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U.S. NAVAL HOSPITAL YOKOSUKA POLICY STATEMENT "TOBACCO USE"

U.S. Naval Hospital, Yokosuka is a tobacco-free campus. We are committed to healthy lifestyles and military readiness. All patients, visitors and staff (including volunteers, local nationals, and contractors) are to refrain from using tobacco products on any hospital property; this includes buildings, parking areas, outdoor areas, and sidewalks. There are no designated tobacco use areas for hospital grounds.

Navy Medicine personnel may not use tobacco products while in the presence of patients or while in uniform when representing Navy Medicine. If a service member travels in support of Navy Medicine mission, this is considered official military duty and all elements of SECNAVINST 5100.13E are applicable.

U.S. Naval Hospital, Yokosuka has joined the Navy Surgeon General in supporting ongoing initiatives to assist all tobacco users in "kicking the habit." Tobacco use is the number one preventable cause of death in the world. Making our hospital grounds completely tobacco-free and offering tobacco cessation resources firmly supports our belief in the health and wellness of our people.

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