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MEMORANDUM FOR COMMANDER, NAVY MEDICINE EAST
COMMANDER, NAVY MEDICINE WEST
COMMANDER, NAVY NATIONAL CAPITAL AREA
COMMANDER, NAVY MEDICINE SUPPORT COMMAND

Subj: NAVY MEDICINE POLICY FOR INTEGRATED DISABILITY EVALUATION
SYSTEM (IDES) SITE CERTIFICATION AND IMPLEMENTATION READINESS

Ref: (a) USD (P&R) memo of Aug 16, 210, Senior Oversight Committee Decision to Execute
Worldwide Expansion of the Integrated Disability Evaluation System
(b) Memorandum for Record – SOC Decisions and Taskings of Aug 2, 2010

1. References (a) and (b) provide the Integrated Disability Evaluation (IDES) expansion authority and specific taskings for each of the Service Departments. Per reference (a), the Senior Oversight Committee (SOC) directed the services to move forward on IDES expansion beginning 1 October 2010.

2. Navy Medicine's protocol for IDES expansion site certification will be Regional Commander and medical treatment facility (MTF) commanding officer signatory on the IDES Site Assessment Matrix for individual sites. This matrix was provided to expansion sites via Enterprise Knowledge Management tasker #E10UN093000771 on 17 August 2010. These signatures are required once the MTF, in collaboration and approval with local Department of Veterans Affairs (VA) representatives, have completed all required actions in order to successfully implement and sustain the IDES at that location, excluding a final Memorandum of Agreement (MOA) being in effect. Completed matrices will be submitted to the Bureau of Medicine and Surgery contacts listed below for review and further submission.

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