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Subj: COAST GUARD PARTICIPATION AND AFFILIATION WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE (DOD), UNIFORMED SERVICES UNIVERSITY OF HEALTH SCIENCES (USUHS), MILITARY TRAINING NETWORK (MTN) PROGRAM

1. PURPOSE. This Instruction announces the Coast Guard's participation and affiliation with the DOD, USUHS, MTN Program for resuscitative training.
2. ACTION. Area and district commanders, commanders of maintenance and logistics commands, commanding officers of headquarters units, assistant commandants for directorates, Chief Counsel, and special staff offices at Headquarters are encouraged to support resuscitative training, (i.e., Basic Life Support (BLS), Advanced Cardiac Life Support (ACLS), and Pediatric Advanced Life Support (PALS)) for health services personnel and provide logistic support when BLS resuscitative training classes are required for regular and reserve Coast Guard members at units within their area of responsibility.
3. DIRECTIVES AFFECTED. None.
4. BACKGROUND. The MTN was established in 1982 by the DOD Health Council. The MTN provides training, registration, coordination, and centralized record keeping for resuscitative medicine programs.
5. DISCUSSION. On 6 May 1999, a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) between the DOD, USUHS, MTN, and the Coast Guard, Directorate of Health and Safety was signed to include the Coast Guard as a participant in the MTN as an affiliate.
  - a. This program, administered through the MTN, will provide the Coast Guard:
    - (1) A single administrative structure for conducting resuscitative medicine training programs;
    - (2) American Heart Association sanctioned training program with universal reciprocity and recognition credentials;

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- (3) Guidance to the Coast Guard concerning resuscitative medicine training programs (i.e., Basic Life Support, Advanced Cardiac Life Support, and Pediatric Advanced Life Support) registration requirements, quality assurance, and equipment;
  - (4) Appointment of Resuscitative Medicine Training Program Affiliate Faculty Members upon request of the Coast Guard (Units listed in enclosure (1) of the MOU will be provided a MTN Administrative Handbook for Resuscitative Medicine and application procedures for affiliate faculty membership). After application, the Coast Guard practitioner shall forward a copy of the MTN approved affiliate faculty membership credential to Commandant (G-WKH-2), Quality Assurance Division for the practitioner credential file (PCF).
  - (5) Verification and authorization of Coast Guard affiliation with the MTN;
  - (6) And consultative services concerning educational methodologies.
- b. These services will be funded by Commandant (G-WKH) annually on a recurring basis at a fixed-fee-for-service through a Military Interagency Procurement Request (MIPR) made payable to MTN. Travel cost associated with resuscitative training must be provided by the member's command.

/s/

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Director of Health and Safety

Encl. (1) MOU between the United States Coast Guard and the United States Department of Defense, Uniformed Service University School of Health Sciences, Military Training Network

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**MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING BETWEEN  
UNITED STATES COAST GUARD AND THE UNITED STATES  
DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE, UNIFORMED SERVICES UNIVERSITY  
SCHOOL OF HEALTH SCIENCES, MILITARY TRAINING NETWORK**

1. **PARTIES.** The parties to this Agreement are the United States Coast Guard (USCG) and the United States Department of Defense, Uniformed Services University School of Health Sciences, Military Training Network, Bethesda, MD 20814.
2. **AUTHORITY.** This Agreement is authorized under the provisions of 31 U.S.C. 1535.
3. **BACKGROUND.** The Military Training Network (MTN) was established in 1982 by the Department of Defense Health Council for the purposes of training, registration, coordination, and centralized record keeping for resuscitative medicine programs. This memorandum of understanding provides for the affiliation and inclusion of the United States Coast Guard (CG) as a participant in the MTN at a reimbursable rate negotiated by the MTN and the CG annually on a recurring basis.
4. **PURPOSE.** The purpose of this Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) is to include the Coast Guard as a participant in the MTN as an affiliate. MTN shall provide:
  - The Coast Guard a single administrative structure for conducting resuscitative medicine training programs;
  - American Heart Association sanctioned training program with universal reciprocity and recognition of credentials;
  - guidance to the Coast Guard concerning resuscitative medicine training programs (i.e., BLS, ACLS, and PALS) registration requirements, quality assurance, and equipment;
  - appointment of resuscitative medicine training program Affiliate Faculty Members upon request of the Coast Guard;
  - verification and authorization of Coast Guard affiliation with MTN;
  - and consultative services concerning educational methodologies.
5. The CG's affiliate membership will be negotiated annually with MTN at a fixed-fee-for-service and funded through a Military Interagency Procurement Request (MIPR) made payable to MTN.
6. **RESPONSIBILITIES:**
  - a. **Department of Defense, Uniformed Services University School of Health Sciences, Military Training Network, 4301 Jones-Bridge Road, Bethesda, Maryland 20814.** MTN, Bethesda, Maryland 20814 will provide all of the aforementioned services detailed in paragraph 4. Fees for these services shall be

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negotiated annually based upon actual use at a fixed-fee-for-service rate with the CG.

- b. **Coast Guard.** Coast Guard will provide anticipated annual usage rate, calculate the approximate fee for services annually, and provide the necessary funding mechanism by means of a MIPR to the MTN.

7. **Coast Guard Point of Contact.**

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8. **Military Training Network:**

- a. Director {LtCol. Harris}  
Military Training Network  
4301 Jones Bridge Road  
Bethesda, Maryland 20814

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9. **OTHER PROVISIONS.**

- a. MTN agrees to promptly notify the Coast Guard of any changes to this program in policy, procedures, or reimbursable rates.
- b. Nothing in this Agreement is intended to conflict with current law or regulation or the directives of the United States Coast Guard or the Department of Transportation or Military Training Network. If a term of this agreement is inconsistent with such authority, then that term shall be invalid, but the remaining terms and conditions of this agreement shall remain in full force and effect.

10. **EFFECTIVE DATE.** The terms of this agreement will become effective upon     MAY 6 1999     (insert effective date) the date both parties sign acceptances thereof.

11. **MODIFICATION.** This agreement may be modified upon the mutual written consent of the parties.
12. **TERMINATION.** This MOU remains in effect until modified or rescinded by written agreement of the undersigned or their successors.

APPROVED BY:

By: /s/  
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President  
Uniformed Services University of  
School of Health Sciences

By: /s/  
JOYCE M. JOHNSON  
Rear Admiral, U. S. Public Health Service  
Director of Health and Safety,  
U.S. Coast Guard

Date: 5-6-99

Date: 16 March 1999

**UNIFORMED SERVICES UNIVERSITY OF HEALTH SCIENCES  
MILITARY TRAINING NETWORK ESTIMATED COST WORKSHEET:**

COAST GUARD UNIT	OPFAC	BLS Cards: 2k @ \$1.00 each	BLS 19.70 PER HOUR/ 3 HOUR COURSE	ACLS CARDS/ 34 @ \$2.50 ea..	ACLS 19.70 PER HOUR/ 6 HOUR COURSE	INSTRUCTORS \$79.00 PER FACULTY APPOINTMENT
TRACEN Petaluma, CA	74-61200					2 @ \$79.00=\$158.00
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AIRSTA CLEARWATER, FL	07-20150					1 @ \$79.00=\$79.00
ISC Boston, MA	32-47000					1 @ \$79.00=\$79.00
CG Academy, New London, CT	60-60100					2 @ \$79.00=\$158.00
TOTAL COSTS		\$2000.00	N/A	\$85.00	N/A	\$711.00
GRAND TOTAL:		\$2,796.00				

**CG Unit (Points of Contact):**

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