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## ORGANIZATION AND FUNCTIONS

## UNITED STATES ARMY MEDICAL INTELLIGENCE AND INFORMATION AGENCY

*Effective 1 September 1975*

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**1. Purpose.** This regulation sets forth the mission and principal functions of the United States Army Medical Intelligence and Information Agency, a Field Operating Agency of the Office of The Surgeon General, and prescribes command and staff relationships.

**2. Mission.** The mission of the US Army Medical Intelligence and Information Agency is to produce medical scientific and technical intelligence (S&TI) and general medical intelligence (GMI) studies and reports as required by the Department of Defense; to provide timely medical intelligence support to the Office(s) of The Surgeon(s) General, Major Commands and Staff of the Army, Navy and Air Force, and other Government agencies as required; and to coordinate the exploitation of foreign medical materiel with other Government agencies as directed.

**3. Principal functions.** The principal functions of the US Army Medical Intelligence and Information Agency are to:

*a.* Plan, coordinate, and provide formal intelligence studies in the accomplishment of specific tasks levied by the Defense Intelligence Agency.

*b.* Administer the acquisition, exploitation, and disposition of foreign medical materiel obtained for intelligence and research and development purposes.

*c.* Manage the Department of the Army medical intelligence program to include submission of inputs relative to this field in the Department of Defense General Defense Intelligence Program.

*d.* Manage and control the medical intelligence automated data base and the medical portion of the Department of Defense Scientific and Technical Intelligence data base.

*e.* Produce collection tasks and requirements for the Department of Defense Intelligence Community for medical intelligence.

*f.* Provide quick response capability in medical intelligence for the Department of Defense.

*g.* Be prepared as required, to debrief Department of Defense personnel upon return to CONUS.

*h.* Act as Executive Agent for the Global Epidemiology Working Group, a forum consisting of the DOD and civil agencies established for the purpose of maintaining a current awareness of disease of global significance.

*i.* Sponsor the annual medical intelligence training for selected Military Intelligence Detachments (Strategic).

*j.* Provide a Special Security Office capability for the Office of The Surgeon General Army and other designated military activities in coordination with the US Army Special Security Group, ACSI, DA.

*k.* Maintain an effective coordination and liaison channel with non-Department of Defense Intelligence Agencies.

**4. Command and staff relationships.** US Army Medical Intelligence and Information Agency is a field operating Agency of the Office of The Surgeon General, Department of the Army. The Director is responsible to The Surgeon General, DA

for all operations of the Agency. Under the general staff supervision of the Assistant Chief of Staff for Intelligence, The Surgeon General has Army Staff responsibility for the production of Department of Defense medical scientific and technical intelligence and general medical intelligence, and for the coordination of the acquisition and exploitation of foreign medical materiel with other Government agencies.

5. **Other relationships.** The Director, US Army Medical Intelligence and Information Agency is authorized to maintain liaison and to communi-

cate directly with the Defense Intelligence Agency, the Office of the Assistant Chief of Staff for Intelligence, DA, the US Army Missile Intelligence Agency, the US Army Foreign Science and Technology Center, Major Army Commanders, Directors of Headquarters, Department of the Army Staff, and field operating agencies in their command capacities with respect to matters of mutual interest.

6. **Applicability.** This regulation is applicable to the Army Reserve but does not apply to the Army National Guard.

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