

# **Medical Transformation in Contact**

## The Force Modernization Enterprise

#### **Medical Test and Evaluation Activity (MTEAC)**

Director: COL Deon Maxwell, Sr.

**Mission:** Provides objective, data-driven evaluations of medical devices and systems to inform fielding and other decisions. The MEDCoE is the only CoE with a test and evaluation mission.



#### **Fielded Force Integration Directorate (FFID)**

**Director:** COL Johnny Paul

**Mission:** Ensures the Army's medical force is aligned with operational needs for LSCO and future missions by integrating medical capabilities across the DOTMLPF-P framework and collaborating with the force modernization community.



#### **Directorate of Training and Doctrine (DOTD)**

**Director:** COL Dan Bridon

**Mission:** Develops and sustains doctrine, training, and educational products for the operational, institutional, and self-development learning domains to enhance the combat readiness of the current and future Army Medical Force.



#### **Directorate of Simulation (DoS)**

**Director:** COL Eric Jacobson

**Mission:** Regulates and modernizes Emergency Medical Technician (EMT) certification and develops Army medical modeling and simulation policies for institutional medical training, professional military education and operational medical readiness training.



#### Medical Capability Development Integration Directorate (MED CDID)

**Director:** COL David Zinnante

**Mission:** Determines medical gaps, develops operational concepts, and then leads experiments and exercises with all warfighting functions to determine which requirements are integrated into the future force.



#### **Academy of Health Sciences (AHS)**

Commandant: COL Rebecca Zinnante

**Mission:** Delivers Multi-Domain Operations (MDO) education and training; deliberately and progressively grows Soldiers and Army Civilians into competent committed, and professional leaders.



#### **AMEDD Personnel Proponent Directorate (APPD)**

**Director:** COL Tony Marinos

**Mission:** Analyzes, synchronizes, and integrates Personnel Development System life cycle management functions and force structure design for the AMEDD.



#### **Doctrine Domain**

#### FM 3-08, Casualty Evacuation

Directorate: DOTD, FFID

**Objective:** Directed by LTG Beagle, this publication provides the force direction for conducting casualty evacuation at echelon. Once published, this publication will have a cascading effect on lower-level doctrine (ATPs) across all the warfighting functions that contain casualty evacuation TTPs. As an FM, this publication will reinvigorate the culture of casualty evacuation as a maneuver commander responsibility to plan, resource, rehearse, and execute.



#### ATP 4-02.11, Casualty Response

**Directorate:** DOTD

**Objective:** Multiservice publication that lays out Tier 1 and 2 TCCC, by service, and concentrates on TTPs for providing casualty response from point of injury to a casualty collection point. This is very much at the tactical level that will provide direction for leaders (non-medical as well as medical) to develop training strategies, battle drills, and SOPs focused on immediate treatment and evacuation of casualties.



#### **Harding Project**

Directorate: The Borden Institute, AHS

**Objective:** A CSA initiative focused on revitalizing professional military

discourse. The Pulse of Army Medicine is MEDCoE's contribution,

with over 500 views and 15 publications since October 24.



#### **Ukraine Medical Lessons Learned Summary**

**Directorate:** DOTD/FFID

**Objective:** The MEDCoE Lesson Learned Branch captures lessons affecting Army Medicine compiled from operational deployments, training exercises and the Russo-Ukraine war. These lessons are published in quarterly newsletters and an annual report.

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## Organizational Domain

#### **Security Force Assistance Command (SFAC) Medic**

Directorate: CDID, APPD

**Objective:** The 68W23 Medical Advisor training program increases the scope of practice beyond the current capabilities of the 68W20 combat medic to independently operate for periods up to 72-hours providing medical care to a wide range of combat and noncombat casualties in remote and austere locations.



#### 68th Theater Medical Command (TMC) Activation

**Directorate:** FFID

**Objective:** The TAA 25-29 activated one TMC (68th) in support of USAREUR-AF in FY25. The Main Command Post was formally activated on 20 September 2024, stationed at Sembach, GE. The 68<sup>th</sup> will conduct their validation exercise in OCT 2025.



#### 66F to 60N Force Design Update

Directorate: APPD, FFID

**Objective:** Updates Hospital Augmentation Detachment FDU Jr to change one 66F O3 Nurse Anesthetist with one 60N O3 Anesthesiologist in the Anesthesia Service Section to optimize assets. ANC and MC concur.



## 3P Additional Skill Identifier (ASI) throughout TiC Formations

Directorate: APPD, FFID

**Objective:** Assigns 68W ASI 3P in grades E5 and E6 to TiC Formations to determine proper utilization that inform future Force Design Updates (FDUs).



## **Consolidated TiC Criteria (ref CAC guidance)**

- Principally focused on Division & below
- Addresses the two medical MDO gaps: clear the battlefield, hospitalization
- Implementable in 18-24 months
- Scaled
- Joint Force enabling
- Enables speed and transformation

## **Training Domain**

#### Medical Effects & Enablers (E&E)

**Directorate:** Future Force Integration Directorate (FFID)

**Objective:** An exportable, realistic, advanced medical simulations package that prepares medical personnel for the realities of a LSCO and MDO. Recently used to integrate trauma effects equipment and personnel with JRTC OPS Group during rotation 24-11 to create realistic medical scenarios for the BSMC and FRSD.



