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Pacific Regional Medical Command Tripler Army Medical Center





Mission & METL

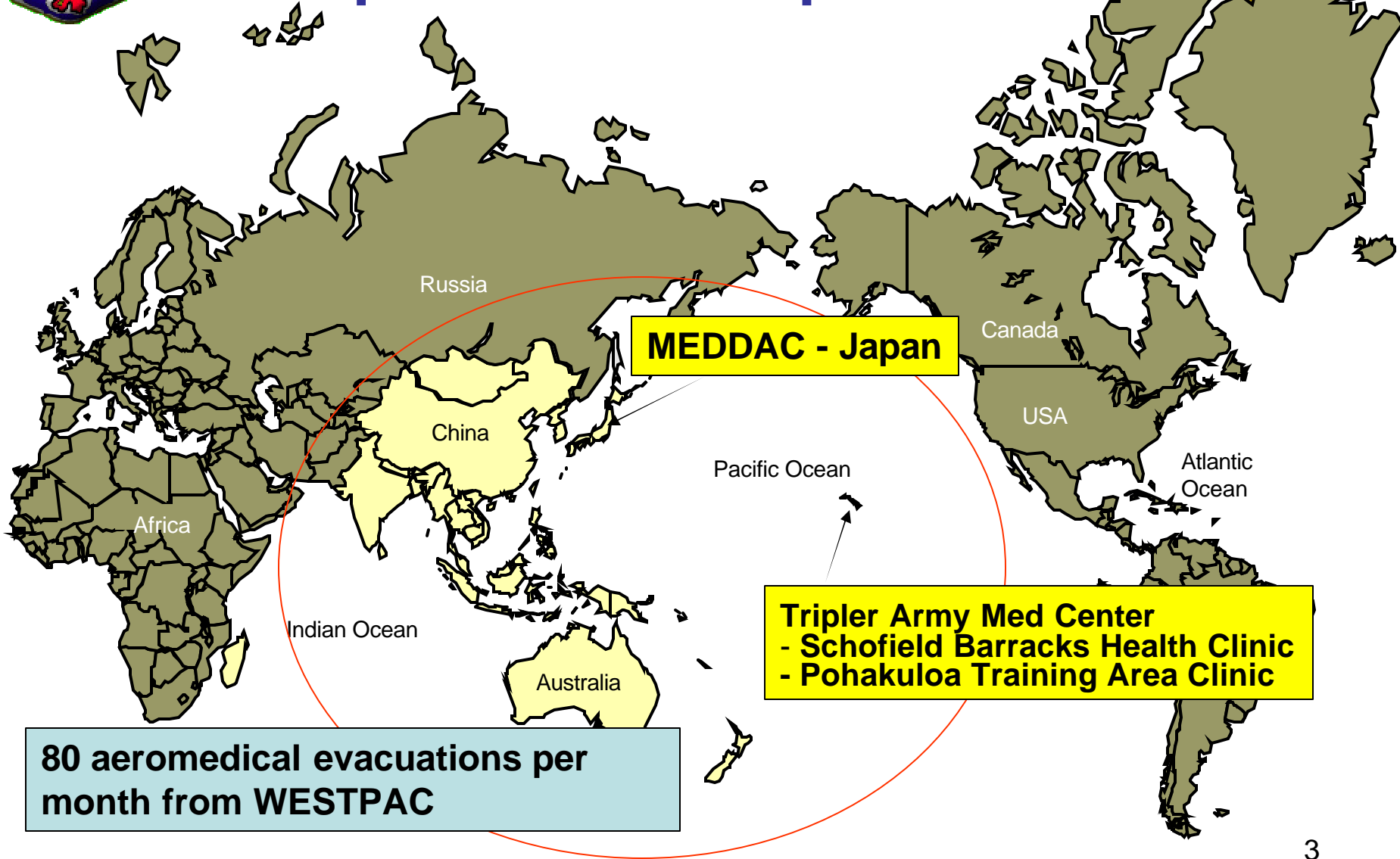


- **Mission:** To provide **medical readiness** by projecting a healthy soldier, and a trained and ready medical force. Manage the **health care of the soldier, their families**, and the extended Army family. Provide effective and efficient healthcare, as the **only referral medical center, for DoD beneficiaries in the Western Pacific**. Provide military veterinary services in support of Department of Defense missions in the Pacific Theater. Ensure dental readiness throughout the Pacific Region through the delivery of quality dental care.

