



Joint Task Force National Capital Region Medical **DIRECTIVE**

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SUBJECT: Defense Standardization Program (DSP)

References: See Enclosure

1. **PURPOSE.** This Directive, in accordance with References (a) through (d), establishes policy and assigns responsibilities for Joint Task Force National Capital Region Medical (JTF CapMed) participation in the DSP.
2. **APPLICABILITY.** This Directive applies to JTF CapMed and all Joint Medical Treatment Facilities (MTFs) and Centers in the National Capital Region (i.e., Fort Belvoir Community Hospital, Walter Reed National Military Medical Center, and the Joint Pathology Center).
3. **POLICY.** It is JTF CapMed policy to ensure that the Joint MTFs and Centers are in compliance with chapter 145 of title 10, United States Code (also known as the “Cataloging and Standardization Act” (Reference (e))), which requires maximum standardization of items, materiel, and engineering practices within the DoD. The DSP was implemented by DoD 4120.24-M, DoD Instruction 4120.24, and DoD Directive 5000.01 (References (f) through (h)).
4. **RESPONSIBILITIES.** JTF CAPMED DIRECTOR, LOGISTICS (J-4). The JTF CapMed Director, Logistics (J-4) shall:
 - a. Ensure that materiel standardization, including information technology and facilities, is addressed throughout the acquisition process.
 - b. Ensure compliance with specifications and standards required by law, regulations, and international standardization agreements, as applicable.
 - c. Ensure compliance with the DSP procedures in Reference (f).

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d. Ensure that necessary planning, programming, and budgeting resources are provided to JTF CapMed personnel to develop and maintain specifications, standards, and other related standardization documents in accordance with Reference (f).

e. If requested by DoD Defense Standardization Council (per Reference (g)), designate a senior official as the JTF CapMed Standardization Executive, to ensure the implementation of this Directive and to identify organizations within the JTF CapMed Joint Operations Area that are authorized to serve as one of the standardization management activity functions in Reference (g).

f. Ensure that JTF CapMed personnel in an authorized standardization management activity have received the necessary training to carry out their functions.

5. RELEASABILITY. UNLIMITED. This Directive is approved for public release and is available on the Internet from the JTF CapMed Web Site at: www.capmed.mil.

6. EFFECTIVE DATE. This Directive is effective immediately.



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ENCLOSURE

REFERENCES

- (a) Deputy Secretary of Defense Memorandum, “Establishing Authority for Joint Task Force – National Capital Region Medical (JTF CapMed) and JTF CapMed Transition Team,” September 12, 2007
- (b) Deputy Secretary of Defense Approved Action Memorandum, “Civilian and Military Personnel Management Structures for the Joint Task Force National Capital Region – Medical (JTF CapMed),” January 15, 2009
- (c) Comprehensive Master Plan for the National Capital Region Medical, April 23, 2010
- (d) Supplement to the Comprehensive Master Plan for the National Capital Region Medical, August 31, 2010
- (e) Chapter 145 of title 10, United States Code
- (f) DoD 4120.24-M, “DSP Policies & Procedures,” March 2000
- (g) DoD Instruction 4120.24, “Defense Standardization Program (DSP),” July 13, 2011
- (h) DoD Directive 5000.01, “The Defense Acquisition System,” May 12, 2003