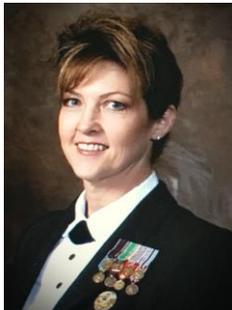


NAME: CAPT GLENNA L. MEADE

JOB TITLE: CHIEF, METRICS IMPLEMENTATION

AGENCY: OFFICE OF THE ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF DEFENSE (OASD) FOR THE HEALTH AFFAIRS (HA) IN THE DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE (DOD)



EDUCATION/DEGREES/CERTIFICATIONS/INSTITUTIONS:

Captain (CAPT) Glenna Meade received her Bachelor of Science in Computer Information Technology with a minor in Business Administration from Georgia Southwestern University in 1985. She later earned her Bachelor of Science in Pharmacy from the Medical University of South Carolina in 1995.

CURRENT JOB DESCRIPTION

CAPT Meade works at the Defense Health Agency Health Information Technology / Electronic Health Record Core Program Office, an acquisition office for centrally managed Military Health System clinical information technology systems that support the delivery of health services for the Department of Defense (DoD). She has been assigned to the Defense Health Agency since 2006, and currently leads the congressionally-mandated financial audit readiness attestations for the Military Health System global electronic health record. She is responsible for the coordination, implementation, and oversight of more than 260 information system controls to ensure that the electronic health record operates within the confines of rigid professional criteria and in accordance with General Accounting Office auditing standards. Recently, she assisted with the transition of the current electronic health record inpatient system to the military's upcoming redesigned global electronic health record.

QUALIFYING SKILLS FOR CURRENT POSITION

Prior to being commissioned in the U.S. Public Health Service, CAPT Meade served in the U.S. Navy for more than 8 years, first completing an enlisted tour, then serving 3 years as a Deputy Chief Pharmacist at Corpus Christi Naval Hospital in Texas. CAPT Meade's IT and healthcare backgrounds, military project management experience, and completion of

diverse training opportunities while serving in the Navy and Public Health Service have provided her with the skillset to serve in her current position.

REASONS FOR CHOOSING THE USPHS AS A CAREER

While enjoying her career in the Navy, CAPT Meade encountered several PHS pharmacy officers from a variety of agency assignments. She was most intrigued to learn of the opportunity to serve her country and enjoy the freedom to choose her career path from such a diverse range of clinical, leadership and location opportunities. PHS has presented CAPT Meade with a broad range of assignment choices and professional challenges that have proven unique and rewarding.

PREVIOUS PHS ASSIGNMENTS

- Program Manager, Clinical Care Integration, Vision Center of Excellence, (DoD/DHA) 2011-present
- Chief, Metrics Implementation, Clinical Information Technology Program Office, (DoD/DHA) 2006-2011
- Program Management Officer, Headquarters, Washington, DC, (Bureau of Prisons) 2003-2006
- Senior Pharmacist II, Federal Medical Center, Lexington, KY, (BOP) 2002-2003
- Chief Pharmacist, U.S. Penitentiary, Terre Haute, IN (BOP) 2000-2002

MOST REWARDING USPHS PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

CAPT Meade treasures her involvement with the Rapid Deployment Force (RDF-1) during Hurricane Katrina. She deployed to the Federal Emergency Management Agency to assist with the expedited shipment of stockpiled pharmaceuticals and communications equipment to the devastated areas. The unified mission of the USPHS in the forefront of providing care during such emergencies conveys the sense of purpose for which she holds firmly.

OTHER INTERESTS/ACTIVITIES

CAPT Meade is active in various programs and activities to benefit junior USPHS officers, including the DOD-PHS mentoring program. She enjoys educating acquaintances about the Commissioned Corps and strives to help junior officers and peers succeed in their career. Outside of her professional duties, she enjoys honing her creative skills in visual artistic media and spending time outdoors gardening in her yard, hiking in America's wilderness, and scuba diving in Caribbean waters.

*By CDR Yoon Kong
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