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FORCE REPORT



FORCM Roberts, Director Hospital Corps:

TEAMWORK:

This month DSG, Air Force Chief Master Sergeant Taliah Wilkerson, the Aerospace Medical Service Career Field Manager, and I attended the Armed Forces Operational Medicine Symposium opening ceremony. This week-long training evolution provided joint-service Independent Duty Medical Technicians and Independent Duty Corpsmen an opportunity to train, mentor, and network with their Navy Medicine and Air Force counterparts.

I was also fortunate to meet with the Marines and Sailors of 1 Marine Expeditionary Forces and NMRTC Camp Pendleton. We discussed many topics, including the future of the HM rating, DSCA missions, education opportunities, and much more! Meeting with the next generation of Sailors is one of the best aspects of my job! I look forward to continuing our conversations throughout the Fleet!

*People,
Platforms,
Performance,
Power*





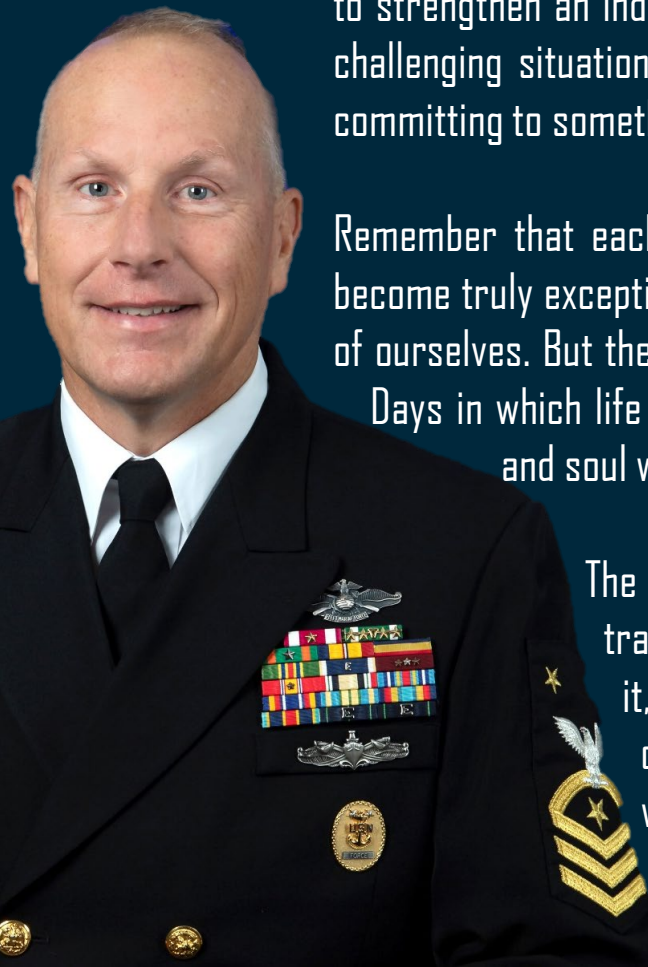
FORCM's THOUGHTS

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How often have you heard the term "Warrior Toughness?" It's become common vernacular recently, and for a good reason. Warrior Toughness intends to enhance the durability of Sailors in the pursuit of peak performance, which is accomplished through training the body, mind, and soul. Training the body consists of physical activity to strengthen an individual's physical capability. Training the mind consists of preparing to perform in various challenging situations before inducing stress. The soul's training consists of self-reflection, awareness, and committing to something greater than oneself. It's knowing who you are and what you believe.

Remember that each of us has the potential to be outstanding Sailors. We must outwork that potential to become truly exceptional. We should wake up each morning with the intention of being the best possible version of ourselves. But there will be days that we're not our best. We will all have days that are harder than others. Days in which life is distracting, discouraging, or outright difficult. And that's when training our mind, body, and soul will show its value.

The value comes from developed resiliency and a fearless approach to our difficulties. Through training, we develop our skills and capabilities, which leads to knowing what to do, when to do it, and how to do it. This can build strength and resiliency and further our understanding of controlling what we can. Because one day, our challenges will pass, and we will have remained ready for whatever the next challenge is. I encourage everyone to better their own Warrior Toughness through the material available from Navy Education and Training Command. <https://www.netc.navy.mil/Warrior-Toughness>





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MIL GEARS

Interested in taking your career to the next level? Whether you're exploring your options or looking at achieving a specific credential related to your military occupation, the MilGears Suite of Tools can guide you through a variety of professional development opportunities. Enter your military and civilian experience, training, and education and receive customized career and credentialing recommendations based on your unique qualifications.

Build Your Record

Use MilGears to build a comprehensive record that captures all the learning, experience, and related skills you've gained to support preparation for career advancement.

Find Credentials

MilGears will provide you with multiple search methods to find credentials that can help build your subject matter expertise related to your military career, as well as prepare you for a career after transition. Use your time in service to pursue certifications, education, and experience that can help you achieve your goals.

