



**DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR FORCE  
UNIT XXX  
JOINT BASE SAN ANTONIO**



DATE

MEMORANDUM FOR

FROM:

SUBJECT: Eligibility of Personnel, Other Beneficiaries, and Other Population for Testing

Reference:

a. *Force Health Protection (Supplement 6) - Department of Defense Guidance for Coronavirus Disease 2019 Laboratory Diagnostic Testing Services, 7 April 2020*

1. In accordance with reference (a), I certify this individual is a mission essential DoD civilian employee, not otherwise eligible for DoD health care, who meets criteria to be screened for COVID-19 IAW DoD guidance.

2. Testing Determinations:

a. Asymptomatic individuals and mildly symptomatic **should generally not be tested** with the currently available diagnostic tests as this usually will not provide actionable information and may deprive tests from those symptomatic individuals who have the urgent need for testing.

b. Testing is not to be used to clear asymptomatic or asymptomatic exposed individuals for continued duty.

3. This individual has been directed to BAMC for medical screening. Healthcare providers, in consultation with military and local public health authorities, will determine whether a patient should be tested based on having signs and symptoms compatible with COVID-19, along with level of local community transmission, and an increased exposure risk or potential for severe outcomes IAW guidelines in reference (a).

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Commander