

**MEDICAL CORPS
NON-SPECIALTY SPECIFIC BILLET
2025**

BRIEF JOB DESCRIPTIONS

This document serves to provide a brief summary of the responsibilities of each billet in order to inform your decision-making. These are not full job descriptions. Please feel free to contact your detailee if you have specific questions or would like additional information.

----- **OPERATIONAL JOBS** -----

Command: FLEET SURGICAL TEAMS

Job Title: Officer-in-Charge, Fleet Surgical Team / CATF Surgeon

Billet Locations: Norfolk, VA; San Diego, CA; Okinawa, JAPAN

Billet Rank: O-5/O-6

Tour length: 2 years

GMO privileging required: YES

Deployed leadership opportunity for an O5/O6 to serve as the Senior Medical Authority Afloat. Fleet Surgical Team OICs serve as the Subject Matter Experts (SME) in maritime Health Service Support and typically report to Expeditionary Strike Group (ESG) Commanders or Amphibious Readiness Group (ARG) Commodores. Supervising a team of 18 personnel, ensure the assigned ARG ships' Medical Departments are combat ready to deploy aboard LSD, LPD and LHD/LHA class warships to provide Role 2 damage control surgical services, Intensive Care support, resuscitative support, enroute care, blood bank management services, and behavioral health support. In addition, serve as the Commander, Amphibious Task Force (CATF) Surgeon, responsible for coordination of health services support across multiple ships at sea and with numbered Fleet Commanders. Position open to all medical specialties.

Command: LHD/A _; Various

Job Title: Senior Medical Officer

Billet Locations: Norfolk, VA; San Diego, CA,

Billet Rank: O-4/O-5

Tour length: 2 years

GMO privileging required: YES

The Senior Medical Officer (SMO) on a large deck amphib (LHD/LHA) serves as a Department Head directly under the XO and is responsible for all medical care rendered on ship, including the integration of FST and MEU assets with Ship's company while deployed. The SMO advises the CO in all areas that affect the health and well-being of ship's personnel. Responsible for the health and sanitation of the ship to include food service, water, hearing conservation, and any issues regarding public health. Responsible for medical readiness, health promotion and disease prevention.

Command: AS 39/40 USS Emory S. LAND; USS Frank CABLE

Job Title: Senior Medical Officer

Billet Locations: Guam

Billet Rank: O-5/O-6

Tour length: 2 years

GMO privileging required: YES

The Senior Medical Officer (SMO) on a submarine tender (AS) serves as a Department Head directly under the XO and is responsible for all medical care rendered on ship, including the integration of supporting dive medical officers and submarine IDC's. The SMO advises the CO in all areas that affect the health and well-being of ship's personnel. Responsible for the health and sanitation of the ship to include food service, water, hearing conservation, and any issues regarding public health. Responsible for medical readiness, health promotion and disease prevention.

Command: 1st MARDIV; 2nd RAIDER REGIMENT

Job Title: Regimental Surgeon

Billet Locations: Camp Pendleton, CA; Camp Lejeune, NC

Rank: O-4/O-5

Tour length: 2 years

GMO privileging required: YES

The Marine Regimental Surgeon serves as the senior medical advisor to the CO and coordinates with Battalion surgeons to ensure coherent medical policy within the regiment. Responsible for medical readiness and deployability of Marines in accordance with MARDIV CG standards. Directly provides medical care to HQ Battery personnel and supervises the care provided by several general medical officers and IDCs within the battalions. As Senior Medical Officer, also ensures that clinic functions are meeting guidance of Director of Branch Clinics.

Command: COMMAND ELEMENT; 2nd & 3rd MEF

Billet Title: MEB SURGEON

Billet Location: Camp Lejeune, NC; Okinawa, JAPAN

Billet Rank: O-4 to O-6

Tour length: 2 years

GMO privileging required: YES

The Director, Health Service Support is responsible to the CG. The Surgeon will keep the Chief of Staff and Deputy Commander informed, as appropriate, of all medical matters being elevated to the CG regarding medical requirements, medical planning and intelligence, force health protection, and readiness issues impacting the force and its operations, personnel readiness, protective measures, and personnel well-being. The Director will ensure identified medical and HSS requirements of all subordinate commands and units are met, including those without a permanently assigned medical or HSS personnel; document and coordinate plans to meet identified requirements; identify and disseminate risks due to threats and shortfalls; and serve as a point of contact and resource for

commanders regarding their medical and HSS requirements. Further, the Director is the Mission Coordinator for the Expeditionary Resuscitative Surgical System (ERSS) Team that provides expeditionary medical options for immediate life and limb saving surgery, trauma care, and medevac/enroute care, at or near combat operations afloat and ashore. Responsible for operational planning and providing logistical and administrative support, monitoring of the blood resupply for embarked teams, maintaining OPTAR, ordering and tracking all required medical supplies, and arranging biomed repair sup

Command: MARITIME EXPEDITIONARY SECURITY GROUP ONE

Job Title: Group Surgeon

Billet Locations: San Diego, CA, MESG-1

Billet Rank: O-5

Tour length: 3 years

GMO privileging required: YES

As the sole physician for an Echelon IV command located in multiple AORs, serves as the Medical subject matter expert and ISIC as well as the clinical supervisor to nine Independent Duty Corpsmen providing care to active duty and activated reserve Sailors spread across five operational commands. Given scope of responsibility must possess strong clinical, leadership, organizational, and communication skills. A diverse background including both clinical and operational duty assignments is desired.