- **METL:**
 - a. Establish, monitor and evaluate **training and readiness of the AC/RC** soldiers and units for deployment and mobilization.
 - b. Plan and execute **mobilization, and backfill missions**.
 - c. Execute **healthcare delivery under the DOD TRICARE** system.
 - d. Provide **specialty care** for DoD beneficiaries throughout the **Western Pacific**.
 - e. Execute a **comprehensive Graduate Medical Education** program to sustain the high quality of healthcare in the Military Healthcare System.
 - f. Plan and execute **military medical support** for local and regional **emergencies**, national disasters, and/or worldwide deployments in times of crisis or incident.
 - g. Execute **occupational health support** for the military industrial base.
 - h. Provide **quality dental care and ensure dental readiness** throughout the Pacific Region.
 - i. Provide top quality **veterinary care** to military working dogs and other government owned animals.
 - j. Provide quality sanitary approval and oversight of commercial food establishments in Hawaii and the Pacific theater.



Map of Area of Operations





Identification of Key Partners



➤ Army Partners

- ❖ PRMC is subordinate to U.S. Army Medical Command
- ❖ U.S. Army Garrison – Hawaii
- ❖ 25th Infantry Division (Light)
- ❖ U.S. Army – Japan (Camp Zama & Sagami Army Depot)
- ❖ 121 General Hospital - Korea
- ❖ U.S. Army – Kwajalein Atoll (subordinate to Space & Missile Defense Command, SMDC)
- ❖ U.S. Army – Alaska, Bassett Army Community Hospital falls under the Western Regional Medical Command., Ft. Lewis, WA



Identification of Key Partners

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➤ DoD Partners

- ❖ COMPACFLT Surgeon and Pearl Harbor Clinic, Makalapa
- ❖ PACAF Surgeon and 15th Medical Group, Hickam AFB
- ❖ Kaneohe Bay Marine Base Clinic
- ❖ Coast Guard Clinic, Sand Island
- ❖ PACOM Surgeon
- ❖ DODDS WESTPAC
- ❖ Joint POW / MIA Accounting Command (JPAC)
- ❖ WESTPAC clinical referrals to Tripler Army Medical Center:
 - Guam: USAF Clinic Andersen AFB, US Naval Hospital (USNH) Guam
 - Korea: USAF Hospital Osan AFB, USAF Clinic Kunsan AFB, 121 General Hospital (Korea)
 - Japan: USAF Hospital Misawa AFB, USAF Clinic Kadena AFB, USAF Hospital Yokota AFB, USNH Okinawa, and USNH Yokosuka including Branch Medical Clinic (BMC) Iwakuni, BMC Atsugi, and BMC Sasebo.
 - Remote sites: Singapore; Bangkok, Thailand; NSF (Navy Support Facility) Diego Garcia (Indian Ocean); International SOS Network Sites in 23 Asia-Pacific countries.



Special Missions



- **TRICARE Contract – Pacific Lead Agent**
 - ❖ Management of purchased care for TRICARE members in the State of Hawaii and the Western Pacific.

- **VA / DoD Joint Venture** - Specialty and inpatient care for Veterans Administration (VA) beneficiaries on a space available basis as 1 of 3 approved VA / DoD Joint Venture sites.

- **Homeland Security** - CBRNE support to Hawaii through USARPAC Joint Rear Area Coordinator (JRAC). Also, Tripler is an active component of the Healthcare Association of Hawaii HLS (Homeland Security) network of healthcare facilities.

- **Medical Mil-to-Mil Contact ISO Theater Security Cooperative Plan –**
Develop and promote international linkages through medical operations.
 - ❖ Thailand, Malaysia, Australia, Vietnam (Asian Pacific Military Medical Conference)
 - ❖ Philippines, India (Balikatan Exercise, High Altitude Medicine)
 - ❖ Japan, Nepal, Russia, Cambodia (Medical Staff Visits to Tripler including Japan Ground Self Defense Forces Surgeon General)
 - ❖ Vanuatu International MEDRETE (Philippines, Thailand, Indonesia)



Special Missions (cont'd)



