

**VISION, OPTICAL  
EQUIPMENT, AND EYE  
HEALTH READINESS**

# **Vision, Optical Equipment, and Eye Health Readiness**

- **Deployment SRP versus Readiness SRP**
- **Associated Regulations and Publications**
- **Required Vision Care Personnel**
- **Equipment**
- **Records/Forms**
- **Procedures**
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# Deployment vs Readiness

- **Deployment SRP:** Requires involvement of entire Eye Care Team and immediate priority of optical fabrication operations.
- **Readiness SRP:** Does not mandate involvement of the entire team or deployment priority for optical fabrication.

# **Regulations and Publications**

- **AR 40-501 – Standards Of Medical Fitness**
- **AR 40-63 – Ophthalmic Services**
- **DA Pam 611-21 – Military Occupational Classification and Structure System**

# **The Eye Care Team**

- **91WP3 Eye Specialist**
- **67F Optometry Officer**
- **91H Optical Laboratory Specialist  
(Optical Fabrication Labs)**

# Equipment

- **Vision Charts or Automated Vision Tester**
- **Lensometer (preferably automated)**
- **PD Ruler**
- **Table or desk and chairs**
- **Computer with SRTS software and internet access**
- **Fax machine**
- **DD Form 771, Eyewear Prescriptions**

# Records and Forms

- **Medical Records**
- **DD Form 2766**
- **Spectacle Prescriptions: Civilian or  
DD Form 771**
- **Current Eyewear**

# **Vision, Optical Equipment, and Eye Health Readiness SRP Procedures**

- **Coordinate with the Chief of Optometry at the installation**
- **Test Vision**
- **Check for proper types and numbers of required military eyewear**
- **Order eyewear devices**
- **Send soldiers with active eye diseases for evaluation by the Optometrist**

# Vision Testing Procedures

- **Direct soldiers to remove contact lenses 24 hours prior to the SRP and to bring all military issue eyewear for accountability.**
- **Evaluate distance and near vision with current glasses or unaided. Binocular visual acuity of 20/40 is considered passing.**
- **Check for required eyewear devices**

# Vision Testing Procedures

- **Soldiers usually require 2 pair of serviceable glasses, one PMI, and 1 pair of tinted glasses.**
- **Order eyewear devices and monitor for 72 hour turn around from the optical labs.**
- **Distribute military eyewear before deployment.**
- **Send soldiers with eye disease to the Optometrist for evaluation, treatment, and assessment of deployment status.**

# Vision, Optical Equipment, and Eye Health Readiness

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