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**MEDICAL CORPS—SENIOR MEDICAL STUDENT PROGRAM AND PROFESSIONAL TRAINING PROGRAMS**

AR 601-130, 16 September 1968, is changed as follows:

Page 3. Paragraph 7b is superseded as follows:

b. Selectees will be ordered to active duty in the Army of the United States grade of first lieutenant if they have completed twelve months commissioned service in the grade of second lieutenant; otherwise they will be ordered to active duty in their current Reserve grade, except that no individual will be ordered to active duty in a grade higher than captain. They will be stationed at their respective schools on the starting date of the senior year as indicated by the deans of the appropriate medical schools, or as soon thereafter as possible. They will continue to pursue their studies as officers on active duty with full pay and allowances, for officers of their grade, and years of service for pay purposes until they complete the academic requirements for the degree of doctor of medicine or until completion of the academic year in which enrolled at the time of entry on active duty, whichever occurs earlier. Students in off-cycle schools will be ordered to active duty so as to provide a comparable period of active duty.

Page 3. Paragraph 7d is superseded as follows:

d. Participants, except as noted in paragraph 6, will be required to serve on active duty under their Reserve of the Army appointments and are eligible for temporary Army of the United States promotion to the grade of first lieutenant or captain upon attaining twelve months commissioned service in the grade of second lieutenant or first lieutenant, as appropriate. Those who enter on active duty in the Reserve grade of captain are ineligible for temporary Army of the United States promotion while enrolled in the program, except those participants noted in paragraph 6. Those participants eligible for promotion to the Army of the United States grade of first lieutenant or captain will be promoted to that grade by the appropriate area commander on the day following completion of twelve months commissioned service in the grade of second lieutenant or first lieutenant, as appropriate.

Page 5. Paragraph 12b is superseded as follows:

b. *Reporting date.* Orders assigning officers will specify a reporting date therein approximately 10 days prior to the registration date, with approximately 3 days TDY en route at the appropriate Army headquarters and the student detachment to which assigned for the purpose of orientation training and administrative processing. Orientation training will be as prescribed by the appropriate area surgeon. Administrative processing at the appropriate student detachment will include initiation of personnel and financial records; issuance of officer and dependent ID cards, if applicable; counseling and guidance

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as to obtaining medical care, leave, travel, code of conduct, pay matters, personal problems, and the like pertaining to officers undergoing civilian institutional schooling away from military facilities. Whenever possible, an informational guide designed for future reference covering these matters will be given each student.

Page 7. Paragraph 18b is superseded as follows:

b. Applicants who are participants in the Senior Medical Student Program need only to submit the following in addition to the letter of application.

(1) Report of Medical Examination (Standard Form 88), Report of Medical History (Standard Form 89), and reports of consultation, if any, in duplicate.

(2) Evaluation from the Army Medical Department Personnel Counselor.

(3) Letter of recommendation from the dean, to be forwarded by the dean direct to The Surgeon General, ATTN: MEDPT-MP, Department of the Army, Washington, D.C. 20315.

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Section I. GENERAL

1. **Purpose.** This regulation prescribes the Department of Army programs for the procurement and professional training of career Medical Corps officers. The programs are as follows:

- a. Senior Medical Student Program.
- b. Medical Intern Program.
- c. Army Residency Program.

2. **Common eligibility requirements.** In addition to fulfilling the special requirements for the program concerned as outlined in this regulation, an applicant must be potentially qualified for appointment in the Regular Army by meeting the requirements in paragraph 4a through f, AR 601-100. Waivers of eligibility requirements listed herein may be requested by applicants.

3. **Medical examination.** Applicants will undergo a medical examination of the scope prescribed for appointment by chapter 10 and appendix IX, AR 40-501. Medical fitness standards prescribed in chapter 2, AR 40-501, apply. The medical examination will be conducted at an Armed Forces medical facility or at no expense to the Government at the medical facility supporting the institution which the applicant is attending.