----- **ADMINISTRATIVE JOBS** -----

Command: BUMED WASH DC

Job Title: Deputy Director, Force Medical Readiness (M34), various, PHEO

Billet Location: Falls Church, VA

Billet Rank: O-5/O-6

Tour length: 3 years

GMO privileging required: NO

The Deputy Director, Force Medical Readiness (BUMED M34) is a high-profile position responsible for maximizing accession, retention, and deployment of Active and Reserve Sailors and Marines across the entire career spectrum. BUMED M34 organizes these functions through four branches: 1) Accessions, Qualifications, & Standards; 2) Active Duty and Reserve Component Readiness; 3) Medical Evaluation Boards; and 4) Family Readiness. This position is in direct support of both the Director, BUMED M34, as well as subject matter experts within the four branches to facilitate execution of BUMED M34 goals in alignment with the Surgeon General's priorities. These goals are accomplished through policy development, management of systems of record to track readiness and non-deployability, utilization of data to reduce risk of disability and allocate resources, and the development of educational and training resources to maximize a medically ready force.

Command: BUMED

Job Title: Personnel Reliability Program (PRP) Competent Medical Authority Community Manager

Billet Locations: San Diego, CA, MESG-1

Billet Rank: O-5/O-6

Tour length: 3 years

GMO privileging required: YES

Senior (selected O5 or above) operationally experienced medical officer with experience in Radiation Health Indoctrination, Undersea Medicine, and/or Flight Surgery. Holds a current Secret security clearance with the ability to be read-in to Nuclear Weapons related programs, trained as a Nuclear Weapons Technical Inspector or Subject Matter Expert (SME) and as a SME as requested by the Biologic Select Agents and Toxins (BSAT) Biorisk Program Office (BBPO). Must be designated in writing as Nuclear PRP CMA Community Manager and BSAT CMA Community Manager by Chief, BUMED. Report to BUMED on Navy Medicine support to the Nuclear Deterrence Mission, support on the Biorisk Select Agents and Toxins Program, and train and certify PRP Medical Screeners.

Command: BUMED DET BETHESDA

Job Title: Education/Training Plans, GME, Director

Billet Location: Bethesda, MD

Billet Rank: O-4/O-5

Tour length: 3 years

GMO privileging required: NO

Lead officer in medical student and resident accessions, organizes annual training plans and is part of the graduate medical education selection board process, providing timely and vital input to the board about officer availability, as well as providing timely guidance for officers upon their entrance into the military. Is vital to the success of our military training programs. High energy, enthusiasm and a desire to continually improve the process for those entering the MC ranks is a must.

Command: CNAVPERSCOM MILL (Navy Personnel Command, PERS-4415)

Job Title: Medical Corps Detailer

Billet Location: Millington, TN

Billet Rank: O-4/O-5/O-6

Tour length: 3 years

GMO privileging required: NO

In accordance with the MILPERSMAN, detailers serve as advocates for officers' interests in the billet assignment process, considering needs of the Navy, career needs of the individual, and officer preferences in assigning eligible and qualified officers to fill all valid Medical Corps officer billets. Detailers serve as subject matter experts in career guidance, record management, and preparing for promotion boards, and must possess strong leadership, organization, and communication skills. A diverse background including both clinical and operational duty assignments is desired.

Command: CNAVPERSCOM MILL (Navy Personnel Command, PERS-454)

Job Title: Medical Officer

Billet Location: Millington, TN

Billet Rank: O-4/O-5

Tour length: 3 years

GMO privileging required: NO

Serves as member of NPC Medical Authority to review and adjudicate Service members' fitness to execute operational orders. Reviews and recommends approval/denial of retention waivers for limited duty periods over 12 months, medical OCONUS early returns, permanent limited duty requests, and medical exception to policy

requests. Collaborates closely with BUMED, Navy Medical Forces Atlantic/Pacific, the Physical Evaluation Board (PEB) and other stakeholders to revise and generate policy as needed. Serves as subject matter expert regarding temporary and permanent limited duty, retention waivers, operational suitability, bloodborne pathogen program, and referral to the Disability Evaluation System (DES).

Command: SECNAV CORB

Job Title: Member, Physical Evaluation Board

Billet Location: Washington, D.C.

Billet Rank: O-5/O-6

Tour length: 3 years

GMO privileging required: NO

Review medical and surgical records and describe how medical conditions affect performance of duties for wounded, ill, and injured active duty and Reserve Sailors and Marines. Serve as voting member for both record reviews and personal appearance hearings. Must possess broad experience in clinical practice in diverse settings to include substantial field and operational experience. Maintain clinical privileges at one of the multiple local MTFs, and PEB duties allow for a stable, 5-day workweek with flexible hours and no night-call duties.

