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MEMORANDUM FOR SURGEON GENERAL OF THE ARMY
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SUBJECT: Policy for Service AHLTA End User Device Standard Configuration(s)

The Military Health System (MHS), working with the Services, maintains a set of minimum hardware and software requirements for AHLTA end user devices (EUDs) in use at military treatment facilities (MTFs). However, in the absence of a set of standard configurations, the variety of EUD hardware and software configurations has proliferated within and across the Services to the point that AHLTA maintenance is impacted.

With the worldwide implementation and management of AHLTA, the MHS needs to reduce workstation variability to improve application management and troubleshooting, facilitate the ordering process, minimize hardware and software conflicts, and optimize performance. Towards that end, each Service is to determine its AHLTA EUD requirements and provide a written policy detailing a single standard hardware and software configuration for AHLTA EUDs within 90 days of the date of this memorandum.

Please provide a copy of the Service specific AHLTA EUD configuration policy to Colonel Davette L. Murray, TIMPO Program Manager. Colonel Murray can be contacted by phone at (703) 681-6123 or by e-mail at Davette.Murray@tma.osd.mil.

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