4. **Security requirements.** a. Applicants will not be appointed until appropriate personnel security investigations required by paragraph 1-4i, AR 135-100, have been completed with favorable results. Responsibility for the initiation of requests

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for appropriate personnel security investigations is assigned to—

(1) Army commanders as soon as applications are received from—

(a) Civilian applicants who have not been appointed as officers in the U.S. Army.

(b) Except as indicated in (2) below, members of the Reserve components under the Army commander's area of jurisdiction who are not on active duty and whose most recent personnel security investigation is more than 4 years old at the time of application.

(2) The Commanding Officer, U.S. Army Reserve Components Personnel Center; Commanding Officer, U.S. Army Administration Center; and the Chief, National Guard Bureau, upon receipt of an application or advice indicating that a member of their organization has applied for participation in a program covered by this regulation, if the applicant's most recent personnel security investigation is more than 4 years old at the time of application.

b. The commanders cited in a(1) and (2) above will forward results of completed personnel security investigations to The Surgeon General, ATTN: MEDPT-MP. However, the forwarding of applications for programs will not be delayed pending receipt of these results by the commanders. When transmitting applications concerning which the results of personnel security investigations have not been received, the commanders will indicate the type of personnel security investigations requested and the dates of their requests therefor.

c. Results of personnel security investigations must be received in the Office of The Surgeon General by 1 February, as no intern applicant can be placed on the rank order of merit which is forwarded to the National Intern Matching Program if the appropriate personnel security investigation has not been completed by that date.

5. Selection. Selection will be made by a board of officers appointed by The Surgeon General. Criteria for selection will include scholastic and professional standing, mental, moral, and medical fitness, demonstrated interest in a military career,

and leadership potential as evidenced by past achievements.

a. Each applicant for participation in the Senior Medical Student Program will be notified of his selection or nonselection by The Surgeon General and will be advised as to whether he is a principal or alternate selectee. Selectees will be required to advise The Surgeon General of acceptance or non-acceptance within 10 days after receipt of notification.

b. Each selected applicant for the Medical Intern Program will be notified in mid-March through the dean of the medical school in accordance with instructions issued by the National Intern and Residency Matching Program.

c. Selections for Army residency training will be made from among qualified applicants in accordance with the needs of the Army in the various specialty fields. Selections for known vacancies during each forthcoming fiscal year will be made in January for training beginning the next fiscal year. Selections will be made in November for those officers eligible for relief from active duty during the next calendar year. Appointments to fill remaining and new vacancies will be made from applications on hand.

6. Regular Army officers. a. Officers participating in the Program for Medical, Dental, and Veterinary Education for Regular Army Officers (AR 601-112) are eligible for participation in these programs as listed below.

(1) Excess leave participants may apply for the Senior Medical Student Program.

(2) All participants attending medical school must apply for the Army Medical Intern Program and must designate the Army Medical Department as their first choice in the National Intern and Residency Matching Program.

(3) All participants are eligible for the Army Residency Program.

(4) Participants will participate in grade and are eligible for promotion unless otherwise precluded by law or other directive.

b. Regular Army officers on active duty are eligible for the Army Residency Program.

## Section II. SENIOR MEDICAL STUDENT PROGRAM

**7. Description.** *a.* Each year, third year medical students matriculated in medical schools in the United States and Commonwealth of Puerto Rico, approved by the Council on Medical Education and Hospitals of the American Medical Association, will be selected for participation in this program. Selectees who are not currently Reserve commissioned officers will be tendered appointments for assignment to the Medical Service Corps, USAR, in the grade of second lieutenant unless qualified for a higher grade.

*b.* ~~Selectees will be ordered to active duty in grade, except that no individual will be ordered to active duty in a grade higher than captain. They will be stationed at their respective schools on the starting date of the senior year as indicated by the deans of the appropriate medical schools, or as soon thereafter as possible. They will continue to pursue their studies as officers on active duty with full pay and allowances, for officers of their grade, and years of service for pay purposes until they complete the academic requirements for the degree of Doctor of Medicine or until completion of the academic year in which enrolled at the time of entry on active duty, whichever occurs earlier. Students in off-cycle schools will be ordered to active duty so as to provide a comparable period of active duty.~~

*c.* The payment of tuition and other expenses incident to attendance at medical school will remain a responsibility of the individual participant. Reimbursement for expenses such as textbooks and expendable supplies is not authorized.

