

**MINUTES OF THE MAY 10, 2004 MEETING OF THE MEDICAL JOINT CROSS SERVICE GROUP**

**LOCATION:** Pentagon, 2C554, 1530 -1730

**Attending:** Lt Gen Taylor - Chairperson; MGen Farmer - Army Deputy SG; RADM Wooffter - COS BUMED; Mr. Ford - ASD( HA)/CP&P; Col Hamilton - Secretary; CAPT Shimkus - BUMED; CDR Hight - BUMED; Mr. Curry - USA OTSG; Mr. Opsut - OSD/HA; Mr. Yaglom - USA SG; Maj Fristoe - HA/TMA; Col Sager - AFMSA/SGS; Maj Harper - AF/SGSF; Mr. Christensen - CNA; Lt Col Jones - AF/SG; Lt Col Stultz-Lalk - AF/SG; Lt Col Fitch - AF Rep; Maj Guerrero - AF/SG; Cpt Malloy - AF/SGE; Mr. Porth - OSD/BRAC.

**Decisions:**

- ☐ Principals gave tentative approval to the Navy formula to resolve data inconsistencies.
- ☐ Organize the transformation changes from smallest impact to largest impact in command organization or operations.
- ☐ Revise MJCSG Imperatives.

**Action Items:**

- ☐ 0-6 Lead Group rework the imperatives.
- ☐ Draft capacity analysis data report is due 24 May with the second report due in June. The final data must be done before the beginning of scenario development.

**Meeting Overview:**

- ☐ Army Deputy SG opened the meeting. The Secretary reviewed the agenda. AF Representative briefed the status of the capacity data. The draft report is due 24 May and it should show us the excess and surge capacity. The briefer discussed the issues of broad interpretation of questions, numerical inconsistencies and how JCSG plans to work issues through the service principals. The secretary asked OSD/BRAC how corrected data would be managed. The data will be sent out weekly to the Services for correction and should be entered into the database at Rosslyn. The Secretary discussed the due dates for capacity data. Draft capacity analysis data report is due 24 May with the second report due in June. The final data must be done before the beginning of scenario development.
- ☐ BUMED representative presented the group with the Navy analyst solution to manage data inconsistencies. The analyst developed a formula to resolve data inconsistencies. The group tentatively approved the formula. The tentative approval allows the group to continue to progress with their analysis.
- ☐ Army SG stated HQ organizational and structural issues were the purview of the MJCSG and, therefore, does not want to abrogate decision making to HSA without Medical JCSG involvement. The Secretary will further discuss this issue with HQ and support personnel.
- ☐ Navy and Army Principles and Imperatives have been sent forward. The Secretary believes we maybe formally asked to give our Medical Principles and Imperatives. OSD/BRAC does not think we will be asked separately from the services about our principles and imperatives. OSD/BRAC recommended we review the Services Principles and Imperatives.













