BUMED NOTICE 6300

From: Chief, Bureau of Medicine and Surgery

Subj: NAVY MEDICINE FAMILY PLANNING SERVICES PROVIDER DATA ANALYSIS

1. **Purpose.** A survey will be conducted to ascertain the contraceptive preferences, practice patterns and general impressions of our health care professionals engaged in the provision of contraceptive services and women's health care. The group of survey participants will include women’s health care providers such as Obstetrician/Gynecologists, Family Physicians, Certified Nurse Midwives, Women’s Health Nurse Practitioners, Family Nurse Practitioners and Independent Duty Corpsmen. Their responses are vitally important to help us understand where education and training efforts should be directed, or where access to care issues impact the delivery of these services; and will be used to guide future policy development in support of optimal access to women’s health care services.

2. **Scope and Applicability.** All military and General Schedule civilian women’s health care providers assigned to Navy Medicine installations and commands. This does not include contractors.

3. **Background.** The BUMED Women’s Health Continuum of Care Advisory Board developed a working group to address unplanned pregnancy within the force. This group has developed an approach aimed at assessing, evaluating, and recommending policy and practice pattern changes to address this issue. This survey will help gather information to assist with the assessment of provider and practitioner contraceptive care management and collective fund of knowledge.

4. **Action.** Each individual in the group will be sent an e-mail which will include a Web link (https://survey.max.gov/index.php/139895/lang-en) to the online survey. The survey will be due 2 weeks after the test group respondents receive the e-mail.

5. **The BUMED Point of Contact** is CDR Eva Domotorffy (BUMED M3B2), who can be reached at (703) 681-9265 or by e-mail at: eva.domotorffy@med.navy.mil.

6. **Records.** Records created as a result of this notice, regardless of media and format, shall be managed per SECNAV M-5210.1 of January 2012.

7. **Form, Report, and Survey**

a. **Form.** The Navy Medicine Family Planning Services Survey, NAVMED 6300/18, will be available via the Web link provided in paragraph 4 above.

c. **Survey.** The Navy Medicine Family Planning Services Survey may be accessed following the guidance in paragraph 4 above.

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