# Key Topics in Navy Audiology

# Naval Audit and I.G. Findings

- USMC
  - Inclusion in Program
  - HPD
    - Training / Use
- Acquisition
  - Weapons systems and equipment
- I.G.
  - HCP Effectiveness

### **CNO** Tasker

- IMR
- Software links
- Audiometric Fitness for Duty
  - Accession standards
- Resources
  - Civilian audiologists, super techs., audio techs
  - Military audiology positions and alignment
- Responsibilities

# <u>Audiology</u> (1862)

#### Billet Structure/Manning:

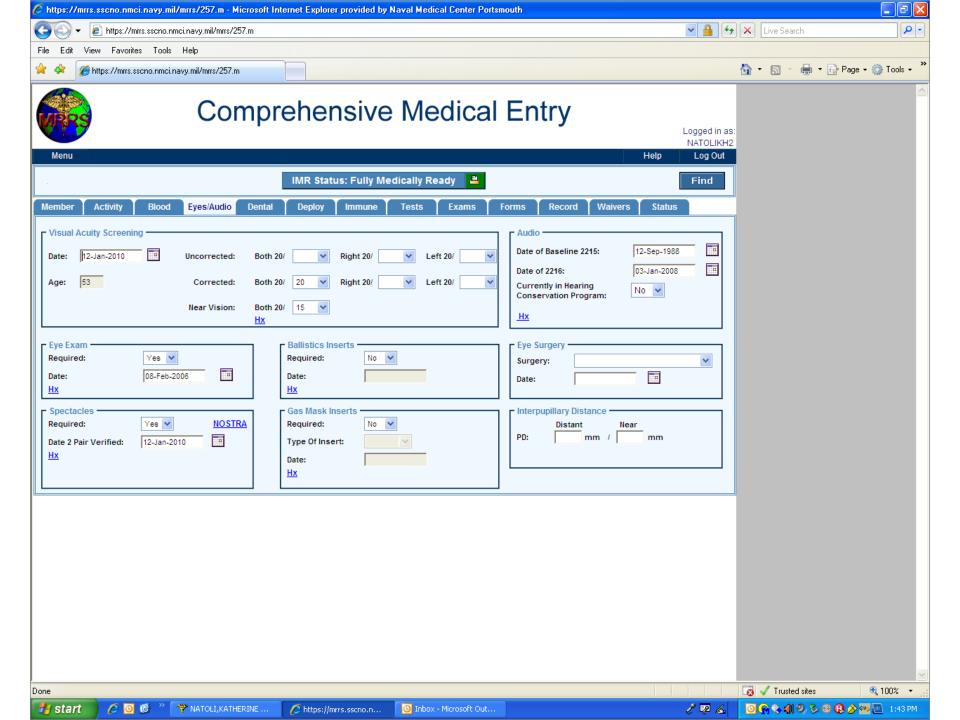
- 19 funded billets (17 currently filled); 9 of 21 billets are overseas.
- 17 officers (1 2XXX); 9 of 17 are LCDR and above
- 17 officers available for 21 billets = 80%

#### **Current Issues**:

- 4 billets gapped for 2010 (Rota, Iwakuni, Pensacola, San Diego)
- Two recruitments for FY10—1 HSCP & 1 DA
- SL working with 00MSC for billet buybacks. Bases increases on Army/AF/civ model of 1 provider per 18-24K population to provide more than a diagnostic role
- CNO briefed 10 AUG 2010—VCNO ltr dtd 05 JAN 2010 (Profile/MOE/readiness, etc.)
- Operationalize billets (LANTFLT & PACFLT)—have engaged FFC and currently drafting CONOPS for these proposed billets
- Joint DOD/VA HCOE
- Community considered for FY10 HPLRP

#### **Future Vision**:

- Work with MC SYSCOM for future audiology billet
- Transition one year HSCP to a four yr HPSP (similar to Optometry program)
- Retention: keeping billets filled while maintaining promotability
- Balance DUINS opportunities with manning; what opportunities past doctorate?



