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#### MEMORANDUM FOR ALL REGION, WING, GROUP AND SQUADRON COMMANDERS

FROM: CAP/CC

SUBJECT: Department of Defense Facility Vaccination Guidance

1. The Undersecretary of Defense recently released the attached memo revising Department of Defense (DoD) COVID guidance. All CAP members who fly, train, or attend meetings in a DoD facility must now report vaccine status or submit negative COVID tests per DoD's policy. Entry into DoD facilities around the nation will require compliance with this memo.

2. The memo applies to all individuals issued an identification credential by DoD that affords the individual recurring access and to non-DoD individuals seeking access, one time or recurring, in association with the performance of official DoD and CAP business. While those who access DoD facilities simply to receive services are exempted from the memo, those who work or, in our case, carry out official CAP business in DoD facilities will need to comply.

3. Therefore, all CAP members acting in official capacity who seek access to DoD facilities on a routine basis will complete DD Form 3150 (which is included with the attached memo). The form must be submitted upon request to designated DoD personnel at the military facility. CAP members requiring access to DoD facilities who have not been fully vaccinated will have to show an electronic or paper copy of negative results from an FDA-authorized or approved COVID-19 test administered no earlier than 72 hours prior to their visit.

4. CAP unit commanders who conduct CAP business in a DoD facility must meet with officials from that facility to determine how and when the installation is going to implement this DoD guidance. Once you determine that, conduct a meeting with your staff to come up with a plan to fully comply.

5. Frequently asked questions are attached. Please contact the General Counsel's office at <u>gc@capnhq.gov</u> if you have additional questions. Thank you for your assistance with this important matter.

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2 Attachments:

- 1. Frequently Asked Questions
- 2. DoD Guidance for COVID Vaccination Attestation and Screening

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## **Frequently Asked Questions**

- 1. Does this directive apply only to CAC or DBIDS card holders? No, it covers all individuals who access DoD facilities except in very limited situations (such as visiting a commissary). The memorandum even requires "official visitors" (to include those on an entry access list -EAL) to complete a DD Form 3150 or provide a negative COVID test. Official visitors would have a lesser status than CAP personnel who routinely access the DoD facilities to perform a variety of CAP activities, so CAP members are clearly covered by the memo's requirements. Bottom-line, this memorandum applies to any CAP personnel accessing DoD facilities (other than those exempted, e.g., commissary) regardless of whether they have a CAC or DBIDS card.
- 2. Does this directive apply to parents who are carpooling, dropping off, or picking up cadets from CAP activities? Our expectation is that some installations will allow drop-off and pick-up without COVID clearance, but that should not be assumed. Each affected CAP unit commander should discuss this situation with appropriate authorities at their military installation.
- **3.** What if CAP members have religious or political objections to the policy? Members may comply through a negative COVID testing regimen per the memorandum.
- 4. Can we negotiate with our local installation regarding these mandates? Talking with local military installation officials about how to comply is important, but CAP units should not try to negotiate out of the requirements. We should take compliance as a point of pride for us as members of the U.S. Air Force Total Force.
- 5. Who should sign the DD Form 3150 for a cadet? The form should be signed by a parent, a primary custodian, or a legal guardian.
- 6. When does this DoD policy begin? We anticipate that each military facility will implement the policy in different ways to include when the facility begins enforcing the policy. That's why it is important for the CAP unit commander to meet with installation officials as soon as possible.
- 7. Do CAP members need to keep a copy of the signed DD Form 3150 with them at all times? Yes, we recommend our members start doing this and continue doing it until installation officials tell CAP what the policy is for that particular military facility.