*d.* ~~Participants, except as noted in paragraph 6, will be required to serve on active duty under their Reserve of the Army appointments and are ineligible for temporary Army of the United States promotion while enrolled in the program and continuing their medical studies leading to the award of the degree in medicine.~~

**8. Special eligibility requirements.** Applicants will—

*a.* Not have passed the age of 30 prior to date of appointment.

*b.* Have successfully completed the junior year of medical school, be eligible to enroll for the senior year, and will, within 5 days after entry on active duty as an officer, begin or have commenced formal studies required as part of their curriculum for the senior year of medical school.

**9. Obligations.** *a.* Applicants will agree to accept appointment, reappointment, or branch transfer, in the grade of first lieutenant (regardless of the grade in which serving) for assignment to the Medical Corps, U.S. Army Reserve, immediately upon graduation from medical school. Appointment in this grade will be tendered within sufficient time so that the Oath of Office—Military Personnel (DA Form 71) accepting appointment may be effective immediately upon graduation.

*b.* Except as indicated in *c* below, participants will be required to agree to participate in the National Intern and Residency Matching Program and serve on active duty as medical officers for a period of 3 years following completion of intern training. Participants in this program may not apply for internships sponsored by other military departments. Those who are matched to the Army for a military internship will continue on active duty after graduation from medical school. Participants who are not matched for a military internship will, upon notification by TAG, be released from active duty immediately upon graduation and concurrently reappointed or branch transferred to the Medical Corps in the grade of first lieutenant by the area commander (AR 601-26). They will revert to their Reserve status for the purpose of undergoing a civilian internship not to exceed 12 months in duration. Such participants will agree to be ordered to active duty at the end of this 12-month period in order to complete their obligated service of 3 years.

*c.* Participants who already have a contractual obligation to serve more than 2 years (i.e., ROTC Scholarship Program graduates in a delay status) will have their obligation increased by 1 year. Other participants in this program who subsequently participate in programs sponsored by the Department of the Army for which a minimum period of active duty is prescribed will be required to serve only 1 year in addition to any other obligation incurred. In no event, however, will the total period of obligated service be less than 3 years.

**10. Application.** *a.* Applicants who do not hold a current appointment as a Reserve commissioned officer of the Army and who desire to participate in the Senior Medical Student Program in an Army National Guard of the United States status,

must obtain Federal recognition and appointment as a Reserve of the Army (ARNGUS) prior to the submission of their application and allied papers for participation in the program. These individuals will be referred to the appropriate State adjutant general (for address of State adjutants general, see AR 635-5) for consideration. To be eligible for Federal recognition as second lieutenants, Medical Service Corps, they must meet the general requirements contained in NGR 20-2, except as follows:

(1) Applicants must not have attained their 30th birthday prior to their appointment as second lieutenants, Medical Service Corps.

(2) Applicants will be considered to meet the education and service requirements contained in NGR 20-2 by virtue of their enrollment in an accredited medical school.

(3) Upon completion of the above requirements, these applicants will submit the documents listed in *c* below, except DA Form 61, DA Form 3208, and FD Form 258.

*b.* Those applicants who hold commissions in the Army Reserve will submit the documents listed in *c* below, except DA Form 61, DA Form 3208, and FD Form 258.

*c.* Applicants who do not hold a current appointment as a Reserve commissioned officer of the Army and desire to participate in Army Reserve status will submit the following:

(1) Application in letter form (fig 1) in duplicate.

(2) DA Form 61 (Application for Appointment) in duplicate.

(3) DA Form 160 (Application for Active Duty) one copy. Item 9b will be annotated as follows: "I hereby volunteer \* \* \* period as indicated in my letter of application in accordance with paragraph 10, AR 601-130."

(4) Report of Medical Examination—Standard Form 88 (Report of Medical Examination), Standard Form 89 (Report of Medical History), and reports of consultations, if any, in duplicate.

