

AMEDD Civilian Corps Chief Msg # 81--Happy Birthday + !!!

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iHola Gang!

Wanted to send out a "Happy Birthday AMEDD Civilian Corps!!" message along with a couple of reminders. (This one will be short..., unlike the one scheduled for next week, so enjoy!)

First, happy 21st birthday to our AMEDD Civilian Corps. Who'da thunk it, we've finally come of age! The Corps Office staff, Julie Brown, Liz Mendez, and I, wish you the very best and want to take this opportunity to say, "Thanx!!" for all you do in support of Army Medicine every single day. It's tough to see sometimes, from moment to moment, the great impact you have on Army Medicine, the Army, and our Nation. I'm blessed to see it frequently as I travel and I can say without reservation that you make me proud to be the Corps Chief. Happy Birthday all!!!

BIRTHDAY VIDEO: Some of you asked if we could do a video for use in celebrations at your locations. It is done. You can find it on the AMEDD Civilian Corps Website using the following link: <https://ameddciviliancorps.amedd.army.mil>. Go to the "What's New" and "Announcements" links.

REMINDERS:

--Nomination deadline for the 3rd Quarter, FY 17, Wolf Pack Award is 5 April. Recognize your Teams of civilians and military working together to achieve excellence for the Army Medicine mission. The application is simple and details are on the AMEDD Civilian Corps website, <https://ameddciviliancorps.amedd.army.mil>, under the "Celebrate Success" link.

--Application deadline for the Intermediate Leader Development Program (ILDLP), which we share with Training and Doctrine Command (TRADOC), is 22 April 2017. Information on the program and how to apply is available on the website at <https://ameddciviliancorps.amedd.army.mil>, under the "What's New" and "Announcements" links. This is a great program and an excellent opportunity. Take time to look to see if it's right for you now or maybe in the future.

So that's it for now, short as promised. In closing, let me remind you, as always, about safety. This time of year families and individuals begin to get "spring fever" with the passing of winter. The days are longer and the weather is nicer so safety concerns turn outside. Bicycle safety is key. Motorcycles come out of the garage with all the safety issues and requirements for those who ride. Kids will be out playing more as well. Again, we know what to do as it pertains to safety and security for ourselves and others. Let's be aggressive about doing the right things for our own safety and that of those we love. It's truly elemental to keeping our Team and our Team's strength in peak form. Think it thru! Thanx.

Sincerely,  
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