



91W update - EMT Program Management

The Army has embarked on an extensive re-engineering of MOS 91B (Combat Medic), and 91C (Practical Nurse). These enlisted soldiers will become the 91W Healthcare Specialist. This initiative greatly expands medic training and skills in several areas. It will eventually require all medics to obtain and maintain National Registry EMT-Basic (NR EMT-B) certification. This EMT training will be further emphasized in the sustainment of key lifesaving skills throughout a Healthcare Specialist's career.

Current 91Bs and 91Cs (E-1 through E-7) will eventually require NR EMT-B certification to transition to 91W. If you are a 91B or 91C (including ASIs) or a supervisor/leader of 91Bs and 91Cs, you should ensure that your certification remains current. All NR EMT-B 91Bs and 91Cs not currently certified should contact their local training site for course availability.

The U.S. Army currently has more than 40 EMT-B training sites worldwide. They are listed on the 91W web page at www.cs.amedd.army.mil/91W. The NR EMT-B training is a minimum of 110 hours and is typically conducted over a 3- to 4-week period. For questions or additional information regarding the U.S. Army EMT training program, visit the 91W web page.

Current information needed

Please provide OUTLOOK current information regarding your unit relocation, redesignations, or inactivations. We are being notified of units (Active and Reserve component) that have been closed for as long as 2 years. We want to keep our database as current as possible and not waste funds mailing OUTLOOK to units no longer at that address. Call DSN 471-7326, (210) 221-7326, or e-mail donald.aldridge@cen.amedd.army.mil.

From the Top

As the Army Medical Department (AMEDD) enlisted force enters the next century, we must ensure that soldiers enhance their skills and acquire new and varied competencies. I believe that advanced education, training, experience, and technology are the keys to our future success.

We must carry forward the best traditions and practices of the past to shape an AMEDD enlisted corps of excellence for today and tomorrow, while responding to the present and positioning for the future. Leaders need to create an environment where soldiers will run to you, not away from you! Remember: Training, Mentoring, and Coaching plus Basic Soldiers equates to Common Sense Leadership (TMC+BS=CSL). Leader development must be centered on Army core values, "how to think" vs "what to think," distance learning, and disseminating information to the lowest levels. As non-commissioned officers (NCOs), we set the example by our performance, image, and exposure.

As The Army and AMEDD move to a seamless joint force, it is prudent and imperative that NCOs be at the table when decisions are being made, to maintain the integrity of the enlisted force throughout the next millennium!



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Training Lifecycle Management Tool

The Department of Academic Support, Academy of Health Sciences, has published the Training Lifecycle Management tool at the following web site: <http://das.cs.amedd.army.mil/>.

This site contains career training charts for all AMEDD Areas of Concentration, Military Occupational Specialties, and Additional Skill Identifiers. They are displayed by years of service, rank/grade, and operational assignment for training. Professional and self-development training opportunities are also displayed on the chart.

The AMEDD course numbers contain hyperlinks to a course information catalog page to assist soldiers in their individual career planning as well as career planning for subordinates. The current version is a test and provides a mechanism for feedback to the Department of Academic Support and Quality Assurance.

Medical Logistics Specialist Update

Soldiers holding MOS 76J (Medical Supply Specialist) are moving forward. Their new title will be Medical Logistics Specialist (91J), which will better describe the duties of procurement, maintenance, distribution, and replacement of medical equipment and materials being performed by soldiers. Changing 76J to 91J will provide proper affiliation into the AMEDD Enlisted Management Field 91 (Medical). Personnel reclassification, to include any required revision to personnel records, publication of orders, and/or submission of SIDPERS transaction, will be accomplished by the affected soldier's Personnel Service Center during 1 Jun - 30 Sep 01. Effective date of reclassification will be 30 Sep 01. Contact: Mr. Caldwell, AMEDD Personnel Proponent Directorate, DSN 471-9963 or (210) 221-9963.

Alcohol and drug training available

The Alcohol and Drug Training Section has additional course dates available for FY 00 to help soldiers improve their counseling skills. All TDY slots are centrally funded, but the number of students per course is limited. All ARNG and USAR slots are unit funded. You must be nominated by your supervisor and approved by the course manager. Nomination does not guarantee enrollment. The ATRRS web site to verify class dates is www.asmr.com/atrrs/. Course, number, and dates are:

Course	Number	Dates
Group Counseling	5H-F5/302-F5-030	10 - 21 Jul 00
Advanced Counseling	5H-F10/302-F10-040	31 Jul - 4 Aug 00
Group Counseling	5H-F5/302-F5-040	11 - 22 Sep 00

For additional application information or to obtain the new nomination form, contact: Cindy Garcia, DSN 471-6736, (210) 221-6736, FAX DSN 471-6354 or (210) 221-6354, or e-mail lucinda.garcia@cen.amedd.army.mil.