(5) DD Form 98 (Armed Forces Security Questionnaire) in duplicate. Applicants who fail or refuse to accomplish DD Form 98 in its entirety will be denied appointment. If the applicant completes DD Form 98 with qualifications, or entries are made thereon which provide reason for belief

that appointment is not clearly consistent with the interest of national security, appointment will not be made without specific approval of the Secretary of the Army.

(6) DA Form 3208 (Worksheet for National Agency Check Request) one copy. Every item will be completed.

(7) FD Form 258 (FBI U.S. Department of Justice Fingerprint) two copies. This form may be accomplished at any military facility or law enforcement agency.

(8) Photograph (recent head and shoulder type), 3 by 5 inches.

(9) Evaluation from the Army Medical Department Personnel Counselor.

(10) For applicants who are members of a Reserve component of any other armed force, evidence that the applicant will be granted a conditional release, contingent upon appointment in the Army Reserve under this program.

(11) Letter of recommendation from the dean, to be forwarded by the dean direct to The Surgeon General, ATTN: MEDPT-MP.

*d.* Applications will be forwarded as indicated in paragraph 11 so as to reach The Surgeon General, ATTN: MEDPT-MP, Department of the Army, Washington, D.C. 20315, at the earliest practicable date, but not later than 15 January of the junior year, in order that selections can be made and orders issued prior to the start of the senior year. Late applications will be considered for any unfilled vacancies.

**11. Procedures for forwarding applications.** *a.* Civilian applicants who desire to participate in the Senior Medical Student Program in Army Reserve status will forward the letter of application with allied documents through the appropriate Army commander to The Surgeon General, ATTN: MEDPT-MP, Department of the Army, Washington, D.C. 20315.

*b.* Members of the Army National Guard of the United States will forward their application with allied documents to the appropriate State adjutant general, who will in turn forward the applications through the appropriate Army commander and Chief, National Guard Bureau, to The Surgeon General. Applications submitted by officers of the Army National Guard of the United States will include a statement from the State

adjutant general concerned stating generally as follows:

If -----  
                   (grade)          (name)          (SSN)

is selected for participation in the Army Senior Medical Student Program, consent is hereby granted for him to serve on active duty in accordance with the provisions of AR 601-130.

c. Members of the Army Reserve will submit their applications with allied documents as follows:

(1) Members of a USAR unit—to their unit commander who will forward the application with appropriate remarks through the appropriate Army commander to The Surgeon General.

(2) Members assigned to USAR Control Group (Officer Active Duty Obligor), U.S. Reserve—to the Commanding Officer, U.S. Army Reserve Components Personnel Center, ATTN: RCPO-A, Fort Benjamin Harrison, Ind. 46249, who will forward the application to The Surgeon General with appropriate remarks.

(3) Members assigned to a control group, U.S. Army Administration Center—to the Commanding Officer, U.S. Army Administration Center, ATTN: AGUZ-S, St. Louis, Mo. 63132, who will forward the application to The Surgeon General with appropriate remarks.

## 12. Administration. a. Appointment.

(1) Selectees for the Senior Medical Student Program who do not hold a Reserve of the Army appointment will be tendered appointments as Reserve commissioned officers of the Army for assignment to the Army Reserve as second lieutenant through captain, Medical Service Corps. Alternate selectees for the Senior Medical Student Program who do not hold a Reserve of the Army appointment will not be tendered an appointment for assignment to the Army Reserve nor ordered to active duty except to fill vacancies created by disqualification of principal selectees, unless they desire an appointment under the Early Commissioning Program (AR 601-140).

(2) Selectees who hold a status as a Reserve of the Army (USAR) and assignment to a branch other than the Medical Service Corps will be transferred to the Medical Service Corps. Selectees who hold commissions in the Reserve of the Army in a grade higher than captain will agree to accept

active duty in a temporary grade lower than his Reserve grade in accordance with paragraph 2-2b, AR 135-210.

(3) Letters of appointment, active duty orders, oaths of office, commissions, or assignment instructions will be issued by the Chief of Personnel Operations and forwarded to each selectee prior to the beginning of the senior academic year, or as soon as possible thereafter.