Command: NATO HEADQUARTERS ALLIED MARITIME COMMAND (MARCOM)

Job Title: Medical Planner

Billet Location: Northwood, England

Billet Rank: O-4/O-5

Tour length: 3 years

GMO privileging required: NO

MARCOM directs the operations of four Standing Naval Forces Task Groups composed of vessels from the various Allied nations. This billet sits within the Medical Division in the Medical Operations & Force Health Protection Branch. Internally, incumbent works closely with the Medical Plans Branch and command divisions across Operations, Plans, Engagements, and Exercises ensuring comprehensive medical support inclusion into activities. Externally, incumbent coordinates and liaises with medical divisions at NATO component commands and Joint Force Commands. Routine activities include communicating with the medical personnel assigned to the Task Groups to ensure the conduct of maritime medical support. Incumbent also provides health risk assessments, mitigation strategies, NATO policy recommendations, and instruction to multi-national medical personnel. Requires experience in the maritime environment, a strong understanding of provision of medical care at sea, and a familiarization with maritime medical support planning.

Command: DHA

Job Title: Assistant Branch Chief, Traumatic Brain Injury Center of Excellence

Billet Locations: Silver Spring

Billet Rank: O-5/O-6

Tour length: 3 years

GMO privileging required: No

The incumbent serves as the Assistant Branch Chief, Traumatic Brain Injury Center of Excellence (TBICoE) and as such, plays a critical role in the TBICoE's senior leadership team. Serves as the TBICoE Branch Chief in the Branch Chief's absence. The incumbent's primary responsibility is to keep TBICoE's Branch Chief apprised of any issues that may affect the Branch as well as to advise the Branch Chief concerning program initiatives that involve major recommendations that have a direct and substantial effect on the organization and projects managed. The incumbent coordinates the internal collaboration between the Branch's components to ensure the equitable distribution of resources throughout TBICoE.

----- **RESEARCH/TEACHING JOBS** -----

Command: JAIC (JOINT ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE CENTER)

Job Title: Chief, Warfighter Health

Billet Locations: Arlington

Billet Rank: O-5/O-6

Tour length: 3 years

GMO privileging required: No

The incumbent serves as the Chief of Warfighter Health, joint command. Prior research experience is a must, and this new billet ought to be filled preferably by an O6 with interest in cutting edge AI/warrior research as well as prolific experience in the joint environment.

Command: DHA

Job Title: Strategic Analyst

Billet Locations: Falls Church

Billet Rank: O-3/O4

Tour length: 3 years

GMO privileging required: No

Must have an interest in medical informatics, provide support and data on DHA implementation strategies for the future of Joint Military Medicine.

Command: NMEDRSCHCEN (Navy Medical Research Center)

Job Title: Researcher (ID/Immunology)

Billet Location: Silver Spring, MD

Billet Rank: O-3 to O-6

Tour length: 3 years

GMO privileging required: NO

Medical Corps officers serving within the Navy Medical Research and Development Enterprise gain invaluable expertise in conducting early Phase 1 and 2 clinical trials to evaluate experimental infectious diseases countermeasures ranging from novel vaccines and new drugs to state-of-the-art diagnostics. Clinicians assigned to the Infectious Disease Directorates provide a key role in clinical research activity and regulated study support. They have the opportunity to train medical officers in the conduct and review of FDA-regulated human subjects research—a skill set which has been acutely needed this year. Prior research experience is preferred.

Command: NMRU SAN ANTONIO (Navy Medical Research Unit, San Antonio)

Job Title: Trauma/Critical Care Medical Research Officer

Billet Location: San Antonio, TX

Billet Rank: O-3 to O-6

Tour length: 3 years

GMO privileging required: NO

Develops and executes combat relevant research studies to advance battlefield trauma care. Serves as the Principal Investigator on innovative research studies they develop, assists with other research studies when skill set is needed, and participates in Institutional Review Board (IRB) and other required command and Brook Army Medical Center (BAMC) clinical committees. Preferred candidate with research experience in Trauma Surgery Critical Care or Medical Critical Care. Candidate must have strong communication skills across numerous specialties and skill sets to include scientists, engineers, technicians, federal civil service employees, contractors, corporate, and other academia organizations. Candidate expected to be worldwide deployable and function clinically at BAMC (Level 1 Trauma Center and Burn Center) or other command approved practice location for skill retention.

----- **PROFESSIONAL MILITARY EDUCATION** -----

Command: NAVAL WAR COLLEGE

Job Title: Student

Billet Location: Newport, RI

Billet Rank: O-5/O-6

Tour length: 10-12 months (Classes convene July, November, and February)

JPME Phase II and Master's Degree. The Master of Arts in National Security and Strategic Studies is a 10-month curriculum for resident students divided into trimesters with core teachings and electives. Core courses are primarily taught in seminar format but include capstone exercises, wargame participation, and writing assignments. Candidates must have completed JPME-1 and possess the desire and potential to fill senior operational and executive leadership positions in Navy Medicine.

<https://usnwc.edu/college-of-naval-warfare/JPME-Phase-II-and-Masters-Degree>