

ALARACT 104/2023

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SUBJ/ALARACT 104/2023 – WATER DISTRIBUTION AND WASTE WATER MANAGEMENT SYSTEM LINE ITEM NUMBER CONVERSION

THIS ALARACT MESSAGE HAS BEEN TRANSMITTED BY JSP ON BEHALF OF HQDA, OTSG

1. (U) SITUATION. ALL HOSPITAL CENTER UNITS ARE TO SELF-CONVERT LEGACY WATER DISTRIBUTION AND WASTE WATER MANAGEMENT SYSTEM (WDWWMS) LINE ITEM NUMBERS (LINS) TO NEW LINS IN ACCORDANCE WITH FY25 COMMAND PLAN DOCUMENTATION CHANGES.

2. (U) BACKGROUND. IN 2016, HEADQUARTERS, DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY (HQDA) APPROVED THE FORCE DESIGN UPDATE (FDU) CONVERTING HOSPITAL STRUCTURE TO THE HOSPITAL CENTER AND FIELD HOSPITAL CONSTRUCT. THIS FDU APPROVAL WAS WITHOUT A FINAL MATERIEL SOLUTION TO SUPPORT WATER DISTRIBUTION AND WASTE WATER MANAGEMENT REQUIREMENTS SPECIFIC TO EACH HOSPITAL AUGMENTATION DETACHMENT. UNTIL HQDA IDENTIFIED A NEW MATERIEL SOLUTION, THE LEGACY WDWWMS REMAINED AUTHORIZED TO THE HEADQUARTERS AND HEADQUARTERS DETACHMENT (HHD), HOSPITAL CENTER AND FIELD HOSPITAL UNITS PROVIDING THE REQUIRED WDWWMS CAPABILITY. AS PART OF THE UNIT CONVERSION PROCESS, THE U.S. ARMY MEDICAL MATERIEL DEVELOPMENT ACTIVITY (USAMMDA) PROCURED AND FIELDIED TO ALL HOSPITAL CENTERS ADDITIONAL WDWWMS COMPONENTS REQUIRED TO SUPPORT ALL HOSPITAL AUGMENTATION DETACHMENTS. AT TIME OF CONVERSION, USAMMDA INSTRUCTED UNITS TO NOT DISCARD OR TURN IN ANY WDWWMS EQUIPMENT. IN 2020, HQDA COMPLETED REQUIREMENTS DETERMINATION AND MATERIEL ACQUISITION PROCESSES CREATING SIX NEW WDWWMS SETS, KITS, AND OUTFITS (SKO) WITH THESE ISSUES SENT TO THE HOSPITAL AUGMENTATION DETACHMENTS. IN NOVEMBER 2023, HQDA MADE ADMINISTRATIVE CHANGES TO FY24 MODIFIED TABLE OF ORGANIZATION AND EQUIPMENT DOCUMENTATION TO ADD AUTHORIZATIONS FOR THE NEW WDWWMS SKO AND REMOVE AUTHORIZATIONS FOR THE LEGACY WDWWMS SKO ACROSS THE ENTIRE ARMY.

3. (U) PURPOSE. THIS MESSAGE NOTIFIES UNITS OF THE PROCESS TO SELF-CONVERT ALL WDWWMS AND REQUIRED PROPERTY BOOK ACTIONS SUPPORTING THE CONVERSION.

#### 4. (U) EXECUTION.

4.A. (U) UNITS CAN SEE A GRAPHIC REPRESENTATION OF LEGACY FORCE STRUCTURE AND WATER SETS TO OBJECTIVE FORCE STRUCTURE OF THE VARIOUS LINKS PROVIDED BELOW. UNITS WILL COMPLETE THIS CONVERSION ACCORDING TO INSTRUCTIONS PROVIDED BY USAMMDA AND AVAILABLE AT THE FOLLOWING LINK: [HTTPS://PARTNERS-USAMMDA.HEALTH.MIL/INDEX.CFM/WHPE/WDWWMS](https://partners-usammda.health.mil/index.cfm/whpe/wdwwms). THE USAMMDA WDWWMS WEBSITE PROVIDES THE FOLLOWING:

4.A.1. (U) WATER SET CONVERSION INSTRUCTIONS. DETAILS AND INSTRUCTIONS FOR ITEMS THAT MUST BE RETAINED, AS WELL AS A FINAL LIST OF COMPONENTS. SEE [HTTPS://PARTNERS-USAMMDA.HEALTH.MIL/WHPE/WDWWMS/ASSETS/DOCUMENTS/WATER SET CONVERSION INSTRUCTIONS.PDF](https://partners-usammda.health.mil/whpe/wdwwms/assets/documents/water_set_conversion_instructions.pdf) FOR DETAILED CONVERSION INSTRUCTIONS.

4.A.2. (U) WDWWMS CATALOG. CONTAINS A PICTORIAL OF ALL THE SETS, COMPONENTS AND LOCATIONS WITHIN THE WDWWMS. ALSO INCLUDED ARE NOTES ON SOME ITEMS WITHIN THE SYSTEM AND OTHER NUANCES ASSOCIATED WITH THE WDWWMS. CATALOG INFORMATION CAN BE FOUND AT: [HTTPS://PARTNERS-USAMMDA.HEALTH.MIL/WHPE/WDWWMS/ASSETS/DOCUMENTS/WDWWMS\\_CATALOG.PDF](https://partners-usammda.health.mil/whpe/wdwwms/assets/documents/wdwwms_catalog.pdf).