~~b. Reporting date. Orders assigning officers will specify a reporting date therein approximately 10 days prior to the registration date, with approximately 3 days TDY en route at the student detachment to which assigned for the purpose of administrative processing. This will include initiation of appropriate personnel and financial records; issuance of officer and dependent ID cards, if appropriate; and counseling and guidance as to obtaining medical care, leave, travel, code of conduct, pay matters, personal problems, and the like pertaining to officers undergoing civilian institutional schooling away from military facilities. Whenever possible, an informational guide designed for future reference covering these matters will be given each student.~~

c. Notification. Each student will contact the commanding officer of the student detachment to which assigned immediately upon receipt of orders. He will then be advised of any special instructions incident to his processing, including time and place of reporting.

d. Student detachments. The necessary vacancies within a student detachment of the headquarters to which the student is assigned will be automatically created by the issuance of orders assigning personnel to such detachment and will be automatically withdrawn upon reassignment of the student.

e. Strength accounting. For purposes of strength accounting, the organization of assignment will be responsible for recording the necessary morning report data pertaining to the personnel assigned as students under the provisions of this regulation.

f. Administrative absence, leave, and permissive travel.

(1) Participants may be authorized administrative absence (AR 635-20) for such activities as attendance at conferences and lectures within

the United States in connection with their studies. These activities will be at no expense to the Government. Such absences require the prior approval of the student's commanding officer.

(2) Absences of participants during vacation periods will not be chargeable as ordinary leave if the student remains within 200 miles of the school.

(3) All students will be encouraged to take their maximum ordinary leave each year. Such leave as is accrued will be utilized by the officer for absences during vacation periods if the student travels more than 200 miles from school.

(4) Election to take ordinary leave (AR 630-5) requires prior approval of the student detachment commander. A participant may be granted ordinary leave in the amount accrued plus leave accruing during the period he is on ordinary leave.

(5) Advance leave is not authorized, the provisions of AR 630-5 notwithstanding.

(6) Excess leave without pay and allowances will be granted at any time for cogent reasons when the student does not have sufficient ordinary leave time accrued. Ordinary leave does not accrue while an individual is on excess leave.

*g. Permissive temporary travel.* Participants may be authorized to undergo periods of clinical training at facilities and institutions other than that at which they are matriculated if such training is required by their medical school. Such activity will be on a permissive travel basis (TC 203, AR 310-10) at no expense to the Government. Per diem and travel is not authorized. Applications for permissive temporary travel for this purpose will be submitted at least 60 days in advance to The Surgeon General, ATTN: MEDPT-MP, Department of the Army, Washington, D.C. 20315, through the commanding officer of the student detachment to which the student is assigned. Travel outside the continental United States requires extra consideration and authority. Such requests will be submitted at least 90 days in advance. The provisions of AR 600-87 and AR 1-40 apply. In all instances, a statement from the dean or other appropriate official at the medical school will accompany the application.

*h. Other travel procedures.* It will be the responsibility of participants to keep their com-

manding officer advised of their whereabouts at all time. Travel outside of the 200-mile limit described above must be authorized beforehand.

*i. Military administration.* The Army commander; Commanding General, USARHAW; Commander, USARSO; or Commanding General, Military District of Washington, whichever is immediately concerned will, in accordance with current Department of Army policies, be responsible for the military administration of all student personnel assigned to their headquarters. This will include pay, discipline, medical care, supply, transportation, processing of academic reports as prescribed by AR 623-106, leave of absence, clinical training travel, and supply of pertinent Department of Army publications. Student personnel will normally correspond directly with the headquarters to which they are assigned on any matter affecting their duty status or assignment rather than The Surgeon General. Two copies of all orders or personnel actions that have an effect on the status of the student will be forwarded to The Surgeon General, ATTN: MEDPT-MP, Department of the Army, Washington, D.C. 20315.

*j. Qualification records (DA Form 66).* Qualification records will accurately reflect the status of participants and the accomplishment of academic and efficiency reports. Nonrated periods will be clearly reflected. Periods of authorized activities outside of the immediate professional school vicinity will be appropriately recorded.

