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BUMED INSTRUCTION 1510.25A

From: Chief, Bureau of Medicine and Surgery

Subj: TACTICAL COMBAT CASUALTY CARE PROGRAM

Ref: (a) DoD Instruction 1322.24 of 6 October 2011

1. Purpose. To provide training within Navy Medicine for point of injury care and enhance operational readiness per reference (a).
2. Cancellation. BUMEDINST 1510.25
3. Scope. This instruction applies to Navy Medicine Budget Submitting Office (BSO) 18 medical treatment facilities (MTF).
4. Policy
 - a. Tactical Combat Casualty Care (TCCC) Provider Course
 - (1) Active Duty and Reserve Enlisted Sailors of the Hospital Corps must complete the TCCC provider course initially and every 3 years thereafter to maintain readiness and within 180 days of assignment to an individual augmentee or Health Services Augmentation Assignment Program deployment.
 - (2) Active Duty and Reserve Medical Corps officers, Medical Service Corps Physician Assistants, and Nurse Corps officers must complete the TCCC provider course as required by deployment orders or assigned platform training requirement.
 - (3) Enlisted Sailors of the Hospital Corps who have graduated from the Field Medical Service Technician Course at Field Medical Training Battalion (FMTB) East or FMTB West must be granted reciprocity from date of graduation for the TCCC provider course.
 - b. TCCC Instructor Course
 - (1) Instructors. Instructor candidates must attend a Bureau of Medicine and Surgery (BUMED) TCCC instructor course. The following TCCC instructor candidate prerequisites apply:
 - (a) Successful completion of a TCCC provider course within the last 2 years, validated by a certificate of completion.

(b) Be in pay grades E-5 and above or civilian equivalent. E-4 candidates may attend with a letter of recommendation from their local command documenting significant operational or instructor experience.

(c) Highly recommend candidate possess the Navy enlisted classification 9502 or have recent instructional experience.

(2) Instructor reciprocity will be granted to:

(a) TCCC instructors who have graduated from TCCC instructor course at FMTB East or FMTB West. Candidates must have a current instructor qualification and complete an evaluation period defined by the TCCC program director.

(b) Sailors who graduated from the Special Operations Combat Medic Course or Special Operations Independent Duty Course at the Naval Special Operations Institute. Sailors must have a current instructor qualification and complete an evaluation period defined by the TCCC program director.

c. TCCC Instructor Trainer Course

(1) The TCCC program director in collaboration with the local TCCC program manager may establish an instructor training course.

(2) Instructor training sites will follow the guidelines established by the TCCC program director and the TCCC administrator's guide.

d. Funding. Funding for instructor training by Navy Expeditionary Medical Training Institute (NEMTI) either onsite at NEMTI or via mobile training team is the responsibility of the requesting MTF.

e. Documentation. Completion of TCCC courses must be documented in the Navy Medicine Enterprise Learning Management System (LMS).

5. Actions

a. BUMED Medical Inspector General. Inspect BSO-18 MTF TCCC programs for compliance with this instruction.

b. Commander, Navy Medicine Education, Training, and Logistics Command

(1) Designate a TCCC program director.

(2) Ensure documentation from Navy Medicine LMS is recorded in the Expeditionary Medicine Platform Augmentation Readiness System and the Fleet Training Management Planning System.

c. TCCC Program Director

(1) Publish and maintain a standardized TCCC provider course and TCCC instructor course that includes curriculum, equipment, and supplies based on committee on TCCC guidance.

(2) Provide a TCCC administrator's guide detailing execution of the TCCC program.

(3) Provide assist visits to BSO-18 staff education and training departments to inspect and assist in the execution of the TCCC Program.

(4) Coordinate TCCC instructor courses; and provide mobile training teams at the request of Navy Medicine regions. Funding for mobile training is the responsibility of the requesting facility.

d. Commanders, Navy Medicine Regions

(1) Designate MTFs as TCCC training sites. In situations where it is prohibitive to establish a training program due to command size or location, identify a supporting MTF to deliver TCCC training.

(2) Monitor designated TCCC training sites for program compliance.

e. BSO-18 Activity Commanding Officers and Officers in Charge

(1) Implement and resource a formal TCCC program as designated by regional commanders and exercise overall responsibility for the training in compliance with this instruction and guidance defined by the TCCC program director.

(2) Appoint in writing TCCC program managers to oversee and execute the TCCC training program.

(3) Oversee compliance and ensure training is documented.

f. TCCC Program Manager

(1) Ensure completion of TCCC program per this instruction.

(2) Document completion of TCCC training.

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

7. Review and Effective Date. Per OPNAVINST 5215.17A, this instruction will be reviewed annually on the anniversary of its effective date to ensure applicability, currency, and consistency with Federal, Department of Defense, Secretary of the Navy, and Navy policy and statutory authority using OPNAV 5215/40 Review of Instruction. This instruction will automatically expire 5 years after effective date unless reissued or canceled prior to the 5-year anniversary date, or an extension has been granted.


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