Prep for the Future

Use MilGears to set yourself up for success after service. Browse a range of occupational pathways related to your unique skill set and qualification.

Engage My Career (EMC) Tool's Learning and Employment Record

The Engage My Career (EMC) tool allows you to consolidate all your military and civilian experience, training, and education into a single Learning and Employment record (LER) to help you keep a record of all you have accomplished. Throughout your career, the LER can be updated to keep track of newly obtained skills and provide a common language to support job evaluations or other situations where you might want to discuss your military experience with a civilian employer or credential provider.

Beyond the LER, the Engage My Career tool provides you with personalized occupational and credentialing opportunities you can use for long-term planning towards in-service and post-service goals. Many credentials can potentially be pursued while serving by leveraging benefits such as Tuition Assistance or the Credentialing Opportunities OnLine (COOL) program.



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QUICK EXPLORER

The Quick Explorer tool can help you plan your path forward while serving in the military. Quick Explorer offers several different search methods where you can learn more about military, civilian, and federal occupations and their related credentials. Searching by a military occupation will show you more information about your specific military occupation, including descriptions, an overview of job duties, and related training and credentials you could potentially pursue while in service.

Military-2-Mariner

Your time in the military may be preparing you for an in-demand Merchant Mariner Credential-the Military-2-Mariner (M2M) tool helps navigate the process of obtaining one.

The M2M tool analyzes your creditable sea service, training, and assessments completed during your military service and compares the results against the standard for an original or upgraded Merchant Mariner Credential.

By obtaining your initial credential while in-service, you can seek out funding through your service's COOL program. As you continue to accrue sea time over the course of your Military career, you can upgrade your credential as your sea time compounds and you meet additional eligibility requirements.

Cyber IT/CSWF Tool

The Cyber IT/Cybersecurity Workforce (CSWF) tool takes the information you provide, including experience, training, and education/credentials, and compares it to the requirements for specific Defense Cyber Workforce Framework (DCWF) work roles. The tool also highlights skill gaps that must be filled to qualify for any of the desired work roles.

CSWF allows you to prepare for an assigned work role by allowing you to view the requirements, compare your education and training against them, and identify roles of interest that you may want to work towards in the future. Additionally, it shows related civilian and federal occupations to identify potential occupations and career opportunities where you can apply your skills in the future.

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HM ENLISTED TECHNICAL LEADERS

What is an ETL?

ETLs are the **Subject Matter Experts** who represent their NECs. These experts play a vital role in strategic planning and provide deck plate information required for resolving issues and implementing appropriate policy. To harness this pool of talent, and to ensure that the enlisted perspective is represented, BUMED has developed and implemented the ETL Program. The ETL is an advisory position only and is not intended to dilute primary, legal, or regulatory responsibilities of the Navy's command structure.

IMMEDIATE ETL POSITIONS NEEDED

Hemodialysis Technician

Cardiovascular Technician

Respiratory Technician

INTERESTED IN BECOMING AN ETL?

More Information can be found in BUMEDINST 5420.13D or by contacting the Hospital

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NEC SPOTLIGHT

LD2A – FMF RECON INDEPENDENT DUTY CORPSMAN

Provides pre-hospital medical care for Naval Special Warfare training and operations or Marine Reconnaissance personnel while involved in direct action or reconnaissance operations. In addition to extensive independent medical responsibilities, these Corpsmen supervise and manage field medical activities in a conventional or unconventional warfare environment. They advise and provide tactical and technical guidance to the Detachment Commander, indigenous and allied personnel. Responsible for the planning, executing, and supervising cross-training detachment members in basic and advanced medical skills.

INCENTIVES:

Experiences can provide preparation for Flight Paramedic and Critical Care Paramedic Certification.

Selective Reenlistment Bonus (as of June 2022)

Zone A – 30K

Zone B – 90K

Zone C – 75K



For more information contact the LD2A ETL:

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BRAVO ZULU

JOB WELL DONE!

INDEPENDENT DUTY CORPSMEN OF THE YEAR

HMC Jessica Bova – Navy Shore Commands – Naval Talent Acquisition Group, Houston, TX

HMI Nelson Young - Navy Medicine Command - NMRTC Patuxent River, MD

HMI Petronilo Marcelo Jr. - Naval Air Forces - USS George Washington (CVN-73)

HMI Benjamin Gomez - Special Operations - Naval Special Warfare Group 8, Coronado, CA