### **68W Advanced Emergency Medical Technician (AEMT)**

Directorate: DOTD, AHS

**Objective:** The "Enhanced Medic" proof of concept began in January 2025 and is intended to close the gap on skills required to support LSCO and demonstrated through the AEMT. It will increase the depth and breadth of knowledge of 90 Soldiers and provide them the opportunity to test for the Advanced EMT certification.



#### **Medical Master Trainer Course**

Directorate: DOTD, AHS

**Objective:** Significant analysis conducted in 2018 related to the capabilities of Combat Medics. This 4-week course is designed to augment the NCO professional development for E<sub>5</sub>s & E<sub>6</sub>s in BCTs.



#### **Medic Program of Instruction (Pol)**

Directorate: DOTD, AHS

**Objective:** Numerous experiments, senior leader guidance, and feedback from operational units identify the need for all Combat Medics to have an increased foundation of knowledge and skills that enable clinical reasoning during challenging and austere environments, especially when medical evacuation is delayed.



#### **Foundational Skills Training**

Directorate: 32d Medical Brigade, AHS

**Objective:** In synch with TRADOC and CIMT, implementing Foundational Skills training in AIT to overcome cultural gaps, life skills disparities, and physical challenges, while building trust, warfighting proficiency and the cohesive teams our Army Profession needs to fight and win.



### **Materiel Domain**

#### Field Portable Ultrasound

Directorate: MTEAC, CDID

**Objective:** MTEAC recently conducted an operational test of 3 ultrasound field portable devices. It is a new requirement to fill a capability gap for the Tactical Combat Medical Care, Austere Tactical Care, and Special Forces Tactical Medical Equipment Sets.



#### **Sparrow Ventilator**

Directorate: CDID, MTEAC, FFID

**Objective:** A military-grade ventilator designed specifically for

military use. It can be used in tactical or clinical settings.



#### Freeze Dried Plasma

Directorate: CDID, MTEAC, FFID

**Objective:** A more easily transportable plasma product that can be pushed further forward to locations on the battlefield and reduce the operational medical logistics burden involved in the processes of collection, storage and resupply of plasma.



#### **IFAK and CLS Modernization**

**Directorate:** FFID

Objective: IFAK and CLS kits will be modernized based on

observations in Ukraine, aligning with TCCC Tier 1 and 2 designations.



#### Vehicle Medical Kit (VMK)

**Directorate:** FFID

**Objective:** A VMK was introduced during GWOT as a solution to enhance CASEVAC but was not identified as an enduring requirement. As part of the CASEVAC Scrum, MEDCoE is

proponent for this capability and will conduct a set review and

update in FY25.



# **Battlefield Assisted Trauma Distributed Observation Kit - Joint (BATDOK-J)**

Directorate: CDID, FFID, MTEAC

**Objective:** This Android-based medical app, designed for NETT Warrior devices, supports documentation, clinical decision-making, and

data transfer for casualties and injuries in future combat environments.

## **Leader Development and Education Domain**

#### **Mobile Advanced Readiness Training (MART)**

Directorate: G-3/5/7, AHS

**Objective:** Leverages a train the trainer approach to provide training on end-user technical tasks and skills focused on the use, integration, and maintenance of medical equipment and systems fielded across the Army's legacy, current, and future fleets.



#### **MED Minutes Microlearning**

**Directorate: DOTD** 

**Objective:** Leveraging current social media tools – Facebook and Instagram reels, YouTube shorts – DOTD is creating oneminute videos describing doctrinal concepts in plain language. To date, episodes discuss CASEVAC, triage, casualty collection points, care under fire, and other important concepts.



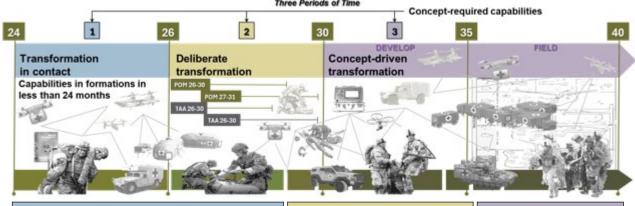
#### **Medical Warfighting Forum (MWfF)**

Directorate: G-3/5/7, FFID

**Objective:** MEDCoE conducts an annual forum to communicate MEDCoE signature initiatives and enhance dialogue with internal assets and strategic stakeholders.



## Continuous Transformation



D: ATP 4-01.11, FM 3-08, Harding Project

O: ASI 3P & 66F to 60N FDU, SFAC Medic, PCAD IOC, USAR TMC Conversion, ASIs (Acute Care NP, Emergency NP, CC Surg PA

 T: Medical E&E at CTC, 68W AEMT, MMT Course, Paramedic Course, MSTC POR, Medic POI, Foundational Skills
L: MART, CCC FOC, MedWfF, MedMinutes, Microlearning

m: Field-Portable US, Blood Freezer, Sparrow Ventilator, Freeze Dried Plasma, M249

m: C2, Division Mobile Medical Shelter Chemical Sterilant, Sterilizer Field Medium, MES Tactical Combat Medical Care-Modular, Medical Trauma Sensor, Cryopreserved Platelets, Rapid Human Diagnostics, Cold Stored Platelets, TBI-Field Assessment, Burn Trauma Skin

Repair, Protected Wheeled Ambulance

m: Predictive Logistics, Virtual Health, ID and Med Diagnostics AI

Continuous Transformation 3-article series by GEN James Rainey, AFC, Military Review Aug 2024



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