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"Leadership, Partnership, and Championship"



What is Navy Knowledge Online (NKO)? NKO is a robust knowledge management system and career planning tool that functions as the key component of the Navy's new integrated learning environment. It provides a dynamic, Navy-wide, broad-based delivery system through which Navy personnel (Officer, Enlisted and Civilian) and their dependents can already access a wealth of information. NKO supports the missions of the Learning Centers of Excellence (including NMETC as the Center for Force Health Protection) by providing the architecture for:

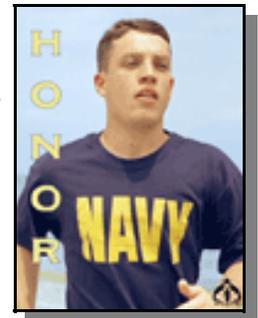
- The 5 Vector Model - Navy's cornerstone for personal and professional development. It will contain a personalized roadmap for career development, performance evaluations and advancement potential.
- Collaboration tools (i.e. chat capabilities), search mechanisms, instructional materials, resource links, best practices and subject matter expertise for associated Navy ratings and leadership roles.
- A metric measurement capability that provides a continual gauge of progress along the continuum for a budding Community of Practice among our MTF/DTFs, Schoolhouses and Fleet/Marine Operational Units.
- Access to your Electronic Training Jacket and Smart Transcript.

To login click here (there are directions for new users): <https://www.nko.navy.mil/portal/index.jhtml> Please encourage your staff and customers to register at NKO and to navigate around and explore the capabilities of the site. The site is being updated and revised daily, so be aware that you may find an occasional bug.

Spring 2003: Navy Recruit Fitness Awareness Campaign.

NEHC Physical Fitness Program is partnering with Health Promotion Council, Naval Training Center Great Lakes to promote the awareness of physical fitness. NEHC is providing Recruit Training Command (RTC) Great Lakes with digital copies of Navy Physical Fitness Posters to promote the awareness of physical fitness among the Navy Recruit population. The US Navy Physical Fitness Posters tie in the Navy Core Values of Honor, Courage, and Commitment with personal READINESS. The posters promote the three components of physical fitness: cardiovascular, muscular strength and endurance, and flexibility. Over 100 Sailors world-wide assisted in the development of the Navy Fitness Posters.

The Navy trains approx. 50,000 recruits at its Recruit Training Command each year. Much critical learning and decision making is made during the early months of a Sailor's career at this location. RTC is undergoing reconstruction of all the recruit barracks. Approval has been granted to place 40 framed posters in each of the new barracks including galley spaces within these buildings. RTC has procured beautiful wood frames for this project. The posters will hang primarily in passageways. The bulkheads adjacent to the food lines have also been approved for this initiative. The eventual plan is to duplicate this process in all RTC barracks. When complete, every enlisted member of the Navy will have lived for 10 weeks looking at these posters. Kudos to the RTC Great Lakes Health Promotion team in initiating this population health awareness campaign!



"Few things can help an individual more than to place responsibility on him, and to let him know that you trust him." - Booker T. Washington