4.A.3. (U) TECHNICAL LITERATURE. CONTAINS INSTRUCTIONS FOR ASSEMBLY, OPERATION, CHECKS, AND CORRECTIVE MAINTENANCE, DISASSEMBLY, AND STORAGE OF THE WDWWMS IN SUPPORT OF THE FIELD HOSPITAL. TECHNICAL LITERATURE RESOURCES CAN BE FOUND AT: [HTTPS://PARTNERS-USAMMDA.HEALTH.MIL/WHPE/WDWWMS/ASSETS/DOCUMENTS/WDWWMS FH TECHNICAL LITERATURE-FINAL-V1.5.PDF](https://partners-usammda.health.mil/whpe/wdwwms/assets/documents/wdwwms_fh_technical_literature-final-v1.5.pdf).

4.B. (U) TWO LEGACY LINS CURRENTLY DOCUMENTED IN THE HHD, HOSPITAL CENTER (SRC 08976K000) SHOULD BE CONVERTED TO SIX NEW LINS WHICH ARE AUTHORIZED WITHIN HOSPITAL AUGMENTATION DETACHMENTS. SEE BELOW FOR LINS AND UNIT ASSEMBLAGE CODES (UACS) TO BE CONVERTED:

4.B.1. (U) LEGACY LIN W53305, UAC N784 (WILL BREAK DOWN INTO Q491, Q791, Q291), MMS WATER DISTRIBUTION LARGE, NATIONAL STOCK NUMBER (NSN) 6545-01-563-7505.

4.B.2. (U) LEGACY LIN W32650, UAC N785 (WILL BREAK DOWN INTO Q492, Q792, Q292), MMS WASTE WATER MANAGEMENT LARGE, NSN 6545-01-563-7224.

4.B.3. (U) TO HOSPITAL AUGMENTATION DETACHMENT (SURG) (08977K000):

4.B.3.A. (U) NEW LIN M05079, UAC Q492, MMS WASTE WATER MANAGEMENT SURGICAL AUG DET, NSN 6545-01-667-0051.

4.B.3.B. (U) NEW LIN M05080, UAC Q491, MMS WATER DISTRIBUTION SURGICAL AUG DET, NSN 6545-01-666-9714.

4.B.4. (U) TO HOSPITAL AUGMENTATION DETACHMENT (MED) (08978K000):

4.B.4.A. (U) NEW LIN M05077, UAC Q792, MMS WASTE WATER MANAGEMENT MEDICAL AUG DET, NSN 6545-01-666-9696.

4.B.4.B. (U) NEW LIN M05078, UAC Q791, MMS WATER DISTRIBUTION MEDICAL AUG DET, NSN 6545-01-667-0041.

4.B.5. (U) TO HOSPITAL AUGMENTATION DETACHMENT (ICW) (08979K000):

4.B.5.A. (U) NEW LIN M05081, UAC Q292, MMS WASTE WATER MANAGEMENT ICW AUG DET, NSN 6545-01-666-9726.

4.B.5.B. (U) NEW LIN M05082, UAC Q291, MMS WATER DISTRIBUTION ICW AUG DET, NSN 6545-01-667-0046.

4.C. (U) THE FOLLOWING EXISTING LINS DOCUMENTED IN THE FIELD HOSPITAL (32-BED) (SRC 08988K000) REMAIN UNCHANGED AND ARE NOT AFFECTED DURING THIS CONVERSION:

4.C.1. (U) LIN W53123, UAC Q591, MMS WATER DISTRIBUTION FIELD HOSPITAL, NSN 6545-01-666-9707.

4.C.2. (U) LIN W49853, UAC Q592, MMS WASTE WATER MANAGEMENT FIELD HOSPITAL, NSN 6545-01-666-9723.

4.C.3. (U) LIN W42371, UAC Q593, MMS WDWWMMS MAINTENANCE FIELD HOSPITAL, NSN 6545-01-666-9737.

4.C.4. (U) LIN W53623, UAC Q588, MMS WATER DISTRIBUTION AND CONNECTION, NSN 6545-01-667-4252.

4.D. (U) ONCE CONVERSION IS COMPLETED, UNITS SHOULD COORDINATE WITH THE UNIT ACCOUNTABLE PROPERTY OFFICER TO CONVERT SETS USING DA FORM 4949 (ADMINISTRATIVE ADJUSTMENT REPORT) TO DISASSEMBLE LEGACY LINS W53305 AND W32650 AND CONVERT TO NEW LINS, AS APPROPRIATE. THIS ALARACT WILL SERVE AS JUSTIFICATION/SOURCE DOCUMENT.

4.E. (U) DO NOT TURN IN ANY EXISTING WDWWS ASSETS. MANY OF THESE ITEMS WILL BE UTILIZED IN THE NEW WDWWS CONFIGURATIONS. SHOULD THIS EQUIPMENT BE TURNED IN, THERE ARE NO REPLACEMENTS.

4.F. (U) TO REQUEST DEVICE-SPECIFIC DOCUMENTATION, UNITS SHOULD CONTACT THE USAMMDA PROGRAM MANAGER AT [HTTPS://USAMMDA.HEALTH.MIL/INDEX.CFM/ABOUT/CONTACT\\_US](https://usammda.health.mil/index.cfm/about/contact_us).

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6. (U) THIS ALARACT MESSAGE EXPIRES ON 19 DECEMBER 2024.