



United States Navy Biography

LIEUTENANT COMMANDER TELIA R. WRIGHT MEDICAL SERVICE CORPS, UNITED STATES NAVY

Lieutenant Commander Telia Wright graduated in 2002 from Swansboro High School, Swansboro, North Carolina and enlisted in the U.S. Navy in 2002. She completed Basic Training at the Naval Training Center, Great Lakes, Illinois that same year. Her first duty station was USS Tarawa, LHA 1, where she served as an undesignated deck seaman in Third Deck Division. In 2004, she applied to be a Hospital Corpsman (HM) and transferred early to attend HM Basic A School. Upon graduation, she was stationed at Naval Medical Center San Diego (NMCS D), where she served as general duty Corpsman in the Military Health Clinic and Health Promotion Department. She deployed on the USS Tarawa, the USNS Mercy, and the USNS Comfort.



After serving five years as a Corpsman, LCDR Wright separated from the Navy in 2007 and became a Civil Service employee at NMCS D in the Preventive Medicine Department and in the Patient Relations Department. In 2013, she applied for commission via Health Services Collegiate Program (HSCP). In 2014, she commissioned and attended Officer Development School in Newport, Rhode Island. In December 2014, she reported to Navy Medicine Operational Training Command (NMOTC) in Pensacola, Florida where she served as the Supply and Logistics Department Head. In January 2018, she reported to Naval Medical Center Camp Lejeune where she served as the Fiscal Officer in Resource Management and then the Department Head of Materiel Management Department. In February 2021, she reported to the USNS Mercy as the Assistant Supply Officer (ASUPPO) and deployed in support of Pacific Partnership 2022, the largest Theater Security Cooperation effort in the INDOPACOM area of responsibility. In March 2023, she reported as the Company Commander of 2d Medical Logistics Company. In May 2025, she reported as the Officer in Charge of Naval Medical Readiness Logistics Command Detachment, Fort Detrick.

LCDR Wright holds a Bachelors Degree in Science, specializing in Health Education/Promotion and a Masters Degree in Public Health, specializing in Healthcare Administration. She completed Financial and Materiel Management Training Course (FMMTC) in 2015 and has worked in Resource Management and Materiel Management. LCDR Wright was selected as Navy Medicine's Junior Logistician of the year for Calendar Year 2019. LCDR Wright qualified as a Surface Warfare Medical Department Officer (SWMDO) in July 2022 and as a Fleet Marine Force Warfare Officer (FMFWO) in July 2024. Her military awards include Navy and Marine Corps Commendation Medals, Navy Achievement Medals, Global War on Terrorism Service Medal, Good Conduct Medal, Humanitarian Service Medals, Global War on Terrorism Expeditionary Medal, Meritorious Unit Commendation, Sea Service, and Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal.