

UNITED STATES MARINE CORPS
MARINE CORPS BASE
CAMP LEJEUNE, NORTH CAROLINA 28542

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BASE ORDER 6224.1B

From: Commanding General
To: Distribution List

Subj: ADMINISTRATION OF TUBERCULOSIS CONTROL PROGRAM

Ref: (a) NAVMEDCOMINST 6224.1
(b) NAVMED P-5052-20 (NOTAL)
(c) OPNAVINST 1700.9 (NOTAL)
(d) NAVMED P-5010, Chap 1 (NOTAL)
(e) NHCLNCINST 6224.1

1. Purpose. To provide guidance for the administration of the Tuberculosis Control Program, as required by references (a) through (e) for all military and appropriate civilian personnel at Camp Lejeune and Marine Corps Air Station, New River.

2. Cancellation. BO 6224.1A.

3. Background. Each year a substantial number of cases of tuberculosis occur in the Navy and Marine Corps. The Tuberculosis Control Program at Camp Lejeune is designed to screen all active duty military personnel and specific civilian personnel in order to detect and treat those individuals with active tuberculosis, and interrupt the transmission of the disease to others. This Order will centralize the follow-up procedures needed for complete administration of the Tuberculosis Control Program.

4. Scope. The Tuberculosis Control Program at Camp Lejeune shall consist of:

a. Annual tuberculosis screening of all active duty military personnel stationed aboard Camp Lejeune and MCAS, New River.

b. Tuberculosis screening of those civilian personnel employed in the following job classifications with required frequency:

- (1) Food Service Personnel.....Initial and Tri-annually
- (2) Food Service Administrators.....Initial and Tri-annually
- (3) Bartenders.....Initial and Tri-annually
- (4) Waitresses.....Initial and Tri-annually
- (5) Food Service Janitorial Staff.....Initial and Tri-annually
- (6) Barbers and Beauty Shop Employees.....Initial and Tri-annually
- (7) Day Care Center Staff.....Initial and Annually
- (8) DOD School Staff Personnel.....Initial and Annually
- (9) Personnel involved with direct health care delivery.....Initial and Annually

c. The prompt management of personnel with reactive tuberculin tests or abnormal clinical or laboratory findings and the disposition of patients suspected of having active tuberculosis.

d. Timely submission of Disease Alert Reports.

e. A centrally managed tuberculosis contact investigation program.

f. Education of personnel, to the greatest extent possible, to the significance of early detection of tuberculosis and its inherent reduction of communicability among active duty and civilian personnel both in and out of the military community.

5. Action

a. Area Commanders and Commanding Officers

- (1) Ensure that the timely administration of the tuberculosis screening program is carried out within their area of responsibility and shall institute and/or enforce appropriate corrective measures when discrepancies are noted.
- (2) Effect liaison with the Commanding Officer, Naval Hospital (Attn: Occupational and Preventive Medicine Service) for evaluation and recommendations regarding tuberculosis control.
- (3) Ensure that medical records are adequately screened to determine whether or not the subject individual is participating in or is in need of participating in the tuberculosis contact investigation program.
- (4) Ensure that those individuals found suspect, as a direct result of the tuberculosis screening program, report promptly to appropriate medical authority and are sent to the Occupational and Preventive Medicine Service for medical record entries and administrative participation in the tuberculosis contact investigation program.
- (5) Ensure that those members participating in the tuberculosis investigation program appear promptly for medical evaluation and administrative procedures at intervals in accordance with reference (a).
- (6) Provide for the maintenance of a cross-file index at the Area Dispensaries on those individuals participating in the TB follow-up program.

b. Commanding Officer, Naval Hospital

- (1) Fund for and procure the essential materials and supplies necessary for conducting the tuberculosis screening program.
- (2) Ensure that the initial treatment and follow-up treatment regimens of those with reactive tuberculin tests or abnormal clinical or laboratory findings are in accordance with the recommendations in reference (a).
- (3) Establish and administer the Central Tuberculosis Contact Investigation Program for the Camp Lejeune complex commensurate with available personnel and resources.
- (4) Conduct routine evaluations of Command Tuberculosis Control Programs to ensure compliance with guidelines established in reference (a).
- (5) Maintain liaison with and provide support to area commanders and commanding officers concerning tuberculosis control matters which may affect employees and/or surrounding communities.

c. Assistant Chief of Staff, Morale, Welfare and Recreation MCB; Civilian Personnel Officer; and Services Officer, MCAS. Ensure that all civilians, appropriated and nonappropriated fund, employed in Food Service, Day Care Centers, DOD Schools, requiring health care certification, and those involved in direct health care delivery are screened for tuberculosis prior to active employment and are screened, as outlined in paragraph 4.b. above.

d. Food Service Officer. Ensure that all military personnel assigned to dining facilities on a temporary or permanent basis receive physicals and annual health card certification as required.

6. Concurrence. This Order has been coordinated and concurred in by the Commanding Generals, II Marine Amphibious Force, 2d Marine Division, FMF, 2d Force Service Support Group, (Rein), FMF, 6th Marine Amphibious Brigade, FMF, and the Commanding Officers, Marine Corps Air Station, New River, Naval Hospital and Naval Dental Clinic.


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1. Purpose. To direct pen changes to the basic Order.
2. Action
 - a. Page 1, par 4, delete b(1) thru b(6) in their entirety.
 - b. Renumber b(7) thru b(9) as b(1) thru b(3) respectively.


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