

DETAINEE HOSPITAL GUANTANAMO BAY, CUBA	SOP NO: 070
Title: MEDICAL CARE AT CAMP 5	Page 1 of 3 Effective Date: 1 May 04
SCOPE: Detention Hospital	

I. Overview

The Detention Hospital provides medical officers and a pool of "special duty" corpsman to care for detainees at Camp 5. Detainees continue to receive quality health care. They are offered sick call every other day, issued medications, and provided appropriate preventive services.

Additionally, emergency coverage is provided twenty-four hours per day, seven days per week.

Delta Clinic serves as the Point of Contact for all medical issues. A qualified nurse and team of corpsmen staff the clinic seven days a week. Medical officers are either in camp or on call. The Detention Hospital or Detainee Acute Care Unit is available for detainees requiring in-patient care.

II. Definitions

A medical emergency is any injury or illness perceived to be a risk to the patient's life, limb, or eyesight. [REDACTED] (b)(6)

An urgent condition is one in which the patient demonstrates an altered mental status or has suffered significant trauma and could become unstable if care is not provided (within 24 hours). [REDACTED] (b)(2)

Routine cases include everything else, and will be seen within 48 hours. Blood on a tissue does not equate to hemorrhage, and will be seen routinely.

A Mass Casualty is any group of injuries or illnesses that exceeds the ability of the staff on hand. [REDACTED] (b)(2)

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III. Sick Call

Sick call will be performed every other day, as it is done in Camp Delta. Corpsmen will check with the SOG for known complaints, and then walk the blocks scheduled for that day. Medications will be passed at the same time.

Corpsmen will conduct a thorough history and a focused examination. If a higher level of care is required, they will contact the duty Medical Officer to develop a plan of care. Labs may be drawn, and the MO will examine the patient as needed.

Medical records are kept in Delta Clinic. Medical files are numerical by ISN, but Camp 5 [REDACTED] Camp Delta.
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IV. Non-routine Medical Care

In the event the MP staff determines a detainee has an urgent or emergent problem requiring medical evaluation before the next scheduled visit, the Control Room will report this to DOC. DOC will call Delta Clinic at [REDACTED]. The shift nurse will dispatch a corpsman if appropriate, and/or consult with the medical officer.
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V. Mass Casualties

Multiple casualties present serious problems for security as well as medical personnel. Security concerns take precedence. MPs will [REDACTED] and notify DOC with the number of detainees involved and the extent of injuries, providing as much detail as possible. DOC will call Delta Clinic at [REDACTED] and provide authorization to institute a recall.
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The shift RN at Delta Clinic dispatches corpsmen, and may accompany the team if ACLS/ATLS care is indicated. The medical officer on duty is paged. Delta Clinic must pass along factual details to allow a determination of which other resources will be called in. Meanwhile, the responding medical team must triage patients [REDACTED]. Priority of care is then given to the immediate category of patients, then the delayed, minimal and expectant. Medical officers arrive on scene and provide care on-site, then arrange any needed transport to the Detention Hospital or Detainee Acute Care Unit.

VI. IMPORTANT NUMBERS

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VII. References

JDOG SOP for Camp 5
Mass Casualty SOP, Detention Hospital 025

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