# **Military Education**

#### Officer Basic Leader Course (OBLC)

**Course Location:** AMEDD C&S, Fort Sam Houston TX **Length:** 9 weeks

**Overview**: Provides performance-oriented training to newly commissioned Active Duty AMEDD officers in the following Corps: MC, AN, SP (minus 65D), DC, VC, and MS (minus 70B/67J). A 7 week core course covering general subjects and basic soldier/leader skills required to execute field training. The course consists of 3 Field Training Exercises (Individual, Collective, and AMEDD Skills) and addition 2 week track specific training focused on each AMEDD Branch. This course will provide the newly commissioned AMEDD officer with the basic skills and knowledge necessary to effectively function in an AMEDD unit.

Course website: http://www.cs.amedd.army.mil/obc/

#### AMEDD Captain's Career Course (ACCC)

**Course Location:** AMEDD C&S, Fort Sam Houston, TX **Length:** 9 weeks

**Overview:** The AMEDD Captains Career Course is a challenging, two-phased course designed to prepare company and field grade officers for command, staff positions, and other roles within the AMEDD. The Captains Career Course is conducted by the Leader Training Center (LTC), AMEDD Center & School. The course is a combination of Distance Learning (Phase I) and Small Group Instruction (Phase II).

**Eligibility:** 1LT (P) - CPT e vApplication Instructions: <u>ACCC Phase II Completion Waivers:</u> Remember that active component officers have two years from the date of registration for Phase I to <u>complete</u> the <u>entire</u> course (both Phase I and the resident Phase II.

The AMEDD Center and School may grant a one time one year extension waiver to this requirement if the request is justified (generally this is limited to unplanned deployments). To request a waiver, send an e-mail message to Dr. Robert Leeds (robert.leeds@us.army.mil) listing your name, ssn, date of phase I enrollment, projected date for attending phase II and reason for the waiver. Please send a courtesy copy of the message to LTC Anthony Bohlin (anthony.bohlin@amedd.army.mil) and LTC Galloway (kevin.galloway@us.army.mil) as well as your CN.

## ILE (Intermediate Level Education)

Course Location: Please see below under Options Length: Please see below under Options

**Overview:** Intermediate Level Education (ILE) course has replaced the legacy Command and General Staff College (CGSC) familiar to many officers. Completion of this military education level is a promotion discriminator for LTC and officers should work with their leadership to develop a plan to complete this course within the appropriate time period. As soon as you are selected for promotion to MAJOR, you should begin planning to complete this course. **Eligibility:** CPT (P)- MAJ

Options: Active Duty Army Nurse Corps officers have three options for completing ILE .:

Option 1 \*

Attend

leadership and management positions throughout the AMEDD. The course provides executive

readiness skills.

Application Instructions: See below under "How do I register for short courses." **Course Website:** <u>http://www.dmrti.army.mil/</u> Then drill down on: <u>Combat Casualty Care Course</u> (C4)

#### 6A-C4A Joint Operations Medical Managers Course (JOMMC)

**Course Location:** Fort Sam Houston, Tx **Length:** 5 days

**Overview:** JÓMMC is a course that prepares senior healthcare personnel (03 through 06) to serve as leaders in support of joint operational missions. As commanders, administrators and department chiefs, tri-service medical officers are expected to establish and maintain operational facilities and theater healthcare operations during wartime, sustainment & support operations (SASO) and Military Operations Other Than War (MOOTW). JOMMC provides familiarization with all the facets of preparing for and executing joint health service.

Eligibility: CPT through COL

Application Instructions: See below under "How do I register for short courses." Course Website: <u>http://www.dmrti.army.mil</u> Then drill down on: <u>Joint Operations Medical Managers</u> <u>Course (JOMMC)</u>

#### 6H-F26 Medical Management of Chemical and Biological Casualties Course

# **Course Location:** Aberdeen Proving Ground & Ft Detrick, MD **Length:** 6 days

**Overview:** Classroom discussion includes the history and current threat of chemical and biological agent use, the characteristics of threat agents, the pathophysiology and treatment of agent exposure, and the principles of field management of threat agent casualties. In the laboratory, attendees gain valuable, hands-on experience by participating in the resuscitation of a laboratory animal exposed to a nerve agent simulant. In the field, attendees practice the principles of personal protection, triage, treatment, and decontamination of chemical casualties. During this exercise, attendees learn the capabilities and limitations of Mission Oriented Protective Posture (MOPP) when treating casualties in a contaminated environment.

**Eligibility:** The course is designed for Medical Corps and Nurse Corps officers; physician assistants; Medical Service Corps officers in specialties 67B, C, or E; and other selected medical professionals

**Application Instructions:** Application for this course is via the Army Training Requirements and Resources System (ATRRS). Requests for attendance should be made through your training branch, see below under "How do I register for short courses." The course is also available via several distance-learning products, including satellite broadcast, video teleconference, and videotape series.

Course Website: http://www.usamriid.army.mil/education/index.htm

### 6A-F12/300-F26 Enroute Care Course

Course Location: US Army School of Aviation Medicine, Ft Rucker, AL

team training to Joint and Coalition Forces flight medics, registered nurses, physician assistants and physicians conducting aeromedical operations in rotary wing platforms to ensure optimal enroute patient outcomes. (see course website for details, prerequisites, and other info). **Application Instructions:** Send scanned DA 3838 to either <u>michael.cluette@amedd.army.mil</u> or

self paced online course. Phase II is the traditional resident course at one of the three course sites. Officers begin phase I after selection

their initial tour of duty (first 3-4 years on Active Duty). We encourage officers to take advantage of this great program; however, specialization in one of these areas of nursing is not required to remain competitive for promotion and career progression. Please keep in mind, the elements that make an officer's record competitive: good performance, meeting AR 600-9 standards, passing APFT, meeting career gates (i.e. ACCC, ILE, LTHET etc), and diversity of positions (TDA, TO&E, clinical, staff etc).

Officers must meet Army height, weight and physical training standards and demonstrate satisfactory professional performance and military conduct prior to course attendance.

You will incur a 1-year concurrent active duty service obligation upon completion of one of the specialty programs. Officers stationed in Germany, Italy, Alaska, and Korea are not authorized the GCSP.

If you have any questions or concerns regarding the Generic Course Selection Program, please speak with your Nursing chain-of-command or Hospital Education POC or contact <u>MAJ Barrell</u>, AN Branch at <u>Takako.L.Barrell@us.army.mil</u>