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A. Immunizations and Chemoprophylaxis, COMDTINST M6230.4 (series)

- 1. In Jun 2017, the Medical Readiness Reporting System (MRRS) was updated to reflect the requirement in REF (A) that all military personnel have either two documented lifetime doses of measles, mumps, and rubella (MMR) vaccine or positive titers to both measles and rubella.
- 2. MRRS data pulled in late 2016 demonstrated that approximately 50% of Coast Guard military personnel do not meet this requirement, mostly because they have only 1 documented lifetime MMR shot.
- 3. To bring CG military personnel into compliance, between now and 30 Apr 2019 all CG military personnel must have a review of their immunizations records. This review may be accomplished in conjunction with the Periodic Health Assessment. CG military personnel found to have only one documented lifetime MMR dose must receive a second dose.
- 4. The second dose must be documented in MRRS.
- 5. Drawing measles and/or rubella titers solely for the purpose of compliance with this OIX is not authorized, new accessions excepted.
- 6. No action is necessary for CG military personnel who already have documented adequate titers to measles and rubella.
- 7. CG military personnel who are able to produce documentation of a second lifetime MMR dose do not require a second dose; document the previously unrecorded second dose in MRRS.
- 8. Individuals born in 1957 or earlier continue to be presumed immune.
- 9. Starting on 1 May 2019 CG military personnel not in compliance will show red in CG Business Intelligence for required immunizations.
- 10. An ALCOAST will be released in conjunction with this OIX to provide awareness CG-wide.
- 11. POC: CDR Shane C. Steiner, Chief of Preventive Medicine (CG-1121), 202-475-5256 Email: Shane.C.Steiner@uscg.mil.
- 12. Mr. Derrick Masters, Chief, Office of Health Services, sends.
- 13. Internet release authorized.