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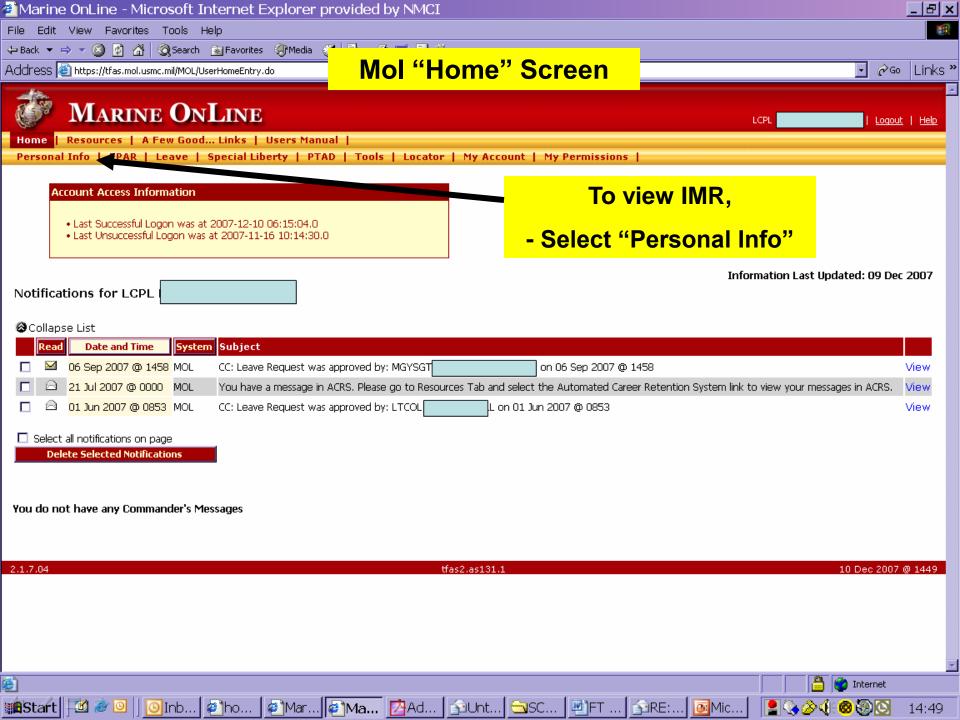
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UIC:	68546		
Report Date:	10-Feb-10		

IMR Status =	Fully Medically Ready	Printer Friendly

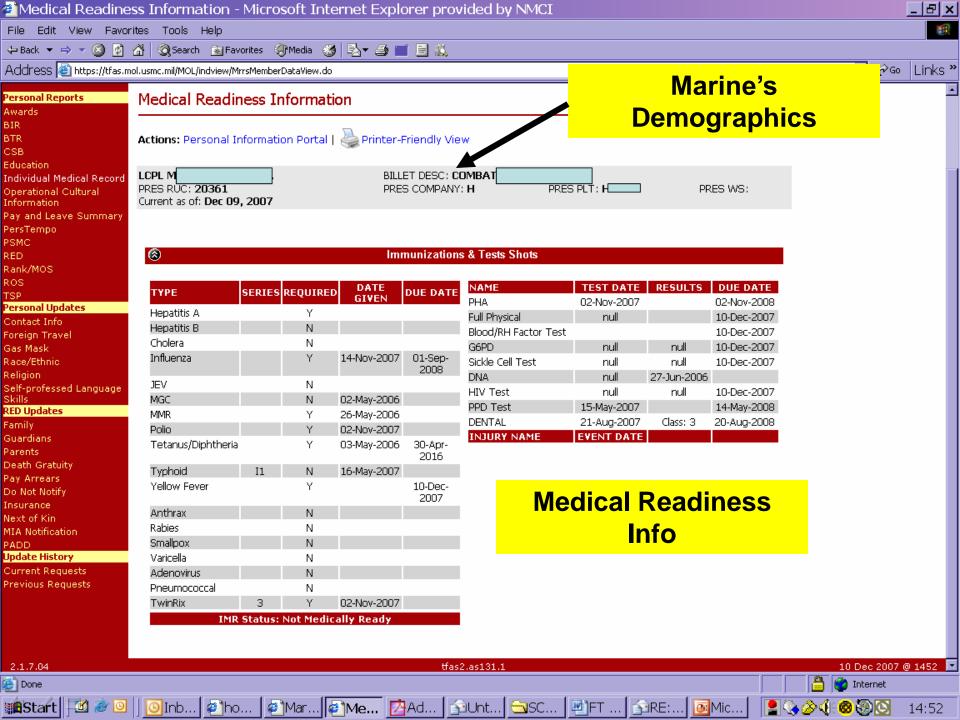
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Blood Type		On File	N/A		
G6PD			N/A		
DNA Verified on File	3	08-Apr-99	N/A		
HIV Compliance	HV Compliance 09-Jan-09		09-Jan-11		
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Element	Exam Date	Class	Next Due		
Dental	13-Jan-10	2	01-Mar-11		
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Туре			Date		
Gas Mask Inserts			N/A		
Medical Warning Tag			26-Sep-07		
Glasses	12-Jan-10				
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Post-Deploy(2796)			N/A		
PDHRA(2900)					

