As a Maritime Medical Force, we develop and deliver **manned, trained, equipped, maintained, and certified** medical forces that force develop, generate, and preserve the Naval human weapons system.

**MISSION**

**NAVY MEDICAL OPERATIONAL TRAINING COMMAND (NMOTC)**

**WHERE MEDICAL READINESS STARTS**

- **MISSION:** To **train, educate, and qualify** healthcare professionals and skilled warfighters to support maritime dominance.
- **VISION:** Recognized as the **center of excellence in operational medicine and warfighter & aircrew survivability** across the range of military operations through innovative and evidence-based education and training.
- Subordinate command of Naval Medical Forces Support Command (NMFSC)
- Oversees 6 training detachments, 18 activities/centers and 64 courses
- **DETACHMENTS:**
  - Naval Aerospace Medical Institute (NAMI), Pensacola, Florida
  - Naval Expeditionary Medical Training Institute (NEMTI), Camp Pendleton, Calif.
  - Naval Special Operations Medical Institute (NSOMI), Fort Liberty, North Carolina
  - Naval Survival Training Institute (NSTI), Pensacola, Florida
  - Naval Undersea Medical Institute (NUMI), Groton, Connecticut
  - Surface Warfare Medical Institute (SWMI), San Diego, California

**Operational Medicine/Aviation Survival Training Courses**

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| # OF COURSES     | 43          | 21           | 64    |

**GRANTED:** 296

**AWARDED:**

- **Aerospace Medicine Technician**
- **Aerospace Physiology Technician**
- **Submarine Force Independent Duty Corpsman**
- **Radiation Health Technician**
- **Navy Drug and Alcohol Counselor**
- **Surface Force Independent Duty Corpsman**
- **Aviation Water Survival Instructor**
- **Deep Sea Diving Independent Duty Corpsman**

**Flight Surgeon**
- **Aerospace Physiology**
- **Aerospace Experimental Psychology (AEP)**
- **Undersea Medical Officer**
- **Radiation Health Officer**
- **Physician's Assistant Trainee (Phase 2--clinical rotations)**

**ADDITONAL QUALIFICATION DESIGNATORS AWARDED:** 155
In 1950, the Navy further expanded its preventive medicine program by establishing Fleet Epidemic Disease Control Units (FEDCUs)—forerunners of today’s Forward Deployable Preventive Medicine Units (FDPMUs)—aboard the landing craft USS LSI(L)-1091 (FEDCU No. 1) and the auxiliary ship USS Whidbey (AG-141) (FEDCU No. 2).

Soon after it was acquired from the Army in 1947, USS Whidbey operated as the Navy’s chief “floating clinic” in the Pacific. Medical personnel stationed on this ship travelled extensively throughout the “Trust Territories” in the Pacific (Marianas, Carolines and the Marshall Islands), and Taiwan providing medical care and conducting health surveys on native populations.

In the Korean War, LSI(L)-1091 and Whidbey served as “floating laboratories” providing vital epidemiological services for U.S. and United Nations personnel as well as the civilian population.

Services conducted by both LSI(L)-1091 and Whidbey in the Korean War included: diagnosis of dysentery (bacillary and amoebic), diagnosis and treatment of venereal diseases, conducting educational lectures (e.g., food handling and nutrition), mosquito surveys, routine laboratory procedures (e.g., Kahn test, cultures and smears), investigation into prevalence of malaria, training laboratory technicians, and water analysis.