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MEMORANDUM FOR Commanders, MEDCOM Major Subordinate Commands

SUBJECT: US Army Medical Command Chemical, Biological, Radiological, and Nuclear and (High-Yield) Explosives (CBRNE) Training Policy

1. References:

a. Memorandum, MCOP-P, 6 August 2007, subject: Policy on Advanced Chemical, Biological, Radiological, Nuclear, and High-Yield Explosives (CBRNE) Medical Training, 6 August 2007.

b. MEDCOM Operations Order 07-52, CBRNE Training, 12 April 2007 and subsequent Fragmentary Orders (FRAGOs).

c. MEDCOM Operations Order 08-08, Advanced Chemical, Biological, Radiological, Nuclear, and High Yield Explosives Training, 30 October 2007 and subsequent FRAGOs.

d. Health Affairs Policy, Chemical, Biological, Radiological, Nuclear, and (High-Yield) Explosives Training for Military Medical Personnel, 28 June 2007.

e. OPLAN 01-10, All Hazards, US Army Medical Command, 5 March 2010.

f. Medical Command Regulation 350-4, MEDCOM Training and Leader Development.

g. MEDCOM Training and Leader Development Guidance for Fiscal Years 2010 and 2011 (FY 10-11).

2. Purpose: To provide updates to the Medical Command CBRNE training requirements, pending update of the MEDCOM training guidance and establish responsibilities for the training.

3. Proponent: The proponent for this policy is the Readiness and Training Division, Assistant Chief of Staff for Health Care Operations.

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4. Policy:

a. It is the policy of the OTSG and MEDCOM to afford the opportunity for CBRNE training to all personnel to maintain the highest level of readiness and proficiency that all CBRNE threats merit. It is also the policy of the OTSG and MEDCOM that leaders and supervisors from all Major Subordinate Commands (MSC) require and document this training.

b. For the MEDCOM to remain vigilant when responding to local and world events such as the recent nuclear power plant crisis in Japan after the March 2011 earthquake and tsunami, MEDCOM military and civilian personnel must be trained ready to respond as individuals and team members.

5. Responsibilities:

a. In accordance with MEDCOM Reg 350-4, the MEDCOM G3/Director of Healthcare Operations updates the MEDCOM Consolidated Training Requirements Matrix (MCTRM). The content of this memorandum will be included in the next update of the MCTRM.

b. Commanders will ensure compliance with this memorandum.

6. Procedures:

a. This memorandum rescinds MEDCOM Operations Order 07-52, CBRNE Training, 12 April 2007 and MEDCOM OPORD 08-08, Advanced Chemical, Biological, Radiological, Nuclear, and High Yield Explosives Training, 30 October 2007, (References a, b, and c).

b. MEDCOM commanders and supervisors will assign and evaluate CBRNE training as a special emphasis area during initial, periodic and annual counseling, and when establishing/monitoring individual development plans for all military and civilian personnel.

c. Contractor personnel working in medical treatment facilities will complete a course appropriate for their duties and responsibilities. MEDCOM commanders will ensure that contracts include the requirement for contractor personnel to complete CBRNE training.

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d. Commanders and leaders will use the MEDCOM approved course listing in Enclosure 1 when determining the appropriate CBRNE training for individuals and teams.

e. MEDCOM units will provide CBRNE training credit in DTMS using HQDA DTMS task number DA-CMT07 as shown in Enclosure 2 for all of the MEDCOM CBRNE courses listed in Enclosure 1.

f. The following procedures are effective immediately:

(1) MEDCOM Commanders will:

(a) Ensure all MEDCOM personnel complete at least one CBRNE training event listed at Enclosure 1 every three years.

(b) Verify completion of CBRNE training in DTMS during in-processing for newly assigned personnel and ensure new personnel complete an appropriate CBRNE course within 60 days of assignment/employment with the MEDCOM.

(c) Program funding for personnel to attend courses that are not centrally funded.

(d) Coordinate for mobile training teams as required.

(e) Assign, schedule, and document training completion in DTMS for all categories of personnel assigned: military, civilian, and contractor personnel.

(f) Train and maintain 90% or greater CBRNE training completion rate NLT 28 March 2012. Include percent CBRNE training compliance in training briefings.

(g) Provide a command representative to brief the command's improvement plan at the quarterly MEDCOM command management review after 30 December 2011 and whenever the command falls below 70% in CBRNE training compliance.

(2) Commander, AMEDDC&S, will:

(a) Coordinate with MSC Commanders to conduct assigned courses as required.