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FLU - Influenza			Y	15-Sep-09	01-Sep-10
HEPA - Hepatitis A		2	Y	22-Feb-97	
MMR - Measles, Mun	nps, & Rubella		Y	11-Jan-91	
POLIO			Υ	01-Sep-88	
TETA - Tetanus			Y	07-Jan-09	05-Jan-19
ADNV - Adenovirus			N		
ANTHX - Anthrax			N		
CHOL - Cholera			N		
H1N1			N	11-Jan-10	
HEPB - Hepatitis B		3	N	20-Dec-06	
JEV - Japanese Encephalitis		2	N	16-Apr-92	
MGC - Meningococcal			N		
PNEUM - Pneumococcal			N		
RABIE - Rabies			N		
SPOX - Smallpox			N		
TwinRx - Combination Hepatitis A and B			N		
TYPH - Typhoid		11	N	22-Jul-04	
VARIC - Varicella			N		
YLWFV - Yellow Fever			N	21-Sep-98	
PROPERTY.	Tube	rculin Skin	Test		
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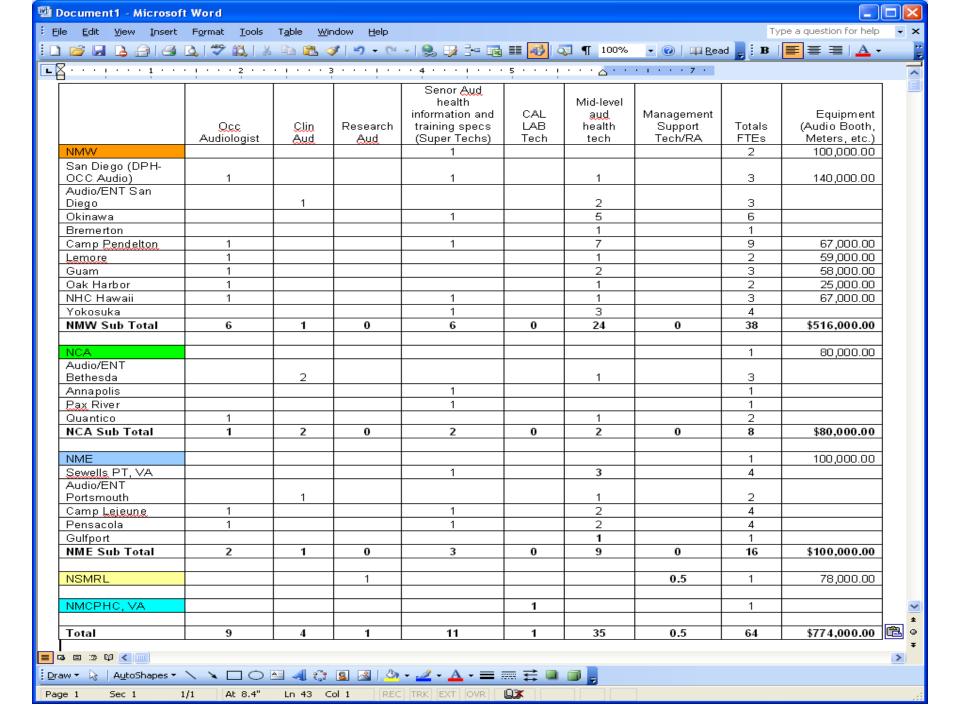