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Professional Postgraduate Short Course Program (PPSCP) FY 2000

Course Title	BR	Course	Date	Location	Proj Off	DSN	Slots
Surgical Support NCO 91BP1/P2/P3/Y6/91D/91V	EN	300-A0708	12-16 Jun	San Antonio, TX	SFC Maldonado	421-4300	100
91X/71M NCO Short Crs (DL Via VTT)	EN	300-A0720	14-19 Aug	Various DL Sites	SFC Newbery	471-8610	200
CSM/SGM/Sr NCO Short Crs (for European Theater)	EN	340-A0743	20-25 Aug	AFRC Chiemsee, GE	SGM Strano	371-2500	60
Environmental Science & Engineering Practices (91S)	CHPPM	6H-F15	7-11 Aug	Baltimore, MD	SGM Vogt	471-0090	35
Hospital Educator Crs	AN	6E-300/A0526	30 Jul - 4 Aug	San Antonio, TX	MAJ Jolitz	471-6080	20
Strategic Issues Symposium	AN	6E-300/A0504	11-15 Sep	San Antonio, TX	LTC Forster	471-6822	05
*AMSC Enlisted Field Opns (91M/91BN/91BN3)	EN	300-A0718	23-27 Oct	Camp Bullis, TX	SSG Holt	471-7585	50

* Projected FY 01 Course

Request for attendance **MUST** be sent NLT 60 days before the start date of requested course. **Active Component** soldiers apply by submitting DA Form 3838 to: DEPT OF HEALTH ED & TNG, ATTN MCCS HEI SGM, CDR AMEDDC&S, 1750 GREELEY RD STE 205, FT SAM HOUSTON TX 78234-6122. FAX DSN 471-2832 or (210) 221-2832. **Army National Guard** soldiers apply on National Guard Bureau (NGB) Form 64, or contact SGM Lansing, NGB Surgeon's Office at DSN 327-7145, (703) 607-7145, FAX (703) 607-7187, or e-mail lansingj@ngb-arng.ngb.army.mil. **Army Reserve** soldiers apply through unit training channels on DA Form 1058 to: ARPERSCOM, ATTN ARPC HS HSE SFC GOPIE, 1 RESERVE WAY, ST LOUIS MO 63132-5200. Phone (314) 592-0000 ext 3417, 1-800-325-4729 ext 3417, FAX (314) 592-0435, or e-mail jacqueline.gopie@arpstl-emh2.army.mil. **Contact:** Project Officer or AMEDDC&S Program Manager, DSN 471-0144, (210) 221-0144, FAX DSN 471-2832, (210) 221-2832, or e-mail abu.nasar@cen.amedd.army.mil.

MOS/ASI requirements updated

Five Army Medical Department Military Occupational Specialty (MOS) time in service requirements have increased, along with six Additional Skill Identifiers (ASI). The MOS 91A, 91C, 91K, 91P, 91V, and ASI Y6, M2, M5, and M9 time in service is now 36 months. Time in service for ASI N3 and N9 is now 30 months. Soldiers must extend or re-enlist to meet time in service requirements prior to starting the course. Minimum time remaining requirement starts upon completion of the course.

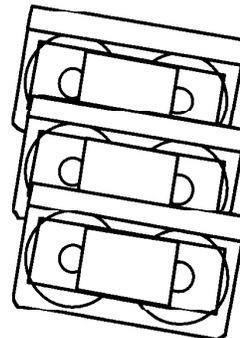
All AMEDD MOS and AMEDD ASI have been changed to SPC and below, E4(P) are not eligible, except 91C M3 which remains SGT and below. All request for waivers must be submitted to CDR, AMEDDC&S, AMEDD Personnel Proponent Directorate, ATTN MCCS DE, 1400 E. Grayson St, Fort Sam Houston, TX 78234-6175. Contact: Mr. Mazur, AMEDD Personnel Proponent Directorate, DSN 471-9963 or (210) 221-9963.

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AMEDD videotapes available

The following videotapes are available for use in your unit training through the Internet at <http://dodimagery.afis.osd.mil>, your supporting Training Support Center, or Visual Information Support Center. This list contains the title, running time, and production identification number (PIN).

- DEPMED Utility Power, 21:41 (PIN #707934)
- DEPMEDS - M1022 Dolly Set, 31:32 (PIN #707919)
- DEPMEDS - Shelter Tactical Expandable - ISO, 26:58 (PIN #707933)
- Self-Help Pest Management, 24:25 (PIN #505246)
- Measure and Monitor a Casualty's Pulse, 33:18 (PIN #709583)
- Readiness Training in Operating Room Nursing Skills, 42:39 (PIN #710660)
- Initiate Medical Treatment for Poisons, Stings, and Bites, 27:18 (PIN #710769)
- Determine Triage and Medevac Procedures, 12:38 (PIN #710771)
- Soldier Medic - A Proud Heritage Extending into the 21st Century, 25:26 (PIN #711218)
- Army Medical Dept Field Feeding with Operational Rations, 18:40 (PIN #710910)



For MEDCOM personnel needing information on specific-medical videotapes, **contact:** AMEDDC&S Health Sciences Visual Information Division, DSN 471-3111 or (210) 221-3111.

Combat Lifesaver CD-ROM available

The AMEDDC&S and the National Guard Bureau has developed an interactive CD-ROM (CD 8-01, Combat Lifesaver: Medical Tasks) to be used as sustainment training for the lifesaver tasks described in IS0825 (Combat Lifesaver Course: Medical Tasks). Tasks include initiating an intravenous infusion, treating chemical agent casualties, applying a SAM splint, and transporting casualties. The CD-ROM supplements training, but does not replace the hands-on training required in the group-study correspondence course mode or the interactive teletraining mode.

This CD-ROM is available through your local Training Support Center, Visual Information Support Center or by sending an e-mail message to: vibuddy@hq.afis.osd.mil. For more information, visit the combat lifesaver web site (part of the AMEDDC&S home page) at www.cs.amedd.army.mil/clsp.



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