 DAYS OF RETURN FROM DEPLOYMENT FOR THE DD 2900.

3. TO ENSURE A STATISTICALLY SIGNIFICANT NUMBER OF RECORDS ARE REVIEWED, THE FOLLOWING SAMPLE PLAN IS RECOMMENDED:

- A. UNITS WITH 50 RECORDS: COMPLETE 42 RECORD REVIEWS.
- B. UNITS WITH 100 RECORDS: COMPLETE 73 RECORD REVIEWS.
- C. UNITS WITH 200 RECORDS: COMPLETE 115 RECORD REVIEWS.
- D. UNITS WITH 350 RECORDS: COMPLETE 153 RECORD REVIEWS.
- E. UNITS WITH 500 RECORDS: COMPLETE 176 RECORD REVIEWS.

4. TYCOMS WILL DETERMINE HOW THE REVIEW IS TO BE CONDUCTED AND MONITOR PROGRAM COMPLIANCE. 90% PROGRAM COMPLIANCE WILL BE CONSIDERED SATISFACTORY. TOOLS TO CONDUCT REVIEWS CAN BE FOUND AT THE NEHC WEB SITE PAGE: WWW-NEHC.MED.NAVY.MIL/PREVMED/EPI/DEPSURV.HTM#

5. TYCOMS WILL SUBMIT DATA TO FFC NO2H7 FOR REVIEW AND TO THE NAVY ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH CENTER (NEHC) FOR ANALYSIS. PACFLT TYCOMS WILL INCLUDE PACFLT N01M IN THEIR SUBMISSION TO CFFC. ADDRESSES TO SUBMIT THE REPORTS ARE AS FOLLOWS:

- A. CFFC NO2H7: CALL (757) 836-9245 FOR E-MAIL ADDRESS
- B. NEHC: POSTDEP@NEHC.MAR.MED.NAVY.MIL
- C. PACFLT: N01M: CALL (808) 474-6341 FOR E-MAIL ADDRESS.

6. ADDITIONAL PDHA PROGRAM INFORMATION, INCLUDING ELECTRONIC VERSIONS OF DD 2796 AND DD 2900, EXCEL SPREADSHEET FOR UNIT QA REPORT SUBMISSION AND AMSA SUBMISSION INFORMATION IS AVAILABLE ON THE NEHC WEB SITE AT THE FOLLOWING ADDRESS:

[//">HTTP://WWW-NEHC.MED.NAVY.MIL/POSTDEP/INDEX.HTM.//](http://WWW-NEHC.MED.NAVY.MIL/POSTDEP/INDEX.HTM)

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