MEMORANDUM FOR All Military Personnel, Department of Defense (DoD) Civilian Employees, Family Members, Contractors and other Personnel within United States Army Garrison, Hawaii (USAG-HI) Installations

SUBJECT: Policy Memorandum USAG-HI-3, Alcohol Use/Abuse

1. References.
   b. AR 600-85, The Army Substance Abuse Program (ASAP), 23 JUL 20.
   c. Hawaii Revised Statutes 281-1, 281-101.5 and 712-1250.5.
   d. AR 190-5, Motor Vehicle Traffic Supervision, 22 May 06.

2. Applicability. This policy applies to all Soldiers, Civilians, Family members, contractors, and other personnel who work on, reside on, or visit any US Army installations, facilities, or work sites in Hawaii.

3. Policy.
   a. Minimum Drinking Age Restriction: The minimum age for possession and consumption of alcoholic beverages in Hawaii is 21.
   
   b. Possession and Consumption of Alcoholic Beverages.

      (1) Soldiers who are 21 years of age and older may possess and consume alcoholic beverages in their private residence/quarters to include enlisted barracks, bachelor enlisted quarters, bachelor officers’ quarters, family quarters, and transient housing.

      (2) Subordinate commanders may further restrict this policy with respect to Soldiers under their charge and may also modify or withhold drinking privileges for specific individuals based on alcohol-related performance or conduct deficiencies.

   c. This memorandum establishes the following policies:
(1) Unit commanders will refer individuals suspected or identified as alcohol and/or other drug abusers, including those identified through urinalysis (except those determined legitimate medical use by the Medical Review Officer and/or blood alcohol tests), to the Substance Use Disorder Clinical Care (SUDCC) for screening and counseling. Commanders will also refer all Soldiers with an alcohol or drug-related issues to the Army Substance Abuse Program (ASAP) Alcohol and other Drug Abuse Prevention Training (ADAPT)/Prime For Life (PFL) for training. Referral will occur within five (5) duty days of notification of the alcohol and/or drug related incident, or within 72 hours of notification if the incident resulted in apprehension.

(2) Commanders will direct on-duty personnel suspected of being impaired or intoxicated to the Provost Marshal for breath testing. Military personnel with a blood alcohol level of .05 percent or higher are in violation of AR 600-85, and are subject to administrative and judicial sanctions, and will be referred for evaluation.

(3) Facilities on Army installations will not serve alcoholic beverages to personnel on duty. Soldiers on duty will not consume alcoholic beverages. The first general officer in the chain of command or supervision may authorize exceptions to this policy for appropriate occasions.

(4) The US Army Garrison, Hawaii Commander is authorized to suspend or restrict installation driving privileges for anyone with installation driving privileges who was apprehended or convicted of driving while intoxicated (DWI) or driving under the influence (DUI) regardless of the geographic location of the incident. If the requirements of AR 190-5, paragraph 2-7 are met, active duty personnel may also receive a general officer memorandum of reprimand.

4. This policy supersedes USAG-HI Policy Memorandum USAG-HI-3, dated 26 August 2016, and remains in effect until cancelled or superseded in writing.

5. Point of contact for this policy is the Directorate of Human Resources, SUDCC. Direct questions concerning this policy memorandum to the ASAP Program Manager at (808) 655-4470.

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