

Field Medical Training Battalion Camp Pendleton, California

Change Of Command



7 June 2013

Welcome to the Field Medical Training Battalion Change of Command Ceremony

at which

Captain Michael E. Eby Medical Service Corps United States Navy

will relinquish

command to

Captain Dan Cornwell Medical Service Corps United States Navy The Sailors Creed

I am a United States Sailor

I will support and defend the Constitution of the United States of America and I will obey the orders of those appointed over me.

I represent the fighting spirit of the Navy and those who have gone before me to defend freedom and democracy around the world.

I proudly serve my country's Navy combat team with Honor, Courage, and Commitment.

I am committed to excellence and the fair treatment of all.

Command Missions



To educate, train and prepare Navy Medical Department personnel to serve with the Marine Corps operating forces. Each member of the command will make these three tenants "educating training and preparing" our students to serve in the operating forces their number one priority. The educating, training and preparing phases will always be accomplished with operational risk management at the forefront of every evolution.



To coordinate, resource, execute and evaluate training concepts, policies, plans and programs to ensure Marines are trained to a common standard in order to meet the challenges of present and future operational environments.



To develop, coordinate, resource, execute, and evaluate training and education concepts, policies, plans, and programs to ensure Marines are prepared to meet the challenges of present and future operational environments.

Sequence of Events

Navy Region Southwest Ceremonial Band

Welcome

Arrival of Official Party

"March On"

March on the Colors

National Anthem

Invocation

Publish the Orders

Transfer of FMTB Colors

Comments by CAPT Eby

Comments by CAPT Cornwell

Anchors Aweigh

The Marines' Hymn

Conclusion





CAPT Eby enlisted in the Navy in 1981. After graduating from Boot Camp and Basic Hospital Corps School in San Diego, he transferred to Naval Regional Medical Center Camp Pendleton. In 1985 he completed Field Medical Service School and transferred to 1st Marine Division. He subsequently deployed to WESTPAC assigned to Second Battalion, First Marines embarked on USS TARAWA (LHA-1).

In 1986, CAPT Eby was commissioned in the Medical Service Corps. Assigned to Naval Hospital Camp Pendleton, he augmented the staff of COMPHIBRON ONE and deployed to WESTPAC aboard USS PELELIU (LHA-5).

In 1989, CAPT Eby transferred to 1st Medical Battalion as Commanding Officer of Alpha Surgical Company. He de-

ployed to RIMPAC aboard USS DENVER (LPD-9), and with I MEF to the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia in support of OPERATION DESERT SHIELD & STORM.

CAPT Eby transferred in 1992 to Fleet Hospital Operations and Training Command as Administrative Officer and Medical Regulating instructor where he received 3150 AQD in curriculum development. In 1994, CAPT Eby transferred to the staff of I MEF. Assigned as Middle East Medical Plans Officer, he deployed to Saudi Arabia in support of OPERATION VIGILANT WARRIOR and coordinated the medical support to United Nations Operation Somalia (UNOSOM II).

In 1998, CAPT Eby attended Command and Staff College at the Naval War College in Newport Rhode Island. Upon graduation, he was transferred to the Naval Warfare Development Command. His duties included coordination of Fleet Battle Experiments, as well as, Joint, NATO, and Naval doctrine. In 2001, CAPT Eby was assigned as Officer in Charge of the Naval Medical Branch Clinic at Naval Air Station Fallon, Nevada and served on the Board of Governors for the Tricare Central Region.

CAPT Eby reported to 1st Medical Battalion as Executive Officer in June 2004 and deployed twice to Al Anbar Provence Iraq. He served as Commanding Officer from April 2006 to July 2008. He was directly responsible for over 915 Marines and Sailors who provided surgical and resuscitative intervention to over 11,000 USA and USMC casualties in Iraq and Afghanistan—maintaining a 97% survival rate.