*k. Assignments.* The Surgeon General, ATTN: MEDPT-MP, will initiate orders effecting relief from the program, subsequent assignment, and branch transfer or reappointment, as appropriate.

*l. Failure to graduate.* Participants who fail to graduate or are dropped from professional school for academic or other reasons will be reported by the commanding officer of the student detachment to The Surgeon General, ATTN: MEDPT-MP. Such individuals will be reassigned by Headquarters, Department of the Army. They may be required to serve any obligation incurred as a result of training under this program.

**13. Release from active duty.** Those individuals released from active duty for 1 year to complete other than an Army internship (paragraph 9b) will undergo a medical examination as prescribed

in paragraph 10-25, AR 40-501. They will be assigned to USAR Control Group (Officer Active Duty Obligor) under the jurisdiction of the Commanding Officer, U.S. Army Reserve Components Personnel Center (AR 601-26). They will be re-accessed as PPN-TJ (AR 601-110) and processed and nominated to The Surgeon General, ATTN: MEDPT-MP, by 1 February of the following calendar year for entry on active duty during the

fiscal year beginning 1 July of the same calendar year.

**14. Academic reports.** Commanding Generals of CONUS Armies; Commanding General, USA RHAW; Commander, USARSO; and Commanding General, Military District of Washington, U.S. Army, are responsible for submission of part II, DA Form 1059, for officers under their jurisdiction, as required by paragraph 7, AR 623-106.

### Section III. MEDICAL INTERN PROGRAM

**15. Description.** Each year senior medical students will be selected for military medical internships. Training is approved by the Council on Medical Education and Hospitals of the American Medical Association, is conducted in Army hospitals, and is of 1 year duration commencing each July. Selected candidates who do not hold a Reserve of the Army appointment will be commissioned in the grade of first lieutenant, Medical Corps, with assignment to the Army Reserve, and will be ordered to active duty in the grade of captain, Army of the United States. Candidates holding a current Reserve of the Army appointment with assignment to the Army National Guard of the United States, or Army Reserve, as first lieutenant, Medical Corps, will be ordered to active duty in the grade of captain, Army of the United States. Candidates holding a Reserve of the Army appointment above the grade of first lieutenant, Medical Corps, ARNGUS, or USAR, as appropriate, and ordered to active duty in the grade of captain, Army of the United States.

**16. Special eligibility requirements.** Applicants must--

*a.* Be enrolled in the senior year of an approved medical school. Graduates of foreign medical schools, other than Canadian, must receive permanent certification from the Educational Council for Foreign Medical Graduates.

*b.* Have reached his 21st birthday but not have passed the age of 32 upon entry into the Army Intern Program.

**17. Obligation.** There is no period of obligatory service incurred by those persons who enter and receive training under this program. Individuals who have a liability for service under the Military Selective Service Act of 1967, however, will be

required to serve that obligation (24 months) after completion of their internship. All participants will be encouraged to remain on active duty as a Regular or Reserve officer.

**18. Application.** Applications will consist of the following:

*a.* All applicants will submit application in letter form (fig. 2) in duplicate.

~~*b.* Applicants who are participants in the Senior Medical Student Program will submit Standard Form 88 (Report of Medical Examination), Standard Form 89 (Report of Medical History), and reports of consultation, if any, in duplicate.~~

*c.* Applicants who hold appointments as Reserve commissioned officers of the Army, other than those indicated in *b* above, will submit the documents listed in paragraph 10, except 10c(1), (2) and (7). Applications submitted by officers of the Army National Guard of the United States will include a statement from the State adjutant general indicating consent for the applicant to serve on active duty.

*d.* Other applicants who do not hold a current appointment as a Reserve commissioned officer of the Army will submit the documents listed in paragraph 10c, except 10c(1).

