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DACOWITS RFI #8

Army – Pregnancy and Parenthood

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Purpose: To provide current information regarding data collection efforts for pregnancy and parenthood.

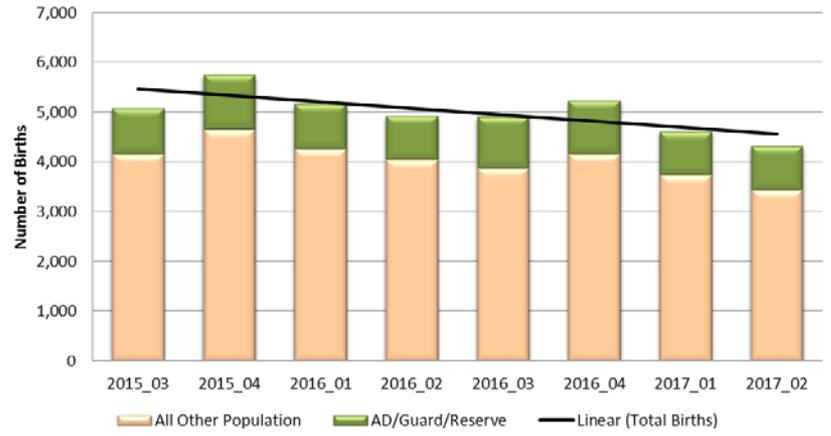
Outline:

1. Pregnancy Statistics
2. Postpartum Breastfeeding Statistics
3. Surveys

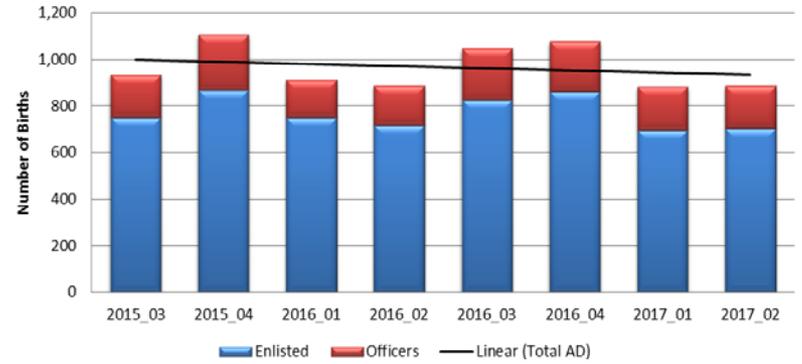
Pregnancy Statistics

- There has been a slight downward trend of the total number of Army female beneficiaries from FY 2015 Q3 to FY 2017 Q2
 - Total number of beneficiaries has decreased by 32K; 5.660M to 5.627M (0.58%)
- Total number of Army Active Duty Females delivering babies has remained constant at 6% of the total number of Army beneficiaries delivering babies
- Of all Army Active Duty Females, the rate of those who delivered babies remained constant at 0.3%
- Active Duty Enlisted population has remained steady 80% of the AD deliveries.

Total Number of Deliveries (Sponsor Army)



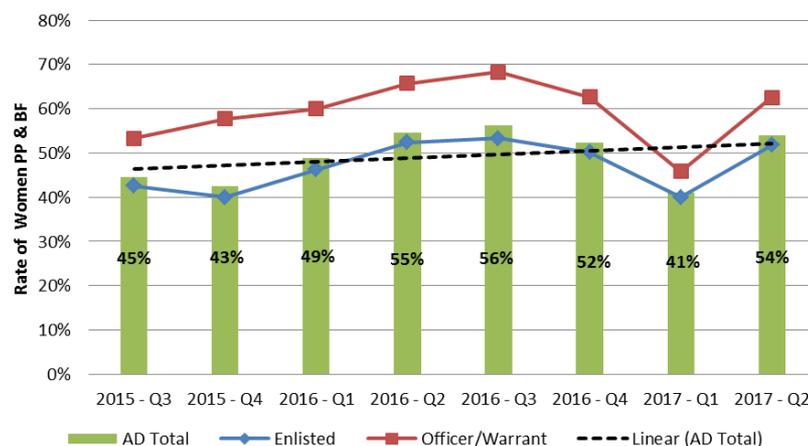
Number of Deliveries to Active Duty Mothers (Sponsor Army)





- There is a slight upwards trend in the number of Postpartum Appointments with a Breast Feeding indicator for MEDCOM
- The overall Rate for BF and PP appointment is 49%
- Officers and Warrant Officers have a greater percentage of BF appointments than Enlisted Soldiers
 - Overall for Officers rate is 60%; slight upward trend
 - Overall for Enlisted rate is 47%; slight upward trend
- This is based upon AD Service Members only

Active Duty Women PP and BF



*M2 CAPER Query for FY15Q3 to FY17Q2



Ongoing Survey

- Pregnancy Postpartum Physical Training (P3T)
 - Pregnant Soldier: complete between 37-40 weeks
 - Postpartum Soldier: complete after postpartum participation in the P3T program prior to returning to the unit for regular Physical Readiness Training

Projected Surveys

- Army Pregnancy Postpartum Physical Training (P3T): A quantitative Outcome Evaluation of Structured Army Pregnancy and Postpartum Physical Training
 - Project Lead: Army Public Health Center
 - Purpose: To determine the effectiveness of the structured Army P3T on quantitative measures of medical and physical readiness
 - Projected June 2017 Initiation

Family Planning and Counseling Services Questions

- NDAA 2017, Section 747
 - DoD incorporation of family planning questions into the 2018 Health Related Behavior Survey regarding experience of members of the Armed Forces with family planning services



Questions



- AR 40-501 Standards of Medical Fitness 22 Dec 2016

http://www.apd.army.mil/epubs/DR_pubs/DR_a/pdf/web/AR40-501_WEB_Final.pdf

- Guide to Female Soldier Readiness,

<https://phc.amedd.army.mil/PHC%20Resource%20Library/TG281finalJuly2010.pdf>

- Army Public Health Center Women's Health Portal:

<https://phc.amedd.army.mil/topics/healthyliving/wh/Pages/default.aspx>

- Performance triad leaders guide:

https://usaphcapps.amedd.army.mil/HIOShoppingCart/Uploads/DownloadableProds/600_Performance%20Triad%20Leadership%20Guide%202015728.pdf

- Women's Health Service Line (WHSL) milSuite:

<https://www.milsuite.mil/book/groups/womens-health-service-line/overview>

- Oral Contraception Policy
- Breastfeeding and Lactation Support Policy-Army Directive (AR) 2015-43
- Maternity Leave Policy-AR 2016-09



Pregnancy Postpartum Physical Training:

- AKO PPPT webpage - <https://www.us.army.mil/suite/page/693153> (CAC required)
- P3T Phase 1 dL Course FY2017 Enrollment -
- <http://phc.amedd.army.mil/Pages/CourseDetails.aspx?CourseID=102>
- P3T Phase 2 Onsite Course FY2017 Enrollment -
- <http://phc.amedd.army.mil/Pages/CourseDetails.aspx?CourseID=103>
- P3T Part 2 Course Request Form -
- <https://ephc.amedd.army.mil/CREG/Onsite/Create>

- Female Urinary Diversion Device:
- <http://phc.amedd.army.mil>