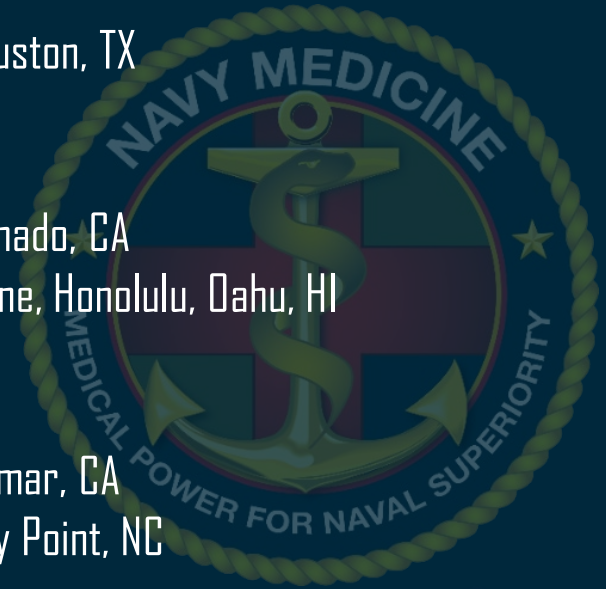
HMI Vladimir Link - Naval Expeditionary Force - Mobile Diving and Salvage Unit One, Honolulu, Oahu, HI

HMI Franklin McCullough - Naval Surface Force - USS Sioux City (LCS-11)

HMI Kenny Harp - Naval Submarine Force - USS New Mexico (SSN 779)

HMI Kyle Tillman - Fleet Marine Force Senior - Marine Air Control Group 38, Miramar, CA

HM2 Joshua Allard - Fleet Marine Force Junior - Marine Aircraft Group 14, Cherry Point, NC



FALLEN, BUT NEVER FORGOTTEN

Hospital Corpsman Third Class Clayton R. Beauchamp

Weatherford, TX. Died August 7, 2012, Supporting Combat Operations in Afghanistan. 1st Battalion, 1st Marine Regiment, Regimental Combat Team 6, 1st Marine Division, Camp Pendleton, CA

Hospital Corpsman Third Class Anthony C. Garcia

Tyndall, FL. Died August 5, 2009, Supporting Combat Operations in Afghanistan. 2nd Battalion, 3rd Marines, 3rd Marine Division, Kaneohe, HI

Hospital Corpsman First Class Darrel L. Enos

Colorado Springs, CO. Died August 17, 2012. Supporting Combat Operations in Afghanistan. Assigned to 3rd Marine Special Operations Battalion, Camp Lejeune, NC

Hospitalman Chadwick T. Kenyon

Tucson, AZ. Died August 20, 2006. Supporting Combat Operations in Iraq. Assigned to 3rd Light Armored Reconnaissance Battalion, 1st Marine Division, I Marine Expeditionary Force, Twentynine Palms, CA



FAIR WINDS AND



FOLLOWING SEAS

HM1	ARROYO TIFFANY	HM1	DEAN ANDREA	HM1	HERNANDEZ LAZARA	HMC	ROCKWOOD CHRISTOPHER
HM1	BAGAMASPAD HEATHER	HM1	DELAGARZA ANACLETO	HM1	JANEWAY JOHN	HMC	SANTANA LUIS
HMC	BELL VINCENT DWAYNE	HMC	DIANO ERWIN	HMC	LAUR MYRNA	HMC	SHAW NIJA
HM1	BELTRAN AARON D	HMCS	EBIYA JEFFREY	HMCS	LONG PHONECHIA	HMC	SOLANO JOSE
HM1	BILLINGSLEY MARCUS	HM1	EVANS KENNETH	HMC	MARIS JASON THOMAS	HM1	TANNER ERICA
HMC	BUENAVENTURA ROMEO	HMC	FERGUSON KAREEM	HMC	MAXWELL KAREN	HMC	TINOCO DAVID
HMC	CAMPANANO ANDREW	HMCS	FERGUSON KARI LANARD	HMCS	MULHERN PETER	HMC	TUNG CHENG
HMC	CANTO HARVEY	HM1	FREEMAN JAMES	HMC	NGO BAODI KIM	HM1	VITUG AMBER
HCMC	CARLSON TONYA	HMC	GONZALES MARIO	HM1	PERIABRAS MARIA	HMC	WHEELER MATTHEW
HMC	CHRISTIE JOSHUA	HMC	GUEVARA MELISSA	HMCM	PUROG EDINITO		
HM1	CORBETT NIKKI	HMC	HARDIMAN MICHAEL	HMCS	RADKE AKIRA DIETER		

For many years these sailors stood the watch. While some of us were in our bunks at night these sailors stood the watch.

While some of us were in school learning our trade these shipmates stood the watch.

Yes.. even before some of us were born into this world these shipmates stood the watch.

In those years when the storm clouds of war were seen brewing on the horizon of history these shipmates stood the watch.

**Many times they would cast an eye ashore and see their family standing there,
needing their guidance and help, needing that hand to hold during those hard times but they still stood the watch.**

They stood the watch for twenty years or more.

**They stood the watch so that we, our families and our fellow countrymen could sleep soundly in safety, each and every night,
knowing that a Sailor stood the watch. Today we are here to say,**

Shipmate... the watch stands relieved.

Relieved by those you have trained ,guided, and led.

Shipmate you stand relieved..

WE HAVE THE WATCH

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