➤ Special Medical Augmentation Response Teams (SMART) –

<u>LOCATION</u>	<u>MISSION</u>	<u>WHEN</u>
❖ Christmas Island, Kiribati	Delivery of pregnant foreign civilian with fetal demise, shock	Oct 00
❖ Christmas Island, Kiribati	Motor vehicle accident with 6 severe casualties	Mar 01
❖ Christmas Island, Kiribati	Evacuate foreign civilian from cargo ship	Aug 01
❖ Christmas Island, Kiribati	Evacuation of pregnant foreign civilian	Nov 01
❖ Chuuk, Micronesia	Medical Team deployed following mudslides	Jul 02
❖ Cambodia	Humanitarian Assistance -- Blast Resuscitation and Victim Assistance (BRAVA)	Feb 03
❖ Honolulu	Terrorism Response to Cruise Ship Threat with 93rd CST (WMD)	Apr 03
❖ Honolulu	Terrorism Response to Threat at Dole Cannery with 93rd CST (WMD)	Aug 03
❖ Hickam, AFB	NBC Static Display for Friends and Family Day	Sep 03
❖ Honolulu	MASCAL Exercise	Mar 04



Special Missions (cont'd)



- **Pacific Island Health Care Program** - Congressionally appropriated funds to provide care to selected Pacific Islanders throughout the Pacific Rim in support of Graduate Medical Education. \$4.5M appropriated annually.
- **Pacific Telehealth & Technology Hui, (DoD / VA Joint Venture)** - Separate Congressional Appropriation for the advancement of telehealth within the Pacific.
- **Medical Library Support to DoD facilities throughout Pacific** - Largest Federal medical library in the Pacific.
- **Medical Training to other Services, Army and local community:**
 - ❖ Composite Health Care System (CHCS) training and sustainment
 - ❖ 91W Combat Medic transition and sustainment training
 - ❖ Medical students clerkship: 3rd or 4th year medical school rotation at Tripler AMC.
 - ❖ Nursing students (civilians)
 - ❖ Pediatric Advanced Life Support (PALS) course
 - ❖ Automated External Defibrillator (AED) / Advanced Cardiac Life Support (ACLS) courses
 - ❖ Residency Training of Air Force physicians – Pediatrics, Radiology and Neonatology



PACOM Mission Linkage



- **CG, Pacific Regional Medical Command & Tripler Army Medical Center also serves as USARPAC Surgeon**
 - ❖ Responsible for Army medical support in USARPAC Area of Responsibility.
- **Commander, MEDDAC-Japan also serves as U.S. Army – Japan Surgeon.**
- **Asst. Secy. of Def. (Health Affairs) & TRICARE Management Activity**
 - ❖ PRMC follows ASD(HA) policy and funding, through USA MEDCOM, for execution of the Defense Health Program (DHP).
- **Medical Director, Center of Excellence for Disaster and Humanitarian Assistance - PACOM**



Other Partnerships



- VA / DoD Joint Venture.
 - Provide reimbursable inpatient care, security and facility support for HQ and Outpatient Clinic under the Joint Venture agreement with the Pacific Island VA Health System
- Graduate Medical Education partnerships with local health care facilities and the University of Hawaii.
- Annual Training Site and Capstone Backfill for 1984th and 5502nd USAR Hospitals
- Provide support to Centers for Disease Control (CDC)
 - Memorandum of Agreement.
 - BSL-3 modular lab as part of CDC network.
- Professional clinical organization's local affiliates.
(ie. American Medical Association, American Dental Association, American Organization of Nurse Executives, Healthcare Association of Hawaii, etc.)



Joint Training & Stationing



- Medical referral center for all military on Hawaii and in the Western Pacific.
- Joint Graduate Medical Programs
- Navy and Air Force permanent medical staff
- Forensic Toxicology Drug Testing Lab
- Tri-Service Substance Abuse Rehabilitation Facility
- Veteran's Administration Center For Aging (short-term medical / surgical / psychiatric rehabilitation)
- Veteran's Administration HQ, Ambulatory Care Center and Free Standing Parking Facility.
- TRICARE Pacific Lead Agency



Power Projection



- Professional Filler System (PROFIS) – Medical staff allocated to TOE, assigned to TAMC
 - ❖ 25ID, 26 personnel
 - ❖ 18th MEDCOM, Korea, 520 personnel

- MEDCOM Backfill / Taskings to AORs
 - ❖ 241 taskers for 3298 man-days during period MAY – OCT 03

- SRP Medical Support – Schofield Barracks
 - ❖ Medical support unit for medical processing.
 - ❖ Class VIII supply support to unit mobilization.

- Installation Medical Supply Activity: responsible for Army Class VIII support in Hawaii



Future Structure Changes



- Future mission capabilities impacting operational readiness.
 - ❖ Growth in Active Duty populations will increase demand on health care capacity.
 - ❖ Potential future population:
(additional personnel and facility reconfiguration required)
 - Stryker Brigade
 - C-17 Air Wing
 - Carrier Battle Group



Classified Portion



➤ N/A



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