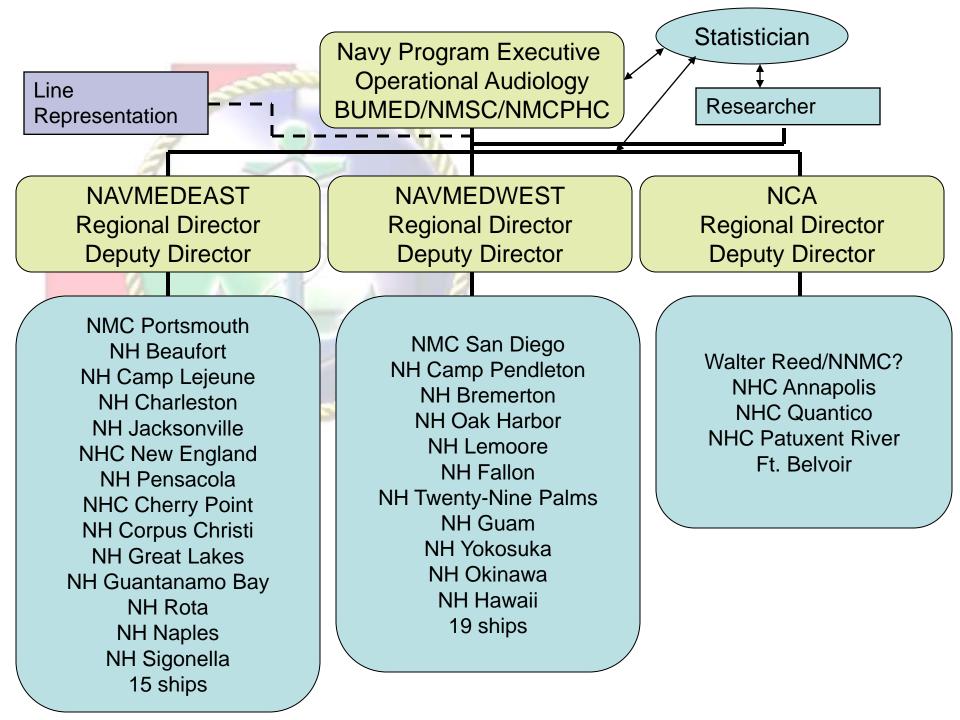




# Wounded Warrior III and Injured funding briefing

- 64 positions
- Regional coordination/responsibility
  - Training
  - Metrics
- Advisory board
- Research





# Hearing Center of Excellence

- Mandated to be a collaborative effort to address prevention, diagnosis, mitigation, treatment, and rehabilitation of hearing loss and auditory system injury, including TBI
- DoD and VA
- Will establish quality standards for clinical care, education and training, prevention, patient, family and community outreach, research, and program excellence.

# TM Changes

- Audiometric Fitness for Duty
  - Evaluation (beyond the SPRINT)
  - Medical Recommendations
- Greater flexibility with technician supervison
- Profiles

# Small Business Innovative Research Projects

- Earmold digitization/scanning
- In ear dosimetry
- OAE

## D.O.L. Issues

Comp rules and forms

## Audiometric Tech. Certification

- Tech. cert class (need feedback)
  - Basic class for certification
  - Advanced DOEHRS for Super Techs.
  - Abbreviated (2 day) re-cert. class
- Requirement
  - Full week
  - Standardized curriculum
- Five yr. re-cert (with annual appraisal)
- If planning course please notify NMCPHC