**19. Procedures for forwarding applications.** The letter of application with allied documents will be forwarded by the applicant to The Surgeon General, ATTN: MEDPT-MP, Department of the Army, Washington, D.C. 20315, through the appropriate Army commander, Commanding Officer, U.S. Army Reserve Components Personnel Center, or Commanding Officer, U.S. Army Administration Center, as appropriate, during the period of 1 October to 1 December, in accordance with instructions issued by the National Intern and Residency Matching Program. Applications

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from officers of the Army National Guard of the United States will be forwarded to the appropriate State adjutant general who will, in turn, forward the application through the Army Commander and Chief, National Guard Bureau, to The Surgeon General.

**20. Special pay.** Medical interns are not entitled to special pay. See paragraph 10503b, chapter 5, DODPM.

**21. Appointment.** *a.* Selectees for the Medical Intern Program who do not hold a Reserve of the Army appointment will be tendered appointments as Reserve commissioned officers of the Army for assignment to the Army Reserve as first lieutenants, Medical Corps.

*b.* Selectees who hold a status as a Reserve of the Army (USAR) and assignment to a branch other than the Medical Corps will be reappointed or transferred in the Medical Corps, whichever is appropriate.

*c.* Letters of appointment, active duty orders, and oaths of office commissions, or assignment instructions will be issued by the Chief of Personnel Operations and forwarded to each selectee in time to permit necessary travel and insure arrival at the designated time at the Army installation where internship will be served. Army medical interns will be called to active duty in the temporary grade of captain.

#### Section IV. ARMY RESIDENCY PROGRAM

**22. Description.** The Army Residency Program is established under the provisions of AR 350-219 for the purpose of providing the number of specialists required to meet the needs of the Army for career Medical Corps officers. Training in civilian hospitals is authorized only when the specialty needs of the Army cannot be met by training in Army teaching hospitals. Applicants will be considered on the priority basis indicated in AR 350-219. Officers of the Regular Army Medical Corps and individuals who meet the appointment criteria for Regular Army as indicated in AR 601-124 (including individuals who have not completed internship, but are engaged in such training) are eligible to compete for residency training.

**23. Application.** Applications for residency training will be submitted in the format indicated in AR 350-219. Reserve officers who are applying concurrently for residency training and appointment in the Regular Army will mail applications

for residency training direct to The Surgeon General, ATTN: MEDPT-MT, indicating the headquarters where the Regular Army application was submitted and the date. Civilian physicians may write direct to The Surgeon General, ATTN: MEDPT-MT, Department of the Army, Washington, D.C. 20315, or to the Army Medical Department Personnel Counselors located at each CONUS Army headquarters for detailed information concerning eligibility requirements, or other specific information pertaining to the residency program and appointment in the Medical Corps (for Regular Army and Reserve officers on active duty who are not concurrently applying for Regular Army appointment, see AR 350-219).

**24. Obligation.** Individuals accepted for residency training will be required to serve subsequent to training in accordance with minimum periods of active duty specified in AR 350-219.

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 (date)

SUBJECT: Army Senior Medical Student Program

THRU:

TO: The Surgeon General  
 ATTN: MEDPT-MP  
 Department of the Army  
 Washington, D.C. 20315

1. Application is submitted for the Army Senior Medical Student Program. In return for my acceptance by the Department of the Army, I agree to serve on active duty until completion of the academic year in which enrolled at time of commission and to participate in the National Intern Matching Program. I further agree, regardless of the grade in which I am serving, to accept reappointment or branch transfer in the grade of first lieutenant, upon graduation, in the Medical Corps, U.S. Army Reserve, if tendered.
2. If I fail to complete requirements for the professional degree, I agree to continue service on active duty for a period of 2 years from the date of termination of status as a medical student. I understand that I may then be assigned to appropriate Medical Service Corps vacancies.
3. If matched for an Army internship, I agree to serve on continuous active duty at the discretion of the Secretary of the Army for a period of 3 years following completion of intern training.
4. If not matched for an Army internship, I agree to be released from active duty for a period of 12 months to allow me to complete a civilian internship, and at the end of this 12-month period to be recalled to active duty and serve continuously at the discretion of the Secretary of the Army for 3 years.
5. At the present time I (do) (do not) hold a Reserve commission in ----- If currently commissioned as a  
 (Branch, Component, Armed Force, SSAN)  
 Reserve of the Army with assignment to the Army Reserve in a branch other than the Medical Service Corps, I agree that if I am selected for this program, this application will serve as my request for transfer to the Medical Service Corps, Army Reserve, for the purpose of participating in the Senior Medical Student Program.

