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Fact Sheet: U.S. Army North COVID-19 Hospital Support Beginning August 2021

U.S. Army North, U.S. Northern Command's Joint Force Land Component Command, manages on behalf of the Combatant Command the Department of Defense's COVID-19 response operations, in support of the Federal Emergency Management Agency and the Department of Health and Human Services, since March 2020. This fact sheet reflects a joint operation beginning August 2021. Since then, approximately 180 military medical personnel from the U.S. Army, U.S. Air Force and U.S. Navy are working or will soon work alongside civilian healthcare providers in civilian hospitals, helping treat COVID-19 patients in five states as part of the whole-of-government response to the pandemic.

Alabama

In Alabama, one team of approximately 20 military medical personnel from the U.S. Air Force is supporting the state at one hospital in one city, while another team from the U.S. Navy will support another hospital in another city:

1. Southeast Health in Dothan, which began Aug. 29
2. Dale Medical Center in Ozark, which will begin Sep. 9

Arkansas

In Arkansas, one team of approximately 20 military medical personnel from the U.S. Army will support the state at one hospital in one city:

1. University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences in Little Rock, which will begin Sep. 11

Idaho

In Idaho, one team of approximately 20 military medical personnel from the U.S. Army is supporting the state at one hospital in one city:

1. Kootenai Health in Coeur d'Alene, which began Sep. 7

Louisiana

In Louisiana, three teams of 20 military medical personnel, two from the U.S. Air Force and one the U.S. Navy, are supporting the state at three hospitals in three cities:

1. Ochsner Lafayette General Medical Center in Lafayette, which began Aug. 20
2. Our Lady of the Lake Regional Medical Center in Baton Rouge, which began Aug. 26
3. Rapides Regional Medical Center in Alexandria, which began Aug. 30

Mississippi

In Mississippi, two teams of approximately 20 military medical personnel, one from the U.S. Army and one from the U.S. Air Force, currently are supporting the state at two hospitals in two cities:

1. University of Mississippi Medical Center in Jackson, which began Aug. 23
2. North Mississippi Medical Center-Tupelo in Tupelo, which began Aug. 27

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