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SUBJ: MEDICAL WARNING TAGS INTERIM GUIDANCE A. COAST GUARD PERIODIC HEALTH ASSESSMENT (PHA), COMDTINST M6150.3 (SERIES)

1. PARAGRAPH 3.B.3.C OF REF (A) REQUIRES THE PROVISION OF A RED MEDICAL WARNING TAGS ('DOG TAG' NECKLACE TYPE FASHION) FOR COAST GUARD ACTIVE DUTY AND SELECTED RESERVE PERSONNEL WHO REQUIRE INDIVIDUAL MEDICAL EQUIPMENT AND WHO HAVE DOCUMENTED ALLERGIES OR PERMANENT CONDITIONS WHICH WOULD DELAY TREATMENT OR RENDER THE ROUTINELY INDICATED COURSE OF TREATMENT DANGEROUS (E.G., ALLERGIC REACTION TO DRUGS, INSECT BITES, SICKLE CELL TRAIT OR G6PD DEFICIENCY).
2. MEDICAL WARNING TAGS WILL CONTAIN THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION:
  - A. NAME
  - B. DATE OF BIRTH
  - C. ELECTRONIC DATA INTERCHANGE PERSON NUMBER (EDIPN), SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER (SSN) WILL NO LONGER BE USED D. BLOOD TYPE E. ALLERGY OR CONDITION
3. ADDITIONAL MESSAGING REGARDING ISSUANCE OF MEDICAL ALERT DOG TAGS WILL BE FORTHCOMING.
4. FOR QUESTIONS PERTAINING TO THIS MESSAGE, CONTACT CDR ERICA SCHWARTZ, COMDT (CG-1121) AT (202) 475-5172 OR ERICA.G.SCHWARTZ(AT)USCG.MIL. FOR OPERATIONAL MEDICINE QUESTIONS CONTACT CDR JOHN HARIADI (HSQL SC OPMED) AT (757) 628-4331 OR JOHN.HARIADI(AT)USCG.MIL.
5. CAPT DEBORAH NOYES, CHIEF, OFFICE OF HEALTH SERVICES SENDS.
6. INTERNET RELEASE AUTHORIZED.

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