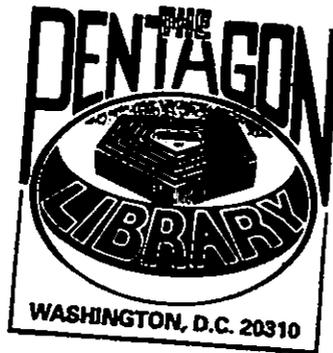
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- 6. I will complete my junior year at \_\_\_\_\_ Medical School and expect to enroll in that school for my senior year on or about \_\_\_\_\_ 19\_\_\_\_, and to be graduated on or about \_\_\_\_\_ 19\_\_\_\_\_.
- 7. I (have) (have not) been rejected for military service. (If previously rejected for military service, state when, where, and reason therefor.)
- 8. Completed forms, as required by AR 601-130, are attached.
- 9. I understand that payment of tuition, textbooks, laboratory fees, and/or other fees incident to this education will remain my responsibility and that no charges or claims resulting from this education will be made against the Department of the Army.
- 10. As a part of my senior year I (will) (will not) be attending classes or taking clinical training in a community other than where my medical school is located. (If affirmative, include all details, place, and other pertinent information.) \_\_\_\_\_
- 11. My home of record address is: \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_ I am currently residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_ After \_\_\_\_\_  
 mail and/or orders should be sent to me at \_\_\_\_\_
- 12. My social security account number is \_\_\_\_\_
- 13. If I hold a grade higher than captain, I agree and consent to active duty under this program in a grade lower than my permanent Reserve grade in accordance with paragraph 2-2b, AR 135-210.

\_\_\_\_\_  
(signature) (SSAN)

Figure 1—Continued.



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(date)

SUBJECT: Army Medical Intern Program

THRU:

TO: The Surgeon General  
ATTN: MEDPT-MP  
Department of the Army  
Washington, D.C. 20315

1. Under the provisions of AR 601-130, I hereby make application for participation in the Army Medical Intern Program. I have indicated the order of my preference for specific hospital assignment in paragraph 3. I understand that although every effort will be made to comply with my desires, I agree to accept assignment at any of the hospitals listed.
2. I desire to be considered for the following type/types of internships: Rotating Internship -----; Straight Internship ----- (If you desire to be considered for both types, indicate your order of preference as "1st" or "2d" in space provided).
3. My order of preference for hospital is indicated below: (fill in both Rotating Internship Section and Straight Internship Section only if you desire to be considered for both type internships. Applying for *both* the rotating and straight internships will enhance your chances of being selected for an Army internship).

Hospital	Rotating Internships	Straight Internships			
		Medicine	Surgery	Pediatrics	Pathology
Brooke General Hospital San Antonio, Tex.	( )	( )	( )	( )	
Fitzsimons General Hospital Denver, Colo.	( )	( )	( )	( )	
Letterman General Hospital San Francisco, Calif.	( )	( )	( )	( )	
Madigan General Hospital Tacoma, Wash.	( )	( )	( )		
Tripler General Hospital Honolulu, Hawaii	( )	( )	( )	( )	( )
Walter Reed General Hospital Washington, D.C.	( )	( )	( )	( )	( )
William Beaumont General Hospital El Paso, Tex.	( )	( )	( )		

4. Completed forms, as required by AR 601-130, are attached.
5. My home of record is -----  
I am currently residing at -----  
After ----- mail and/or orders should be sent to me at -----  
(date)

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(signature) (SSAN)\*

\*If applicable, indicate grade, branch, component, service number, and unit of assignment in the military service.

Figure 2.

The proponent agency of this regulation is the Office of The Surgeon General. Users are invited to send comments and suggested improvements to The Surgeon General, ATTN: MEDPT-MP, Department of the Army, Washington, D.C. 20315.

By Order of the Secretary of the Army:

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