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## MEMORANDUM FOR SENIOR PENTAGON LEADERSHIP COMMANDERS OF THE COMBATANT COMMANDS DEFENSE AGENCY AND DOD FIELD ACTIVITY DIRECTORS

SUBJECT: Force Health Protection Guidance (Supplement 23) Revision 1 – Department of Defense Guidance for Coronavirus Disease 2019 Vaccination Attestation, Screening Testing, and Vaccination Verification

This memorandum rescinds and replaces references (a) and (b),<sup>1</sup> and provides updated guidance for implementing additional force health protection and workplace safety measures directed by the White House Safer Federal Workforce Task Force (reference (c)) to reduce the transmission of the virus that causes coronavirus disease 2019 (COVID-19).

In accordance with references (c), (d), and (e), DoD civilian employees are now required to be fully vaccinated by November 22, 2021, subject to exemptions as required by law. For purposes of this guidance, "DoD civilian employee," includes foreign nationals employed by DoD outside the United States, to the maximum extent possible while respecting host nation agreements and laws. It also includes DoD civilian employees who are engaged in full-time telework or remote work. Additional information about the requirements for DoD civilian employees can be found in Attachment 1.

DoD contractor personnel and official visitors must attest to being fully vaccinated and, if not fully vaccinated, present the results of a recent negative COVID-19 test as a condition of physical access to DoD buildings and DoD-leased spaces in non-DoD buildings in which official DoD business takes place (referred to jointly in this memorandum as "DoD facilities"). For purposes of this physical access requirement, "contractor personnel" are those individuals issued a credential by DoD that affords the individual recurring access to DoD facilities, classified herein as "credentialed recurring access" (CRA) (e.g., Common Access Cardholders). "Official visitors" are non-DoD individuals seeking access, one time or recurring, in association with the performance of official DoD business (e.g., to attend a meeting), but who do not have CRA. The COVID-19 vaccination status for all individuals with CRA and official onsite visitors will be determined in accordance with Attachment 2.

These vaccination and physical access requirements do not apply to personnel receiving ad hoc access to DoD facilities (e.g., delivery personnel, taxi services); to individuals who have access to the grounds of, but not the buildings on, DoD installations (e.g., contract groundskeepers, fuel delivery personnel, household goods transportation personnel); to personnel accessing DoD buildings unrelated to the performance of DoD business (e.g., residential housing); or to personnel accessing DoD facilities to receive a public benefit (e.g., commissary;

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> References are listed in Attachment 8.

exchange; public museum; air show; military medical treatment facility; Morale, Welfare, and Recreation resources).

In accordance with reference (f), Service members (members of the Armed Forces under DoD authority on Active Duty or in the Ready Reserve, including members of the National Guard) are required to be fully vaccinated against COVID-19. Service members' vaccination status will be validated utilizing their Military Service-specific Individual Medical Readiness (IMR) system. If a Service member has been vaccinated against COVID-19 outside the Military Health System, that Service member must show official proof of his or her COVID-19 vaccination status to update the IMR system. Once the applicable mandatory vaccination date has passed, COVID-19 screening testing as described in Attachment 5 is required at least weekly for Service members who are not fully vaccinated, including those who have an exemption request under review, or who are exempted from COVID-19 vaccination and are entering a DoD facility. Service members who are not on Active Duty and who also are DoD civilian employees or DoD contractor personnel must follow the applicable requirements in this memorandum for DoD civilian employees or DoD contractor personnel.

Individuals are considered fully vaccinated 2 weeks after completing the second dose of a two-dose COVID-19 vaccine or 2 weeks after receiving a single dose of a one-dose COVID-19 vaccine. Individuals must be vaccinated with vaccines that are either fully licensed or authorized for emergency use by the Food and Drug Administration (FDA) (e.g., Pfizer-BioNTech/COMIRNATY, Moderna, Johnson & Johnson/Janssen vaccines); listed for emergency use on the World Health Organization Emergency Use Listing (e.g., AstraZeneca/Oxford); or approved for use in a clinical trial vaccine for which vaccine efficacy has been independently confirmed (e.g., Novavax). Those with previous COVID-19 infection(s) or antibody test results are not considered fully vaccinated on that basis for the purposes of this memorandum.