(b) Identify and approve courses for incorporation in CBRNE training curriculum.

(c) Provide oversight in CBRNE curriculum development.

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(d) Identify gaps in training curriculum and modify/develop training to close these gaps.

(e) Incorporate CBRNE training into career development courses as appropriate.

(f) Include CBRNE training completion credit in the weekly DTMS batch upload for all personnel who complete AMEDDC&S formal and functional training courses listed in Enclosure 1. Use MEDCOM DTMS task number DA-CMT07 to document the course completion. Provide the initial data upload immediately.

(3) MRMC. In conjunction with AMEDDC&S, coordinate with MSC to conduct assigned CBRNE courses.

FOR THE COMMANDER:

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Enclosure 1. CBRNE COURSE REFERENCE CHART - USAMEDCOM

MEDCOM DTMS Task #	Task Title	Proponent	Course delivery method	Location and contact information
MC - 00087	MC - Homeland Security Medical Executive Course	Defense Medical Readiness Training Institute (DMRTI) USAMRICD	MTT	http://www.dmrti.army.mil/dmrticourses
MC - 00088	MC - Hospital Management of CBRNE Casualties (HM - CBRNE)			https://ccc.apgea.army.mil/default.htm
MC - 00221	MC - Emergency Prepared Response Course (EPRC for CBRN - Basic Awareness Course; Course # J3OP-U261)	Joint Knowledge Online - Learning Management System	CBT	http://jko.jfcom.mil/
MC - 00218	MC - Emergency Prepared Response Course (EPRC for CBRN - Clinician Short Course; Course # J3OP-U258)	Joint Knowledge Online - Learning Management System	CBT	http://jko.jfcom.mil/
MC - 00219	MC - Emergency Prepared Response Course (EPRC for CBRN - Operator Short Course; Course # J3OP-U260)	Joint Knowledge Online - Learning Management System	CBT	http://jko.jfcom.mil/
MC - 00220	MC - Emergency Prepared Response Course (EPRC for CBRN - Executive Commander Course; Course # J3OP-U262)	Joint Knowledge Online - Learning Management System	CBT	http://jko.jfcom.mil/
MC - 00089	MC - Field Management of Chemical Casualties (FCBC) Course #6H-F37	USAMRICD ICW USAMRIID,	Resident /MTT	https://ccc.apgea.army.mil/default.htm
MC - 00090	MC - Medical Management of Chemical and Biological Casualties (MCBC) Course #6H-F26	AMEDDC&S presented by USAMRICD, and USAMRIID	Resident/MTT	https://ccc.apgea.army.mil/default.htm
MC - 00091	MC - Medical Effects of Ionizing Radiation (MEIR) Course	Armed Forces Radiobiology Research Institute	Resident/MTT	http://www.afri.usuhs.mil/outreach/meir/meir.htm

Course Number	Proponent	Course Delivery Method
301-68D10 – Operating Room Specialist	AMEDC&S	Resident
330-68E10 – Dental Specialist	AMEDC&S	Resident
513-68G10 – Patient Administration Specialist	AMEDC&S	Resident
513-68G10(RC) – Patient Administration Specialist	AMEDC&S	Resident
551-68J10 – Medical Logistics Specialist	AMEDC&S	Resident
4B-670A – Health Services Warrant Officer Basic Course	AMEDC&S	Resident
311-68K10 – Medical Lab Specialist	AMEDC&S	Resident
800-68M10 – Hospital Food Service Specialist (Basic)	AMEDC&S	Resident
800-68M10(RC) - Hospital Food Service Specialist (Basic)	AMEDC&S	Resident
312-68Q10 – Pharmacy Specialist	AMEDC&S	Resident
322-68S10 – Preventive Medicine Specialist	AMEDC&S	Resident
322-68S10(RC) – Preventive Medicine Specialist	AMEDC&S	Resident
300-68V20 – Respiratory Specialist	AMEDC&S	Resident
300-68W10 – Health Care Specialist	AMEDC&S	Resident
300-68W30M6 – Health Care Specialist	AMEDC&S	Resident
300-68WP2 – Ears, Nose, Throat	AMEDC&S	Resident
303-N3 – Occupational Therapy	AMEDC&S	Resident
303-N9 – Physical Therapy Specialist	AMEDC&S	Resident
6A-F5 – Principles of Military Preventive Medicine	AMEDC&S	Resident
6H-F45 – Radiological Hazards Operator's Training	AMEDC&S	Resident
PHEM - Public Health Emergency Management	DMRTI	Resident