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PREFACE

About this course:

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FOREWORD AND ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

In this 2010 edition of the **Hospital Corpsman NAVEDTRA 14295B**, also referred to as, Rate Training Manual (RTM) and/or Non-Resident Training Course (NRTC), the subject matter has been revised, expanded, and brought up-to-date with the diverse medical aspects discussed in various chapters and sections.

The Hospital Corpsman NAVEDTRA 14295B is intended to serve as a general guide and reference manual for the Hospital Corpsmen of the U. S. Navy, especially those performing duty independent of Medical Department Officers. It contains information and instructions concerning the generalized duties based upon the most current occupational standards for the Hospital Corps of the Navy. Hospital Corpsmen, particularly those in senior ranks, are urged to make frequent references to other Navy publications for additional information and instructions not contained within.

The principle subjects have been arranged in an organized manner ranging from the Heritage of the Hospital Corps to Decedent Affairs. As these subjects are presented in condensed form, readers should realize that the information contained in it must be supplemented by reference to the standard textbooks and professional journals usually available in the medical libraries of medical treatment facilities, ships, and various other stations.

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SCOPE OF RATING:

Hospital Corpsman (HM)

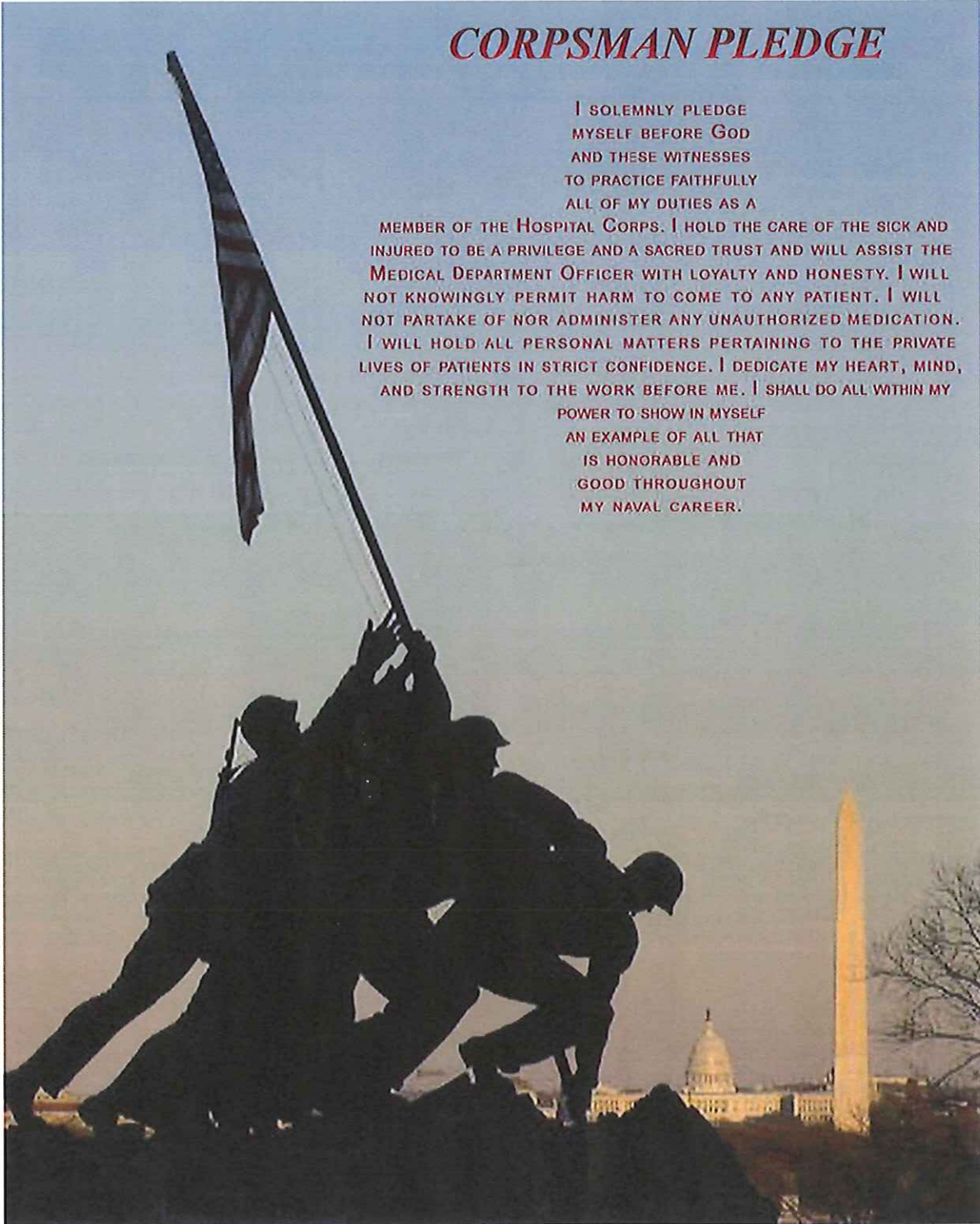
Assist health care providers in delivering medical care to armed service personnel and their families. Supervises personnel in the performance of clinical or ward duties; maintains health records; instructs medical and non-medical personnel in general and emergency medical care and in self-administration of medications. Administers first aid; assists with physical examinations and makes basic clinical assessments; assists in the transportation of the sick and injured; maintains mechanical equipment; and conducts health education training programs. They also perform medical administrative and clerical functions. Additionally, completion of Dental Assistant training allows Hospital Corpsman to perform diverse duties in the prevention and treatment of oral disease, injury and assist dental care professionals in providing quality dental care. Hospital Corpsman also serve with the Marine Corps rendering emergency and stabilization care in various combat environments while also providing administrative and technical assistance to support the mission and functions of operational units.

CORPSMAN PLEDGE

I SOLEMNLY PLEDGE
MYSELF BEFORE GOD
AND THESE WITNESSES
TO PRACTICE FAITHFULLY
ALL OF MY DUTIES AS A

MEMBER OF THE HOSPITAL CORPS. I HOLD THE CARE OF THE SICK AND
INJURED TO BE A PRIVILEGE AND A SACRED TRUST AND WILL ASSIST THE
MEDICAL DEPARTMENT OFFICER WITH LOYALTY AND HONESTY. I WILL
NOT KNOWINGLY PERMIT HARM TO COME TO ANY PATIENT. I WILL
NOT PARTAKE OF NOR ADMINISTER ANY UNAUTHORIZED MEDICATION.
I WILL HOLD ALL PERSONAL MATTERS PERTAINING TO THE PRIVATE
LIVES OF PATIENTS IN STRICT CONFIDENCE. I DEDICATE MY HEART, MIND,
AND STRENGTH TO THE WORK BEFORE ME. I SHALL DO ALL WITHIN MY

POWER TO SHOW IN MYSELF
AN EXAMPLE OF ALL THAT
IS HONORABLE AND
GOOD THROUGHOUT
MY NAVAL CAREER.



Sailor's Creed

"I am a United States Sailor.

I will support and defend the Constitution of the United States of America and I will obey the orders of those appointed over me.

I represent the fighting spirit of the Navy and those who have gone before me to defend freedom and democracy around the world.

I proudly serve my country's Navy combat team with honor, courage and commitment.

I am committed to excellence and the fair treatment of all."

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