CAPT Eby most recently served as the Director for Administration, Naval Hospital Camp Pendleton, CA. He served on the Executive Board for this 250 bed community hospital and family practice residency program. He Directed 510 clinicians, support staff, and contractors from general services departments that included: Environmental services, bio medical repair, security, information systems, coding and billing, facilities, supply chain, human resources, capital medical equipment, and education and training. He effectively managing \$15.5M operations and maintenance budget.

CAPT Eby currently serves as Commanding Officer for Field Medical Training Battalion-West.

FIELD MEDICAL TRAINING BATTALION STAFF

Commanding Officer Executive Officer Command Master Chief

<u>S-1</u> Administration Officer Administration Alpha Administration Chief

Command Career Counselor

S-3 Operations Officer Operations Chief Chief Instructor

Company Chief Company Gunny Command IDC

Instructors

S-4 Logistics Officer Logistics Alpha Logistics SNCOIC

<u>S-5</u> Academics Officer Academics Alpha Academics SNCOIC

<u>S-6</u> Communications Officer Communications Alpha CAPT M. E. EBY CDR T. J. STOCKTON HMCM(FMF/SW) H. B. PATAWARAN

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FIELD MEDICAL TRAINING BATTALION

"LINEAGE"

Field Medical Training Battalion originated during mobilization at the beginning of the Korean War. For all practical purposes, training of Hospital Corpsmen for duty with the Fleet Marine Force had ceased after the end of World War II. In the latter part of August of 1950, the School's headquarters was established near the main dispensary in the 13 Area of Camp Pendleton.

The first class convened on 4 September, 1950 and was composed of 80 Hospital Corpsmen who had been recalled to active duty with organized Marine Corps Reserve units. In October of that year, the School was relocated to Camp Del Mar, where it has remained since.

In January of 1951, the School was formally designated as the Field Medical Training Battalion, Training and Replacement Command. In July of 1955, the Secretary of the Navy designated Field Medical Service School as a Naval Shore Establishment Command under the management and control of the Commanding General, Marine Corps Base, Camp Pendleton.

The course of instruction was finally designated as a Marine Corps Formal School, on 12 April, 1963. On June 15, 2007 the school was re-established as Field Medical Training Battalion.

Today, Field Medical Training Battalion-West is the premier surgical/trauma training organization in the Marine Corps. Field Medical Training Battalion-West provides state of the art instruction in trauma management to units world-wide. A 1985 graduate of Southern Illinois University, CAPT Eby majored in Healthcare Management. He completed a Masters in Business Administration degree at Webster University in 1992. In 1999 he completed the Naval War College Masters Degree program in National Security and Strategic Studies. He is a Fellow in the American College of Healthcare Executives.

CAPT Eby's personal decorations include the Bronze Star Medal, Meritorious Service Medal (three awards), Navy Commendation Medal (five awards), Navy Achievement Medal (three awards), the Combat Action Ribbon, Good Conduct Medal, and various unit and campaign awards.



SPECIAL RECOGNITION

For their dedication and support CAPT Eby would like to thank;

his wife **Brenda Eby** and children **Kenneth, Erin** and **Jennifer**

and the FMTB Staff





A native of Martinsville, Illinois, CAPT Cornwell is a graduate of Martinsville High and a 1988 graduate of the School of Public Health from Indiana University. He holds a Masters Degree in Healthcare Administration from Baylor University and is credentialed as a Fellow in the American College of Healthcare Executives.

Seaman Recruit Cornwell enlisted in the U.S. Navy May of 1975. After Basic Training, Hospital Corps "A" School, Field Medical Service School, and Respiratory Therapy "C" School; HM2 Cornwell was released from Active Duty to attend Indiana University. Upon graduation from the IU School of Public Health ENS Cornwell was commissioned December 1988.

After OIS in Newport, Rhode Island, ENS Cornwell reported to Naval Hospital San Diego. He held various positions including Patient Administration Officer and Administrative Assistant to the Director for Administration. During Desert Shield & Desert Storm LTJG Cornwell supported the USS Iwo Jima and the Administrative Support Unit, Bahrain as the Medical Admin Officer and Medical Regulator. Upon his return to Naval Hospital San Diego LT Cornwell was selected for out-service training for the Masters of Healthcare Administration Program at Baylor University.

