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SUBJECT: ARMY CAMPAIGN PLAN FOR HEALTH PROMOTION, RISK REDUCTION AND SUICIDE PREVENTION – CDR'S REPORT OF DISCIPLINARY OR ADMIN ACTION

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SENT ON BEHALF OF DA WASHINGTON DC//DACS-SPTF//

REFERENCE: ACPHP, 16 APRIL 09, AND ANNEX D OF SAME.

1. SITUATION: IN APRIL 2009, THE VCSA SIGNED THE ACPHP. ANNEX D OF THE ACPHP GUIDES COMMANDERS ON KEY PRINCIPLES TOWARDS ACHIEVING THE GOALS OF HEALTH PROMOTION, RISK REDUCTION, AND SUICIDE PREVENTION. SOME OF THOSE PRINCIPLES ADDRESS REPORTING OF DISCIPLINARY AND ADMINISTRATIVE ACTIONS, TRAINING SUBORDINATE CDRS ON USE OF CDR DISCIPLINARY REPORTS, AND TRACKING ADMINISTRATIVE SEPARATIONS. THESE DESERVE EXPLANATION AND EMPHASIS.
2. DURING THE VCSA'S RECENT INSTALLATION VISITS IT BECAME APPARENT THAT DRUG AND ALCOHOL-RELATED EVENTS, DISCIPLINARY MATTERS, AND ADMINISTRATIVE SEPARATIONS FREQUENTLY GO UNREPORTED. WITHOUT PROPER REPORTING, ARMY LEADERSHIP LACKS ACCURATE VISIBILITY OF CRITICAL RISK BEHAVIOR AFFECTING WELLNESS OF INDIVIDUAL SOLDIERS AND ARMY COMMUNITIES.
3. ARMY REGULATION 190-45 GOVERNS USE OF THE COMMANDER'S REPORT OF DISCIPLINARY OR ADMINISTRATIVE ACTION (DA FORM 4833). PER THAT REGULATION, CDRS ARE RESPONSIBLE AND ACCOUNTABLE FOR THE TIMELY COMPLETION AND SUBMISSION OF DA FORM 4833 TO RECORD ACTIONS TAKEN AGAINST IDENTIFIED OFFENDERS.
4. THE VCSA EXPECTS EVERY COMMANDER TO BE FAMILIAR WITH USE OF DA FORM 4833 AND TO USE IT AS DIRECTED BY AR 190-45.
5. PLEASE CONTACT THE ARMY SUICIDE PREVENTION TASK FORCE FOR ADDITIONAL GUIDANCE AND CLARIFICATION, 703-571-5575 OR VCSASITFOPS@CONUS.ARMY.MIL.

EXPIRATION DATE IS 22 MARCH 2010