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From: Commanding Officer, Navy Medicine Readiness and Training Command Pensacola
To: All Hands

Subj: ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT AND POLLUTION PREVENTION POLICY

Ref: (a) OPNAVINST M-5090.1
(b) NAVHOSPPNCLAINST 5090.2I

1. Navy Medicine Readiness and Training Command (NMRTC) Pensacola is in complete support of the Navy Hazardous Waste Reduction/Pollution Prevention Policy as required in reference (a) and stipulated in reference (b). NMRTC Pensacola Enterprise is located in a sensitive environmental region. Total participation in this program will improve efficiency in meeting our mission of providing quality health care in a safe and healthful environment, improving readiness and training. Our policy is to minimize the generation of hazardous waste at the point of generation, reduce solid waste, regulated medical waste, and to reduce or eliminate air and water pollution sources through continual improvement. We also strive for full compliance with all applicable federal, state, and local environmental regulations and operate in the full spirit and intent of the environmental law.
2. Everyone in this command, including the Navy Medicine Readiness and Training Unit clinics, shall be fully aware of the hazardous materials utilized within their department. Hazardous material must be evaluated in every department to determine if it can be eliminated without decreasing the quality of our service. Hazardous materials must be managed in a safe and environmentally responsible way.
3. I request the help of all staff members in promoting the most effective pollution prevention program possible to protect our patients and staff. The health of everyone in our community can/could be affected by how well NMRTC Pensacola Enterprise fulfills its task of pollution prevention.
4. This Pollution Prevention Policy statement is the first formal step in reaching the Command's pollution prevention goals. Continued diligence and improvement are required to ensure that NMRTC Pensacola maximizes pollution prevention by minimizing hazardous materials used and hazardous waste generated by the Enterprise. Meeting these pollution prevention goals will require a team effort from all the hospital staff.


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