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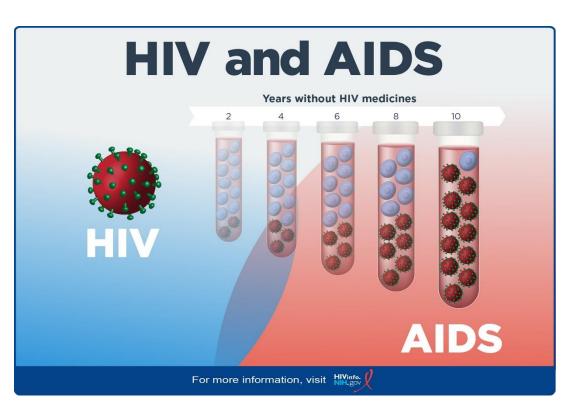
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SECNAV & DOD Instructions

The key resources that inform NBIMC mission are SECNAVINST 5300.30F, and DODI 6485.01. Active component personnel shall be tested for evidence of HIV infection every 24 months, or as clinically indicated per reference. Reserve personnel shall be tested for HIV at the time of activation when called to active duty for more than 30 days if they have not been tested within the last 24 months.

DoD Instruction (DoDI) 6485.01 (Reference (b)) to establish policy, assign responsibilities, and prescribe procedures for the identification, surveillance, and management of members of the Military Services infected with HIV and for prevention activities to control transmission of HIV.

Approved Testing Facilities Force Testing- Readiness Updates

NBIMC cannot use civilian provider or VA Medical Center results to update the HIV readiness in Medical Readiness Reporting System. HIV results from private/civilian providers is not compliant with the SECNAVINST 5300.30 and DODI 6485.01 (attached). In these instructions testing for HIV must be reported to the Defense Medical Surveillance System (DMSS) and the samples must be sent to the DoD Serum Repository. The member will need to go to a Navy Military Treatment Facility or a Navy Operational Support Center (NOSC) near their location. The option for remote areas is to either go to the Embassies, NOSC's or contact military Logistics Health Incorporated (LHI) or Reserve Health Readiness Program (RHRP).

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Recent Updates

NBIMC - MISSION

The Navy Bloodborne Infection Management Center (NBIMC) provides leadership and expertise to ensure mission readiness and to support the National Military Strategy. We oversee the administration and aid in the development of policies concerning the Human Immunodeficiency Virus (HIV), Hepatitis B, and Hepatitis C screening for the DON, as directed by BUMED for the Bureau of Personnel (BUPERS).

Upcoming Holiday – September 4th

The upcoming holiday is Monday, September 4th. CDD Testing lab **will be CLOSED** during normal hours for receipt of shipments and testing.

If you have any questions, please contact CDD at: **877.233.1337** or email: <u>Military@cddmedical.com</u>

CDC import permit 2024

Sites that have expiring 2023 CDC import permits should discard and use the new CDC Permit for 2024. CDD has sent out an email with the new CDC Permit for 2024 as a pdf attachment.



DEFICIENCY AWARENESS

D1

DEFINITION:

A D1 deficiency occurs when the specimens are received at CDD, but the site did not transmit the orders data to our systems.

ACTION:

The necessary action is for the site to process the batch through MRRS and resubmit. For CHCS and MHS Genesis, the site needs to retransmit the orders.

IMPORTANT: CDD will only hold the samples submitted in SST tubes for *seven days from the day of receipt by the testing lab.* After which, the specimens will be too old from the draw date, and the members will have to be redrawn. For most members, that is quite an inconvenience.

For more questions, Please visit our website<u>here</u>

*Click Field Activities -> Click NBIMC



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