APPENDIX I

SAMPLE OPERATION ORDER WITH ANNEXES

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References:

a. Map series 1501, sheets NM 32-5 (FRANKFURT), edition 2, NM 32-8 (MANNHEIM), edition 3, 1:250000 scale.

b. _____General Hospital TSOP.

c. Medical Command/Medical Brigade (Med Cmd/Med Bde) OPLAN 2987.

d. TA OPLAN 222.

Time Zone Used Throughout the Plan: ZULU

Task Organization: General Hospital

Medical Service, Medical Teams

Medical Service, Surgical Teams

1. SITUATION.

a. Enemy Forces.

(1) The _____ TA is opposed by two corps estimated to be approximately 95 percent strength. These ground forces are supported by a helicopter company and an artillery battery which is capable of mass artillery barrages within a 10-mile radius and attack helicopter strikes within 20 miles. Intelligence indicates that the full range of radio electronic combat elements will be employed to gather intelligence and to degrade the effectiveness of friendly C2 nets through the use of electronic warfare. The threat has the ability to deliver nuclear weapons and/or chemical agents into the TAACOM. Intelligence also indicates that threat will employ tactical air (TACAIR), airborne/airmobile regular army units and local guerilla units in the TAACOM and theater to disrupt/destroy CSS operations.

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- (2) See current intelligence summary.
- b. Friendly Forces.

(1) Theater Army attack 120500 June through elements of the 1st and 2nd Threat Corps with two corps abreast. 1st Corps on the left (east) conducts main attack; 2nd Corps on the right (west) conducts supporting attack. 3rd Corps follows in zone of 1st Corps secures FREISING (QU0364) and MOOSBURG (QU1773) and prepares to continue attack on to S and SW.

(2) Provide hospitalization support to TA units on area basis. Defend the hospital area within the base cluster defense when attacked.

c. Attachments and Detachments.

d. Assumptions.

TA.

(1) The GH with assigned and attached elements will be in place and prepared to support

(2) There will be air parity.

(3) Both threat and friendly forces possess the capability to initiate nuclear or chemical warfare, limited or full scale, in any combination.

(4) Med Cmd/Med Bde OPLAN 2987 has been implemented.

2. MISSION. Provide hospitalization support to the TA.

3. EXECUTION.

a. General Hospital. Provide hospitalization support for TA tactical operations. Render resuscitative care and medical treatment of critically injured or ill patients requiring highly specialized care and surgical and medical services for patients held for definitive treatment. Patients identified as NRTD will be prepared for evacuation to CONUS.

- b. Boundaries. Annex B (Operations Overlay), TA OPLAN 222.
- c. Coordinating Instructions.

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(1) This OPLAN is effective for planning upon receipt; executing on order.

(2) All elements provide closing notification upon arrival at designated operating locations with projected operational capability attainment until fully mission capable.

(3) Units located in TAACOM will comply with defense and area damage control procedures established by the TAACOM commander.

(4) Chemical MOPP 1 is in effect. Be prepared to increase MOPP on short notice.

(5) Operation Security. Annex K, Med Cmd/Med Bde OPLAN 2987 and Annex L, TA OPLAN 222.

(6) Movement Annex for TAACOM units to be prepared separately.

4. SERVICE SUPPORT. See Annex B (Service Support).

5. COMMAND AND SIGNAL.

a. Command. General Hospital located at VIC MA779705.

- b. Signal.
 - (1) Current SOI in effect.
 - (2) Minimize is in effect for FM radio traffic until lifted by GH commander.

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Annexes:

- A. Operational Overlay
- B. Road Movement
- C. Service Support D. Rear Operations

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ANNEX B (ROAD MOVEMENT) TO OPLAN 1234- ____ GH

References:

a. Map series 1501, sheets NM 35-2 (FRANKFURT), edition 2, NM 32-8, edition 3, 1:250000 scale.

b. _____ General Hospital TSOP.

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- c. Med Cmd/Med Bde OPLAN 2987.
- d. Theater Army OPLAN 222.

Time Zone Used Throughout the Plan: ZULU

1. SITUATION.

a. Enemy Forces. The enemy capability to conduct road interdiction through mining and demolition generally along the route is acknowledged. However, it is anticipated that the enemy will limit their interdictions to the intent consistent with meeting specific military objectives in ambush attack operations. The enemy capability to conduct simultaneous and multiple convoy ambush operations at critical areas exists. However, this is unlikely because of the restriction on convoy movement within the TAACOM.

b. Friendly Forces.

