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From: Chief, Bureau of Medicine and Surgery

To: Ships and Stations Having Medical and Dental Department Personnel

Subj: ANNOUNCEMENT OF THE NAVMED 6470/17, DOSIMETRY ISSUANCE REPORT
FOR OPERATION TOMODACHI

Ref: (a) NAVMED P-5055 of Feb 2011
(b) BUMEDINST 6470.10B

1. Purpose. To announce the NAVMED 6470/17, Dosimetry Issuance Report for Operation Tomodachi. NAVMED 6470/17 shall be used to document the distribution of personal thermoluminescent devices.

2. Background. Because of the earthquake activity and tsunami in the area of Japan and the subsequent problems with the nuclear reactors on the island, there is a need to assess the radiation levels for all beneficiaries (military, dependents, and retirees), Department of the Navy civilians employees and contractors supporting the United States mission in Japan. Additional guidance concerning radiation health is contained in references (a) and (b).

3. Action. Effective immediately the issuance of DT-702 Personal Thermoluminescent Devices (TLD) in conjunction with Operation Tomodachi shall be recorded on NAVMED 6470/17, a fillable, savable electronic form.

a. The Field Unit Representative shall:

(1) Have each member complete a DD Form 2005, Privacy Act Statement – Health Care Records.

(2) Complete NAVMED 6470/14: Section 1, Activity Submitting Report; Section 2, Field Unit Representative; Section 3, Field Representative Telephone and E-mail; Section 4, UIC/RUC; Section 6, Member's Information; and Section 8, Monitoring Period.

b. The Operation Tomodachi Medical Facilities Manager shall complete all other sections of the NAVMED 6470/17.

c. The completed NAVMED 6470/17 shall used to enter data into the Shipboard Non-tactical Automated Data Processing (SNAP) Automated Medical System (SAMS) and create the NAVMED 6470/3, Radiation Exposure Report (Whole Body).

d. A copy of NAVMED 6470/17 and the original NAVMED 6470/3 shall be forwarded under a cover letter to the Officer in Charge, Navy Dosimetry Center, 8901 Wisconsin Avenue, Bldg 4/6, Bethesda, MD 20889-5614. The cover letter shall include a point of contact, phone number, and e-mail address.

e. Activities that submit completed NAVMED 6470/3 and NAVMED 6470/17 shall maintain the original NAVMED 6470/17, a copy of NAVMED 6470/3, the original DD Form 2005, and accountability for the number of TLDs issued.

4. Forms

a. DD Form 2005 (FEB 2005), Privacy Act Statement – Health Records is available electronically at: <http://www.dtic.mil/whs/directives/infomgt/forms/efoms/dd2005.pdf>.

b. The following NAVMED forms are available electronically at:
<https://navalforms.daps.dla.mil/web/public/home>.

(1) NAVMED 6470/3 (4-2010), Radiation Exposure Report (Whole Body).

(2) NAVMED 6470/17 (3-2011), Dosimetry Issuance Report for Operation Tomodachi.

5. Cancellation Contingency. Retain until incorporated into references (a) and (b).


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