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THIS MESSAGE HAS BEEN SENT BY THE PENTAGON TELECOMMUNICATIONS CENTER ON BEHALF OF DA WASHINGTON DC//DAPE-MPA//

SUBJECT: CLARIFICATION OF THE SUICIDE PREVENTION PROGRAM MANAGER, THE SENIOR COMMANDER AND COMMUNITY HEALTH PROMOTION COORDINATOR DUTIES

1. REFERENCES.

1A. AR 600-63, ARMY HEALTH PROMOTION, DATED 7 MAY 2007, RAR 20 SEP 2009.

1B. DA PAM 600-24, HEALTH PROMOTION, RISK REDUCTION, AND SUICIDE PREVENTION, 24 NOV 2009.

2. AR 600-63, PARAGRAPHS 1-20, 1-21, 2-2(A), AND 2-3(A) WILL BE REVISED IN THE NEXT RAPID ACTION REVISION TO CLARIFY THE ROLES OF THE SENIOR COMMANDER AND/OR DESIGNEE WITH RESPECT TO THE COMMUNITY HEALTH PROMOTION COUNCIL (CHPC).

2A. SENIOR COMMANDERS, AS NOTED IN AR 600-63, PARAGRAPH 1-20(A), HAVE THE OVERALL RESPONSIBILITY FOR HEALTH PROMOTION, RISK REDUCTION, AND SUICIDE PREVENTION EFFORTS.

2B. SENIOR COMMANDERS SHOULD PRESIDE OVER THE COMMUNITY HEALTH PROMOTION COUNCIL, BUT MAY DESIGNATE, AS APPROPRIATE, THE GARRISON COMMANDER TO CHAIR THE CHPC. THE FUTURE RAR OF AR 600-63 WILL ALLOW THE SENIOR COMMANDER TO DESIGNATE EITHER THE GARRISON COMMANDER OR AN ALTERNATE INDIVIDUAL TO CHAIR THE CHPC.

3. THE FOLLOWING DUTIES REFLECTED IN AR 600-63, PARAGRAPH 1-25, (D THRU J) AND PARAGRAPH 1-26 (A THRU G) ONLY APPLY TO SUICIDE PREVENTION PROGRAM MANAGERS:

3A. ADMINISTERS THE SUICIDE PREVENTION PROGRAM FOR BOTH MILITARY AND CIVILIAN MEMBERS WITH A GOAL TO REDUCE SUICIDES.

3B. SERVES AS THE PRESIDING OFFICER OF THE SUICIDE PREVENTION TASK FORCE AND COORDINATES THE EFFORTS OF TASK FORCE MEMBERS.

3C. SERVES AS A MEMBER OF THE CHPC REPRESENTING SUICIDE PREVENTION ISSUES AND PROVIDING INPUT INTO RELATED PROGRAMS.

3D. TRACKS THE TRAINING OF ALL ACE-CERTIFIED PERSONNEL AND ACE TRAINING FOR THE INSTALLATION, STATE, AND REGIONAL SUPPORT COMMAND (RSC).

3E. SERVES AS THE POINT OF CONTACT FOR PROGRAM INFORMATION AND ADVICE TO THE COMMANDER AND TO MAJOR SUBORDINATE COMMANDS.

3F. INTEGRATES SUICIDE PREVENTION INTO COMMUNITY, FAMILY, AND SOLDIER SUPPORT PROGRAMS AS APPROPRIATE.

3G. COORDINATES WITH INTERNAL AND EXTERNAL ORGANIZATIONS TO SHARE INFORMATION, TRENDS, BEST PRACTICES, LESSONS LEARNED, AND TRAINING DEVELOPMENTS.

4. SUB-PARAGRAPHS 1-25 (D THRU J) WILL BE REMOVED IN THE NEXT RAPID ACTION REVISION OF AR 600-63.

5. SUICIDE PREVENTION PROGRAM MANAGERS SHOULD ALSO TRACK THE TRAINING FOR ALL SUICIDE INTERVENTION SKILLS-CERTIFIED PERSONNEL AND TRAINING FOR THE INSTALLATION, STATE, AND/OR RSC.

6. THE COMMUNITY HEALTH PROMOTION COORDINATOR IS RESPONSIBLE FOR SERVING AS A LIAISON WITH THE COMMUNITY ON BEHALF OF THE INSTALLATION COMMANDER.

7. THE TERM INSTALLATION COMMANDER IN SUB-PARAGRAPH 2-3 (C AND C (1)) WILL BE CHANGED TO SENIOR COMMANDER IN THE NEXT RAPID ACTION REVISION OF AR 600-63.

8. ALL COMMENTS TO THIS MESSAGE SHOULD BE ADDRESSED TO THE ARMY SUICIDE PREVENTION OFFICE AT G1SUICIDE@CONUS.ARMY.MIL.

9. THIS MESSAGE APPLIES TO ALL ARMY COMPONENTS, AS APPLICABLE.

10. THIS MESSAGE HAS BEEN APPROVED BY ARMY DCS, G-1.

11. EXPIRATION DATE IS 15 APR 2011.