All medical and other information collected from individuals will be maintained in a manner meeting the privacy requirements in Attachment 7.

Heads of DoD Components and the Director of Administration and Management (for the Office of the Secretary of Defense Components, the Office of the Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff and the Joint Staff, the Defense Agencies, and DoD Field Activities) will publish any necessary supplemental instructions and ensure that all contract and associated funding implications are considered.

DoD Components should engage with DoD civilian employee unions as they develop supplemental guidance and otherwise satisfy any applicable collective bargaining obligations under the law at the earliest convenience, including on a post-implementation basis.

This memorandum and other COVID-19 guidance memoranda are centrally located at: https://www.defense.gov/Explore/Spotlight/Coronavirus/Latest-DOD-Guidance/.

Please direct any questions or comments to the following email address:

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Attachments:

- 1. ATTACHMENT 1: Vaccination Requirements for DoD Civilian Employees
- 2. ATTACHMENT 2: Requirements for DoD Contractor Personnel, Official Onsite Visitors, and Others Seeking Access to Facilities
- 3. ATTACHMENT 3: DD Form 3175 "DoD Civilian Employee Certification of Vaccination"
- 4. ATTACHMENT 4: DD Form 3150 "Contractor and Visitor Certification of Vaccination"
- 5. ATTACHMENT 5: COVID-19 Screening Testing Requirements
- 6. ATTACHMENT 6: Requirements for Obtaining Self-Collection Kits and Self-Tests
- 7. ATTACHMENT 7: Privacy Requirements
- 8. ATTACHMENT 8: References

#### ATTACHMENT 2 Requirements for DoD Contractor Personnel, Official Onsite Visitors, and Others Seeking Access to Facilities

#### 1. DoD Contractor Personnel

- a. For DoD contractor personnel, the DoD civilian vaccination deadline of November 22, 2021, does not apply. Vaccination requirements for DoD contractor personnel will be in accordance with reference (i), as implemented by reference (j), as directed under Executive Order 14042 (reference (k)).
- b. DoD contractor personnel will complete the DD Form 3150, "Contractor and Visitor Certification of Vaccination" (Attachment 4), maintain a current completed DD Form 3150, and show it to authorized DoD personnel upon request. Failure to complete the DD Form 3150 may result in denying DoD contractor personnel access to the DoD facility to which access is sought.
- c. DoD contractor personnel who are not fully vaccinated against COVID-19 because they are not performing under a covered contract that requires COVID-19 vaccination, due to a legally required accommodation, or who decline to attest to their COVID-19 vaccination status will be subject to COVID-19 screening testing at least weekly as set forth in this guidance (Attachment 5). DoD contractor personnel who refuse required screening testing will be denied access to DoD facilities.
- d. In accordance with applicable contracts, DoD contractor personnel may be offered, but are not required to receive, COVID-19 vaccines at their DoD worksites.

## 2. Official Onsite Visitors

- a. Official onsite visitors will complete DD Form 3150, "Contractor and Visitor Certification of Vaccination"<sup>3</sup> (Attachment 4); and maintain a current completed DD Form 3150 and show it to authorized DoD personnel, upon request. Failure to complete the DD Form 3150 may result in denial of an official onsite visitor's access to the DoD facility to which access is sought.
- b. Official visitors who are not fully vaccinated against COVID-19, or who decline to volunteer their COVID-19 vaccination status, must show an electronic or paper copy of negative results from an FDA-authorized or approved COVID-19 test administered no earlier than 72 hours prior to their visit. If an official visitor is unable to show a negative COVID-19 test result, the visitor may be provided onsite self-testing, if available, or will be denied access to the DoD facilities to which access is sought. Service members who are not on Active Duty at the time of their official visit are subject to the requirements in this paragraph.
- c. Official visitors will follow applicable policies and procedures of both DoD and the

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> https://www.esd.whs.mil/Portals/54/Documents/DD/forms/dd/dd3150.pdf

Department or Agency they are visiting, if different from DoD.