(1) Theater Army Area Command units move night of 21-22 June 19XX to assembly area VIC GRAFTON (UV 6302).

- (2) Aerial observation and close air support is provided by the USAF.
- (3) Battery B, 317th Artillery provides artillery support, as required.
- (4) Medical support will be provided by_____.
- (5) The 504th Main Support Battalion (Rear) provides transportation support, as required.
- 2. MISSION. General hospital move commencing 210300 June 19XX to an AO to support TA tactical mission.
- 3. EXECUTION.

a. Concept of Operations. General hospital conducts a tactical road march in four echelons over two routes to a new AO. First echelon crossing SP 210300 June and last echelon crossing RP 220546 June.

b. Convoy Organization.

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- (1) Echelon 1: Advance/Quartering Party
- (2) Echelon 2.

Hospital Headquarters	
Triage/Preoperative/EMT HU	JS
Operating Room/CMS Control Team HU	JS
Operating Room A/B HU	JB
Inpatient Medicine A HU	
Three ICU Wards HU	JB
Four ICWs HU	JB
Laboratory HU	JB
Blood Bank HU	
X-Ray HU	JB
Pharmacy HU	
Two CMSs HU	
Orthopedic Cast Clinic HU	JS
Litter Bearer Section HU	

(3) Echelon 3.

Neu	ropsychiatric Service and Ward	HUB
Ope	erating Room C/D	HUS
Inpa	atient Medicine B	HUM
Two	o ICU Wards	HUS
Two	DICWs	HUB
Fou	r ICWs	HUM
Two	Minimal Care Wards	HUB
Two	o CMSs	HUB

(4) Echelon 4. All remaining elements of the hospital.

c. Tasks to Subordinate Elements. Supply and Service Division will provide recovery support along the route.

d. Checkpoints. Checkpoints are listed below:

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CHECKPOINTS	COORDINATES	KILOMETERS BETWEEN CHECKPOINTS
SP	721624	19.8
40	711121	12.4
12	701243	22.3
93	693240	12.1
77	695179	12.1
RP	711234	11.9

e. Coordinating Instructions.

- (1) Advance/quartering party assemble at GH dismount point 210200 June.
- (2) Formation: Close Column.
- (3) Time Gap: 8 hours between echelons
- (4) Appendix 1, Road Movement Table.
- (5) Appendix 2, Route Overlay.

4. SERVICE SUPPORT. Traffic control (TC).

a. Quartering Party will drop two-man TC teams at Critical Points 1, 2, and 4. Military police will be responsible for traffic control points (TCP) at Blue River and in the town of Manly.

- b. Recovery.
 - (1) Units will recover organic vehicles that breakdown along the route.

(2) Ordnance (heavy equipment maintenance) company, general support, trail echelon will recover all vehicles beyond self recovery capability.

- c. Medical.
 - (1) Emergency medical treatment/triage/preoperative will provide treatment services.

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- (2) Aeromedical evacuation procedures (Medical Annex, TSOP).
- 5. COMMAND AND SIGNAL.
 - a. Command.
 - (1) Command post (CP) and command group with Echelon 2.
 - (2) Command post opening, closing times, and locations to be announced.
 - b. Signal
 - (1) Signal operation instructions Index 1-12 in effect.
 - (2) Listening silence effective 211300 June.

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Appendixes:

- 1. Road Movement Table
- 2. Route Overlay

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APPENDIX 1 (ROAD MOVEMENT TABLE) TO ANNEX B (ROAD MOVEMENT), OPLAN 1234- ____ GH

Map Reference: Map series 1501, sheets NM 35-2 (FRANKFURT), edition 2, NM 32-8, edition 3, 1:250000 scale.

Time Zone Used Throughout the Order: ZULU

General Data:

- 1. Average speed:
- 2. Traffic density:
- 3. Halts:
- 4. Critical points:
 - *a*. Starting point:
 - b. Release point:
 - *c*. Other critical points:
 - *d*. Route classification:
 - *e*. Route restrictions:
- 5. Main route to SP:
- 6. Main route to RP:

APPENDIX 1 (ROAD MOVEMENT TABLE) TO ANNEX B (ROAD MOVEMENT), OPLAN 1234- ____ GH

March Unit Date	Number of Unit Vehicles	Class of Heaviest Vehicles	From	То	Route	Critical Points

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ANNEX C (SERVICE SUPPORT) TO OPLAN 1234- ____ GH

1. GENERAL. This annex provides the support plan for $__{\rm Cmd/Med}$ TA. Combat service support will be provided/coordinated through the GH staff and the Med Cmd/Med Bde Deputy Chief of Staff for Logistics (DCSLOG).