Upon graduation LT Cornwell was assigned as the Assistant Director for Branch Medical Clinic Makalapa, Pearl Harbor, Hawaii. After a successful tour in Hawaii he transferred to Naval Hospital Naples, Italy where he served as the Disaster Planning Officer, Public Affairs Officer, and the Strategic Management Planning Officer.

LCDR Cornwell then transferred to U.S. Joint Forces Command as one of the Joint Regional Medical Planners assigned to FEMA and the U.S. Public Health Service. In this position LCDR Cornwell served as the DoD Medical Liaison to FEMA Region IX; California, Nevada, Arizona, and Hawaii. Working very closely with city, county, state, and federal health officials LCDR Cornwell was instrumental in the success of the Federal Response Plan; after two years with FE-MA and the U.S. Public Health Service LCDR Cornwell returned to Navy Medicine as the Director for Administration at the Naval Health Research Center, San Diego, California.

November 2003 CDR Cornwell received orders to Branch Medical Clinic, Marine Corps Air Station Yuma, Arizona as the Officer-In-Charge. During this tour CDR Cornwell was selected as an Individual Augmentee; April 2007 through March 2008, he was a member of the Embedded Provincial Reconstruction Team, Fallujah, Iraq. CDR Cornwell was responsible for the rebirth of the Public Healthcare System for the city of Fallujah.

After his deployment CDR Cornwell received orders to Field Medical Training Battalion, Marine Corps Base, Camp Pendleton, California as the Executive Officer. In July 2010 CAPT Cornwell received orders as the Officer-In-Charge, Branch Health Clinic, Naval Support Facility, Diego Garcia BIOT. From one island to another, CAPT Cornwell transferred in April 2011 to Joint Base Pearl Harbor Hickam as the Executive Officer of Naval Health Clinic Hawaii.

CAPT Cornwell's military awards include: Bronze Star, Meritorious Service Medal (3 Awards), Joint Service Commendation Medal, Navy and Marine Corps Commendation Medal (4 Awards), Navy and Marine Corps Achievement Medal (2 Awards) and the Combat Action Ribbon.

Commanding Officers Field Medical Training Battalion

CDR GUSTAVE A. ROY, MC	SEP	1
CDR GEORGE DONABEDIAN, MC	JAN	1
LCDR FRANCIS M. MORGAN, MC	MAY	1
CAPT HOWARD A. JOHNSON, MC	AUG	1
CDR LEO M. LAY, MSC	JUN	1
CAPT GORDON H. EKBLAD, MC	JUN	1
CDR WALTER R. COX, MSC	JUL	1
CDR JOSEPH A. KELLY, MSC	JUN	1
CDR HAROLD G. DONOVAN, MSC	AUG	1
CAPT EDWARD E. HAASE, MSC	JUL	1
CAPT ANDERSON T. MASON, MSC	APR	1
CAPT JERDON J. DEAN, MSC	AUG	1
CAPT WILLIAM H. JOHNS, MSC	AUG	1
LCDR ERNEST J. LOOS, MSC	JUN	1
CAPT LLOYD B. NICHOLS, MSC	JUL	1
CAPT RICHARD C. HODGES, MSC	NOV	1
CAPT CHARLES A ROPER, MSC	JUN	1
CAPT CHARLES W. BAKER, MSC	MAY	1
CDR CARL C. LANGSTON JR, MSC	JUN	1
CAPT MELVIN N. HAMM, MSC	JUL	1
CAPT CHRIS GARDINER, MSC	JUL	1
CAPT J.T. COYNE, MSC	MAY	1
CAPT BRAD L. BENNETT, MSC	JUN	
CAPT CHRISTOPHER L. SCHUYLERS, MSC	MAR	2
CAPT GREGORY M. HUET, MSC	JUL	2
CAPT PAUL D. DESIMONE, MSC	AUG	
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