

FOB AR RAMADI

(P) SFC [redacted] 1300 (b)(6)-2

Chaplain
INTERVIEW QUESTIONS

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Rank MAJ Branch CHAPLAIN Date: 24 MAR Unit [redacted] BRIGADE Ft Riley
Duty Position BAE Chaplain How Long in Job AT BAE 2 yrs
How Long in Current MOS 15 yrs Interviewer [redacted] (b)(6)-2
How long have you been in Country 6 1/2 MONTHS

1. Are Detainees allowed to practice their religion? Is there a chaplain available to minister to the detainees? Is the chaplain a Retained Personnel, US Forces chaplain, or a civilian? (1.1, 1.2, 2.1, 4.1)

we're accommodating NEW Imam order keuran

MARINE Imam speaks with detainees
speaks the language
on call whenever

2. What are your unit ministry team's responsibilities as part of the cadre for the detainees at this collection point / internment facility? (Looking for contraband the detainee might have hidden in their Koran?) (1.1, 1.2, 2.1, 4.1)

provide religious services
counseling
combat stress team

3. What are the procedures to bring local religious clergy members into the collection point or facility to help ministry to detainees?

from Blue diamond - 1 chaplain MAJIM
Marine Imam covers facility
no local imam allowed in Facility yet.

4. Are you aware of your requirement to report abuse or suspected abuse of detainees? (1.1, 1.2, 4.1)

yes

5. Has any service member spoken with you about abusing detainees or seeing detainees being abused? If yes, can you provide details without violating your privilege information / confidentiality status between you and the service member? (We do not want names). (1.1, 1.2, 2.1, 4.1)

NO

6. How many times have you heard about detainees being abused or mistreated? What did you hear? (1.1, 1.2, 2.1, 4.1)

Staff meetings only about other sites never had one here that he knows about

7. Have you made the Chain of Command aware of these allegations of abuse and have you seen the Chain of Command do anything about correcting detainee abuse? (1.1, 1.2, 2.1, 4.1)

N/A

8. What is your feeling on how Detainees are being treated? **No standard. Personnel observations and feelings.** (1.1, 1.2, 2.1, 4.1)

abide by same rules as us
Carry values as Americans
Sometimes speak to soldiers who want revenge
but no incidents - have seen several incidents or just received
revenge sometimes a factor a loss
one lost Cdr/ISG 42 members at one time.

counseling wanted
no incidents

9. What do you perceive as the mission of your unit? Describe the importance of your role in that mission. (Insight to the Soldier's understanding and attitude concerning unit mission and their role).

1st phase put down insurgency 2nd help Iraq succeed

community relations improving even
with latest developments

10. Describe your working environment and living conditions since being in Theater. (Identify physical and psychological impact on Soldier's attitude). (1.2, 1.3, 1.4, 1.5, 1.6, 1.7)

Freedom diversity improved

NEW ^{now} chawhall, 2nd site living
PX - Dec

11. Describe the unit command climate and Soldier morale. Has it changed or evolved since you have been in Theater? (Identifies Soldier's perception of the chain of command and Soldier attitude. Does the Soldier feel supported? Do Soldiers feel the Command cares? Are they getting clear guidance?)

improving

Starting to want to go
82nd LEFT

12. Are you aware of any incidences of detainee or other abuse in your unit

No

ADVISEMENT OF RIGHTS (For military personnel)

The text of Article 31 provides as follows a. No person subject to this chapter may compel any person to incriminate himself or to answer any questions the answer to which may tend to incriminate him. b. No person subject to this chapter may interrogate or request any statement from an accused or a person suspected of an offense without first informing him of the nature of the accusation and advising him that he does not have to make any statement regarding the offense of which he is accused or suspected, and that any statement made by him may be used as evidence against him in a trial by court-martial. c. No person subject to this chapter may compel any person to make a statement or produce evidence before any military tribunal if the statement or evidence is not material to the issue and may tend to degrade him. d. No statement obtained from any person in violation of this article, or through the use of coercion, unlawful influence, or unlawful inducement, may be received in evidence against him in a trial by court-martial. (1.2, 1.6)

I am _____ (grade, if any, and name), a member of the (DAIG). I am part of a team inspecting detainee operations, this is not a criminal investigation. I am reading you your rights because of a statement you made causes me to suspect that you may have committed _____. (specify offense, i.e. aggravated assault, assault, murder). Under Article 31, you have the right to remain silent, that is, say nothing at all. Any statement you make, oral or written, may be used as evidence against you in a trial by courts-martial or in other judicial or administrative proceedings. You have the right to consult a lawyer and to have a lawyer present during this interview. You have the right to military legal counsel free of charge. In addition to military counsel, you are entitled to civilian counsel of your own choosing, at your own expense. You may request a lawyer at any time during this interview. If you decide to answer questions, you may stop the questioning at any time. Do you understand your rights? Do you want a lawyer? (If the answer is yes, cease all questions at this point). Are you willing to answer questions?

13. Describe what you understand happened leading up to and during the incident(s) of abuse. (No applicable standard) _____

N/A

14. Describe Soldier morale, feelings and emotional state prior to and after these incidents? (Identifies unit and Soldier morale, atmosphere, mood, attitude, stress, retaliation, preemption, family crisis) _____

N/A

15. Was this incident reported to the chain of command? How, when & what was done? What would you have done? (Identifies compliance, procedure, timeliness, Soldier perception of action taken and effect on unit morale.) (1.2, 1.6) _____

would Bde XO, 53 notified

16. How could the incident have been prevented? (Identifies root cause and perceived solution) (No applicable standard) _____

consistently checking on detainee procedures
 ensure proper distance

17. Describe any unit training or other programs that you are aware of that teach leaders and Soldiers how to recognize and resolve combat stress.

prior deployment 100% training suicide prev.
prior to Holidays
every leave - before RFL
Every wed Stress mang. class

18. What measures are in place to boost morale or to relieve stress? (Identifies perceived solution.)

MWR GYM TENT
mess hall entertainment area
internet cafe
AT&T phone center

19. What measures could the command enact to improve the morale and command climate of your unit? (Identifies perceived solution.)

give me date to go home and steps to it
82d all ready left - affected morale and
asked questions of when leaving