#### 3. Others Seeking Access to Facilities

Individuals other than official visitors seeking access to facilities located on DoD installations, but operated by other Federal departments and agencies, will follow the policies and procedures of that other department or agency.

#### **ATTACHMENT 4**

# DD Form 3150 - "Contractor Personnel and Visitor Certification of Vaccination"

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PRIVACY	ACT STATEMENT	
Authority: DoD is authorized to collect the information on this form pursuant Federal Contractors: E.O. 13991. Protecting the Federal Workforce and Req Federal Employees: as well as 10 U.S.C. 113, 10 U.S.C. 136, 10 U.S.C. 701 Instruction 6200.03.	quiring Mask-Wearing; and E.O. 12196. Occupational Sa	afety and Health Program for
rincipal Purpose: This Information is being collected to Implement Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19) workplace safety plans, including DoD's COVID-19 esting programs, and to ensure the safety and protection of the DoD workforce, workplace, and other DoD facilities and environments, consistent with the bove-referenced authorities, the COVID-19 Workplace Safety: Agency Model Safety Principles established by the Safer Federal Workforce Task Force, and uidance from the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention and the Occupational Safety and Health Administration.		
Routine Use(s): While the information requested on this form is intended to be used primarily for internal purposes, in certain circumstances it may be necessary to disclose this information externally, for example to disclose information to: a person, organization, or governmental entity as necessary and relevant to notify them of, respond to, or guard against a public health emergency or other similar crisis, including to comply with laws governing the reporting of communicable disease or other laws concerning health and safety in the work environment: adjudicative or administrative bodies or officials when the records are relevant and necessary to an adjudicative or administrative proceeding; contractors, grantees, experts, consultants, students, and others as necessary to perform their duties for the Federal government: agencies, courts, and persons as necessary and relevant in the course of litigation, and as necessary and in accordance with requirements for law enforcement; or to a person authorized to act on your behalf. A complete list of routine uses may be found in the applicable System of Records Notice (SORN) associated with the collection of this information from contractor personnel and DD visitors: DPR 39 DoD, DoD Personnel Accountability and Assessment System of Records. 85 Fed, Reg, 17047 (Mar. 26, 2020) (also available at https://dpcld.defense.gov/Portals/49/ Documents/Privacy/SORNs/OSDJS/DPR-39-D0D,pdf). Consequences of Failure to Provide Information: Providing this information is voluntary. However, if you fail to provide this information, you will be treated as not fully vaccinated for purposes of Implementing safety measures, including subject to COVID-19 screening testing and/or denied access to DoD facilities. Failure to provide such information may also hinder DoD's ability to implement COV/ID-19 workplace safety plans, thereby increasing the health or safety risk to		
DoD-affiliated personnel and DoD facilities. INSTRUCTIONS: This form should be completed by DoD contractor personnel and official visitors in accordance with current DoD Force Health Protection Guidance. DoD civilian employees should not complete this form.		
1. NAME (Last, First, MI):	2. DoD ID NUMBER:	
3. PLEASE CHECK THE BOX BELOW THAT COINCIDES WITH YOUR COVID-19 VACCINATION STATUS:  1 am fully vaccinated. Individuals are considered "fully vaccinated" two weeks after completing the second dose of a two-dose COVID-19 vaccine or two weeks after receiving a single dose of a one-dose vaccine. Accepted COVID-19 vaccines are those which have received a license or emergency use authorization from the U.S. Food and Drug Administration and those COVID-19 vaccines on the World Health Organization Emergency Use Listing. "Fully vaccinated" also includes circumstances in which the individual was a participant in a U.S. site clinical trial and has received all recommended doses.  1 am not yet fully vaccinated, I received only one dose of an accepted two-dose COVID-19 vaccine. or I received my final dose of an accepted COVID-19 vaccine less than two weeks ago.  1 have not been vaccinated.  1 decline to respond.  Individuals who choose not to complete the form will be assumed to be not fully vaccinated for purposes of application of the safety protocols. If you are not vaccinated due to medical or religious reasons, please check either 'I have not been vaccinated' or 'I decline to respond'. Note that if you have already received one dose of a vaccine. but are not yet fully vaccinated, or if you received your final dose less than two weeks ago, then you will be treated as not fully vaccinated until you are at least two weeks past your final dose and resubmit your vaccination information.  1 Certify that the information provided in this form is accurate and true to the best of my knowledge.  1 understand that a knowing and willful false statement on this form can be punished by fine or imprisonment or both (18 U.S.C. 1001). Checking 'I decline to respond' does not constitute a false statement. I understand that making a false statement on this form could result in additional administrative action including an adverse personnel action up to and including removal from my position.		
4. DATE (YYYYMMDD) 5. SIGNATURE	E (Full Name)	