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2. MATERIAL AND SERVICES.

a. Supply.

(1) Class I. The TA support command will operate ration supply points for Med Cmd/Med Bde and its supporting units.

(2) Water. The 504th Main Support Battalion (Rear) will operate the water points. Water requirements will be coordinated through the Med Cmd/Med Bde DCS, Security, Plans, and Operations (SPO) and may be located in the TAACOM.

- (3) Class II, III (package & bulk).
 - (a) Class II, III (package).
 - 1. Supply point distribution from main support battalion (rear), TA support
 - 2. Request will be submitted to GH operations section.
 - (b) Class III (bulk).
 - 1. Supply point distribution from any Class III supply point.
 - 2. Allocations will be provided by the Med Cmd/Med Bde, DCSLOG, when

required.

group.

(4) Class IV.

(a) Supply point distribution. Selected Class IV materials issued by the main support battalion (rear), TA support group.

- (b) Class IV priorities assigned by the TA support group.
- (c) The following controlled items will be requisitioned through command channels.
 - 1. Culvert nestable, 60 feet.

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2. Lumber, softwood, 2X4, random length.

(5) Class V.

(a) Ammunition transfer point (ATP) will be operated by the main support battalion (rear), TA support group.

(b) Controlled supply rate (CSR) for items in critical shortage will be listed in this paragraph.

(c) Units will maintain basic loads.

(6) Class VII.

(a) Selected Class VII will be stocked by the ordnance (light equipment maintenance) company, general support.

(b) Requests to fill TOE shortages will be submitted to Med Cmd/Med Bde DCSLOG citing TOE authority. Battle loss replacement will be requested by submitting Daily Battle Loss Reports in accordance with field SOP. The Med Cmd/Med Bde DCSLOG will forward request to TA support group Assistant Chief of Staff, G4 (Logistics).

(7) Class VIII. Medical logistical battalion (rear) provides Class VIII support on a supply point distribution basis.

(8) Class IX.

(a) Ordnance (light equipment maintenance) company, general support, provides repair

parts support.

- (b) Stockage objectives. Direct support: 15 days of authorized stockage list items.
- (c) Major critical shortages exists for the following items:
 - 1. Monitor Recorder M79195, electrocardiogram (ECG).
 - 2. Light, Surgical Field L65295, 110-volt AC or 24-volt direct current (DC).

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(d) Cannibalization. Unserviceable end items and major assemblies will be evacuated to the ordnance (light equipment maintenance) company, general support, ordnance (maintenance) battalion TAACOM collection points. Controlled exchange may be performed at the discretion of the hospital commander.

(9) Class X. Civil relief supply requirements will be approved by Med Cmd/Med Bde and coordinated through the DCSSPO.

- (10) Maps are provided by the Med Cmd/Med Bde DCSLOG.
- (11) Captured enemy materials.
 - (a) Will be reported to Med Cmd/Med Bde DCSSPO for disposition instructions.

(b) Enemy rations and medical supplies will not be utilized or consumed by Med Cmd/ Med Bde DCS Personnel (PER).

(12) Excess supplies. All elements will report excess supplies through supply channels to Med Cmd/Med Bde DCSLOG for disposition instructions.

b. Transportation.

(1) All main supply routes (MSRs) are two-way.

(2) Ten or more vehicles dispatched to the same destination from one point of origin constitutes a convoy.

(3) Elements coordinate convoy movements with the Med Cmd/Med Bde DCSSPO.

(4) Emergency resupply requirements will be submitted through command channels.

- c. Services.
 - (1) Construction efforts will be limited to the minimum essential required.

(2) Theater Army units will evacuate remains to the nearest TAACOM graves registration (GRREG) collection point. Collection points will be operated by the TAACOM GRREG battalion.

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(3) Clothing exchange and bath services will be coordinated by Med Cmd/Med Bde DCSLOG.

- d. Maintenance.
 - (1) Maintenance collection points will be established in the TAACOM by the TA ASG.
 - (2) Priority of maintenance is to the 1st Corps.

(3) Repair time limits: 48 hours. If an item will be deadlined in excess of 24 hours and otherwise qualifies for float, it may be exchanged for a serviceable like item at the discretion of the GH commander in coordination with Med Cmd/Med Bde commander.

