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MEMORANDUM FOR THE MILITARY PERSONNEL OFFICERS (MILPO) OF ALL STATES, PUERTO RICO, THE VIRGIN ISLANDS, GUAM, AND THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

SUBJECT: (All States Log Number P95-0098) Assignment of Medical Corps Officers, Medical Residents and Medical Students to Army National Guard Units

1. References.

a. Army Regulation (AR) 220-1, 31 Jul 93, Unit Status Reporting.

b. AR 611-101, 1 Jul 94, Commissioned Officer Classification System.

c. National Guard Regulation (AR) 600-100, 15 Apr 94, Commissioned Officers - Federal Recognition and Related Personnel Actions.

d. Memorandum, Headquarters, U.S. Army Forces Command, FCMD, 28 Jun 93, subject: Assignment of Medical Residents to Troop Program Units (TPU).

e. Memorandum, Chief, National Guard Bureau (CNGB), NGB-ARP-PO, 19 Jun 95, subject: (All States Log Number P95-0093) Army National Guard (ARNG) Medical Officer Incentive Programs for Fiscal Years 1995 and 1996.

f. Memorandum, CNGB, NGB-ARC, 11 May 95, subject: Clarification to FY 96 Preliminary Annual Funding Guidance for State Operating Budget.

g. Memorandum, CNGB, NGB-ARP, 3 Feb 95, subject: Nondeployable Personnel Account Implementation Phase II - Message #2.

h. Memorandum, CNGB, NGB-ARP-PE, 16 Dec 93, subject: (All States Log Number P93-0109) Nondeployable Personnel Account Implementation Phase I - Message #1.

2. This memorandum provides updated policy and guidance for assigning medical corps (MC) officers and medical students to positions in ARNG units and is effective 1 July 1995.

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3. All MC officers to include those enrolled in graduate medical education (GME) training programs, i.e., internship, residency or a fellowship, shall be assigned to valid authorized positions in ARNG units.

a. This assignment policy will ensure compliance with the eligibility criteria listed in reference 1e above for those MC officers participating in incentive programs.

b. Medical corps officers who carry a primary area of concentration (AOC) with a 9E or 9D skill identifier (SI) shall be assigned against a valid position that requires the AOC for which they are training, or a 62B Field Surgeon or 61N Flight Surgeon position, if otherwise qualified.

(1) Medical residents assigned to ARNG Modified Table of Organization and Equipment (MTOE) or Table of Distribution and Allowances (TDA) units are nondeployable and will remain nondeployable until they successfully complete their GME training program. These officers will carry a position number excess in SIDPERS-ARNG as "999Q", "Q" indicates others.

(2) Also, these medical residents will not be considered qualified until they meet the requirements for SI 9C in accordance with AR 611-101, Table 4-2.

4. Medical corps officers, to include residents, currently assigned to temporary additional TDA positions may remain assigned to these positions until the authority for establishing them expires. These individuals must be reassigned to valid positions when the temporary additional TDA position expires.

5. Reserve of the Army Medical Student Commissioning Program for the Army National Guard.

a. Individuals participating in this program will remain assigned to temporary additional TDA positions on the State Area Command (STARC) TDA until graduation from medical school.

b. While in a student status, program participants serve in the ARNG as medical service corps (MS) officers with a primary AOC (reporting code) of 00E67.

6. The priority of fill for MC officers in the ARNG is first