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Unit Movement Section Mission Overview

- Assist deploying Units with Unit Deployment List (UDL) supervision.
- Provide technical guidance and instruction for all transportation documentation, including HAZMAT, sensitive and classified materials, and equipment.
- Validate shipping documentation.
- Publish deployment timeline and coordination summary.
- Validate Unit deployment plan.
- Coordinate all deployment planning and execution actions with Forces Command (FORSCOM), Surface Deployment Distribution Command (SDDC), Headquarters', First Army, First Army Division West (DIVWEST), Army North (ARNORTH), Northern Command (NORTHCOM), Southern Command (SOUTHCOM), and other area commands as required/needed.



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Unit Movement Section (UMS)



Unit Movement Section (UMS) Mission Statement

The Unit Movement Sections provides technical guidance and assistance to units in preparing, and executing movement plans, and validates transportation related documentation for the deployment/mobilization planning and execution process.



Deployment Planning Unit Level Best Practices

- Create and maintain a Unit Deployment Book
- Update and maintain Organization Equipment List (OEL) annually.
- Complete OEL input (All Secondary Cargo listed, all HAZMAT Cargo listed and properly coded, all documentation complete) per physical LOADEX.
- Unit Deployment List (UDL) will be created from OEL.
- Conduct Emergency/Deployment Readiness Exercises (E/DRE).
- Unit Commander validates deployment plan(s).
- Unit tracks equipment through deployment process.
- Appoint and train Unit Movement Officers (UMOs).
- Appoint and train Hazardous Material (HAZMAT) Certifiers.
- Appoint and train Container Control Officer (CCO).
- Deployment supplies on-hand to support OEL (Radio Frequency Identification (RFID) tags, batteries, container seals, packing list envelopes, Military Shipping Labels (MSL) blank rolls, HAZMAT placards, labels and packaging, and Blocking, Bracing, Packing, Crating and Tie-down material.

Deployment Process

- Unit must have approved Annual Organizational Equipment List (OEL) on file with the FORSCOM COMPASS office, or UDL data will be rejected.
- UMO provides the Commander's deployment intent to include total personnel count, PAX flow and equipment roll-up.
- UMS Transportation Assistant (TA) creates the TCAIMS II deployment plan and develops coordination summary and timeline.
- UMO creates and manages the UDL; Commander confirms UDL prior to UDL lock.
- Unit submit Unit Line Number (ULN) request thru III Corps G5 and G3 to FORSCOM and Cc's UMS TA.
- Unit physically measures all rolling stock and tracked equipment. Unit conducts a physical load exercise (LOADEX) to determine container requirement. 80% fill minimum.
- Unit follows published mobilization and deployment timeline schedule.



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