3. MEDICAL EVACUATION AND HOSPITALIZATION.

- a. Evacuation.
 - (1) Theater evacuation policy is 30 days.
 - (2) Primary means of evacuation is ground ambulance.
 - (3) Preferred means of evacuation is air ambulance.
- b. Hospitalization.
 - (1) Medical facilities forward of division boundaries will camouflage.
 - (2) Hospitalization will be provided by the Hospital.

4. PERSONNEL.

a. Maintenance of Unit Strength. Replacements will be assigned to units based upon priority of the commander.

b. Personnel Management.

(1) Enemy prisoners of war and civilian internees. Med Cmd/Med Bde evacuates EPW to TA collection points. Enemy prisoners of war from a chemical, biological, or nuclear unit will be reported immediately to the Med Cmd/Med Bde command channel.

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(2) Military prisoners. Theater Army headquarters will retain military prisoners until sentences are approved.

c. Development and Maintenance of Morale.

(1) Morale and personnel services.

(a) Postal, personnel/administrative, and financial services provided to Med Cmd/Med Bde by TA PERSCOM contact teams.

- (b) Legal services will be requested from Med Cmd/Med Bde through the DCSPER.
- (2) Graves registration.
 - (a) Army cemeteries will not be established.
 - (b) Concurrent return program is in effect.

(c) Isolated or mass burials are not authorized unless approved by the TA commander. In emergencies, commanders may request such burials through TOC channels. When authorized, report number of remains, identify (by nationality, sex, age grouping, and name, if possible) cause of deaths to the Med Cmd/Med Bde Headquarters, ATTN: DCSPER, within 48 hours of burial.

(3) Maintenance of discipline, law, and order.

(a) Commanders will give special attention to the problems of illegal sale and bartering of military supplies and equipment. Incidents will be reported to appropriate criminal investigation or military police unit.

(b) Claims by indigenous personnel will be reported to the Med Cmd/Med Bde DCSSPO.

5. CIVIL-MILITARY OPERATIONS.

a. The TA Civil Affairs Brigade's Assistant Chief of Staff, G5 (Civil Affairs) provides civil affairs support.

b. 288th Psychological Operations Company provides psychological operation support.

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c. All civil affairs/psychological operations-related activities will be coordinated through Med Cmd/Med Bde CMO.

6. MISCELLANEOUS.

a. Hospital elements submit a Daily Battle Loss Report twice each day to the Med Cmd/Med Bde and GH. Reporting periods are 0001 to 1200, due NLT 1400; 1201 to 2400, due NLT 0400 the following day.

b. See Reports TSOP.

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ANNEX D (REAR BATTLE OPERATIONS) TO OPLAN 1234- ____ GH

1. SITUATION. OPLAN 1234– GH.

2. MISSION. The GH provides hospitalization support within the corps support area.

3. EXECUTION.

a. Concept of Operations. With rear security operations as a primary consideration, units in the TAACOM will establish individual bases for rear security. The base cluster will have an appointed commander who will form and operate the base defense operations center on a 24-hour basis. Base commanders are responsible for their own base defense and base damage control. Base cluster commander will coordinate and supervise base defense within cluster. Under direction Med Cmd/Med Bde DCSSPOs, supporting military police will respond to bases under attack by threat forces. The Med Cmd/Med Bde DCSSPO will request commitment of TA reserve forces should a threat attack occur in the TAACOM. Base commanders will request support from the TAACOM base cluster operations center. Any rear operations liaison or technical support provided by the TAACOM will be collocated with Med Cmd/Med Bde headquarters.

- b. Base Cluster Operations Center/Tactical Operations Center.
 - (1) Provide protection.
 - (2) Request support.
 - (3) Request area damage control support.
- c. Med Cmd/Med Bde Deputy Chief of Staff, Signal Property Office.
 - (1) Disseminate tactical information to GH CP.
 - (2) Forward request for assistance from GH.
 - (3) Forward priority communications from GH.
 - (4) Monitor base defense preparedness.

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d. Coordinating Instructions.

(1) Reporting enemy activities. Individual units within a base defense cluster will report all observed enemy acts and any locally gathered intelligence data to the base defense operations center and next higher headquarters.

(2) Barrier and denial. No barrier and denial operations will be conducted without approval of the headquarters.

4. SERVICE SUPPORT. Annex C.

5. COMMAND AND SIGNAL.

a. Command. Command of rear operations in the TAACOM as directed by corps support area base defense operations center (MA676988).

b. Signal. Current SOI/signal standing instructions in effect.

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