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MEMORANDUM FOR ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF THE ARMY (M&RA)
ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF THE NAVY (M&RA)
ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF THE AIR FORCE (M&RA)

SUBJECT. Chiropractic Care for Active Duty Members of the Uniformed Services

Reference: (a) Section 702 of the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year
2001

Chiropractic care is to be provided only in military treatment facilities (MTFs) by contract employees subject to the availability of resources for this benefit. All sites are to provide care to active duty personnel only. No supplemental care funds will be used to provide chiropractic services outside of the MTFs.

Using FY 2004 funds, the Services are expanding the chiropractic care benefit to nine new sites. If these expansions cannot be accomplished with the Fiscal Year 2004 funds earmarked for the chiropractic care program, then do not proceed to open new sites and notify my office. No additional funds will be available for these expansions.

The Services have selected the following MTFs as additional chiropractic care sites in Fiscal Year 2004. These sites are in addition to the MTFs listed in the attached HA Policy Memo 03-001 and HA Policy Memo 03-005.

Army MTFs: Fort Campbell
Fort Drum

Air Force MTFs: Barksdale AFB
Davis-Monthan AFB
Eglin AFB
MacDill AFB
McGuire AFB
Tinker AFB
Wright-Patterson AFB

HA POLICY: 03-021

The point of contact for the Chiropractic Care program is Ms Anne Giese, Operations Directorate, TMA, at 703-681-0039.


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Attachments:
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Surgeon General of the Army
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ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF THE AIR FORCE (SAF/MI)

SUBJECT: Policy Memorandum – Chiropractic Care for Active Duty Members of the
Uniformed Services

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Chiropractic care is to be provided only in MTFs by contract employees pending the results of an analysis to determine the impact of using supplemental care funds for chiropractic care. All sites are to provide care to active duty personnel only.

The Services have selected the following MTFs as additional chiropractic care sites in Fiscal Year 2003. These sites currently provide chiropractic care to active duty personnel, except as noted with an asterisk (*).

Army MTFs: Fort Bragg, NC
Fort Campbell, KY *
Fort Hood, TX

Navy MTFs: NH Beaufort, SC *
NH Bremerton, WA
NH Cherry Point, NC *

Air Force MTFs: Andrews AFB, MD
Keesler AFB, MS
Langley AFB, VA
USAF Academy, CO

* Opening date to be determined.

HA POLICY: 03-001

The following sites have been providing chiropractic care since 1998:

Army MTFs: Fort Benning, GA
Fort Carson, CO
Fort Jackson, SC
Fort Sill, OK
Walter Reed Army Medical Ctr, DC

Navy MTFs: NH Camp Lejeune, NC
NH Camp Pendleton, CA
NH Jacksonville NAS, FL
National Naval Medical Center, MD

Air Force MTFs: Offutt AFB, NE
Scott AFB, IL
Travis AFB, CA
Wilford Hall Medical Center, TX

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The Services have selected the following MTFs as additional chiropractic care sites in Fiscal Year 2003. These sites are in addition to the MTFs listed in the attached HA Policy Memo 03-001.

Army MTFs: Fort Bliss
Fort Lewis
Fort Meade
Fort Knox
Fort Leonard Wood
Fort Stewart
Fort Gordon
Tripler AMC

Navy MTFs: NMC Portsmouth
NH Great Lakes
NH San Diego
NH Pensacola

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