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#### ATTACHMENT 5 COVID-19 Screening Testing Requirements

- 1. To establish COVID-19 screening testing for individuals for whom screening testing is required, DoD Components will:
  - a. Execute the screening testing requirement with COVID-19 self-collection kits or self-tests at least weekly (depending on the type of test kit used) that can be performed primarily onsite at the installation or facility with proper supervision and documentation of testing results. If onsite COVID-19 screening testing is not feasible, as an alternative self-testing can be performed at home or in other locations (Note: these COVID-19 self-tests do not require a health care provider's clinical care order and are, therefore, considered an over-the-counter test and do not require medical support to complete). Screening testing will be conducted using an FDA-authorized or approved test; and
  - b. Procure and provide these COVID-19 self-tests and establish guidance for where and how these tests will be distributed and conducted and how results are to be reported.
    - i. DoD civilian employees are responsible for providing documentation of negative COVID-19 test results, upon receipt, to the appropriate supervisor or authorized human resources official. DoD civilian employees may not be required to use their own personal equipment for the purpose of documenting test results; offsite tests may not be used if there is not a means to document results using government equipment. The supervisor is responsible for maintaining any COVID-19 test results provided by DoD civilian employees in accordance with the privacy protection measures in Attachment 7.
    - ii. DoD contractor personnel with CRA will maintain their most recent COVID-19 test result and show such results to authorized DoD personnel upon request.
- 2. After COVID-19 screening testing procedures are established, the personnel identified in this memorandum as subject to screening testing are required to have a COVID-19 screening test with an FDA-authorized or approved test, and receive a negative COVID-19 screening test result for entry into a DoD facility. If the COVID-19 screening test is administered offsite, the negative result must be from a test performed within the prior 72 hours. If a COVID-19 screening test is administered onsite, the test will be administered immediately before or upon entry into the workplace.
- 3. DoD civilian employees and DoD contractor personnel with CRA who have positive COVID-19 screening tests will be required to remain away from the workplace in accordance with references (l) and (m). DoD civilian employees and DoD contractor personnel with CRA with positive COVID-19 screening tests will be offered, but not required to take, confirmatory laboratory-based molecular (i.e., polymerase chain reaction) testing paid for by the relevant DoD Component. Contact tracing and mitigation measures will be conducted in accordance with references (l) and (m). If the confirmatory test is negative, the individual is not considered to be COVID-19 positive and will be allowed into the workplace.

- 4. For DoD civilian employees, COVID-19 screening testing is expected to take no more than 1 hour of regular duty time, per test, to complete required testing as directed by the DoD Component. This includes time for travel to the testing site, time to complete testing, and time to return to work. Laboratory-based confirmatory COVID-19 testing for initial positive screening test results is expected to take no more than 2 hours of duty time. Commanders and supervisors will monitor duty time usage and keep duty time used for testing within these parameters to the extent possible.
- 5. DoD Components may bar DoD civilian employees who refuse required screening testing from their worksites on the installation or facility to protect the safety of others, including while adverse action is pending. While barred from their worksites on the installation or facility, such employees may be required to telework, as appropriate.