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MEDICAL PERSONNEL
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(19 Jul 44)

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HEADQUARTERS, 2675TH REGIMENT, ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION, (OVERHEAD), APO 394, U. S. Army, 24 July 1944.

TO: Chief Commissioner, Allied Control Commission, APO 394, U. S. Army.
ATT: Establishment Officer.

1. This correspondence is returned without action.

2. Previous correspondence, of which file copies were furnished to the Establishment Officer, took the necessary steps to cancel all outstanding officer requisitions excepting the three noted in the basic communication and one requisition for a dental officer. No action will be taken at the present time on these three outstanding requisitions. Insofar as the requisition for the dental officer is concerned, it is believed that since the health and medical care of United States personnel is a command responsibility, the requisition for the dental officer will remain in force until some action is taken by higher authority.

C. M. PARKIN
Colonel, Infantry
Commanding

2nd Ind.

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ESTABLISHMENTS BRANCH ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION, APO 394. 27 July 1944.

TO: Commanding Officer, 2675th Regt., ACC, APO 394.

1. Request that you cancel the requisition for the Dental Officer previously requisitioned. Attached is a list of medical installations at which dental service is available. Col. Hunt of the 33rd General Hospital states that the hospital is permanently located here and that he would be glad to take care of all ACC American personnel, particularly so since we are also permanently stationed here. 1234

2. Col. Hunt stated that he would prefer to have an officer come out to the hospital and arrange a definite time and days at which times we could be certain of getting dental service. With the known shortage of dental officers, I think that service is a saving of manpower not only for us but for the Dental Corps.

3. I greatly fear that the requisition will not be filled and that we will have to carry this vacancy against our strength from now on. With the urgent need for officers in forward areas I do not believe this requisition can be justified.

JOHN J. ALBRIGHT,
Colonel, Infantry,
Establishments Officer.

Incl: - a/a list

List of Medical Installations at which dental service
can be taken care of

6th Gen. Hosp.....Via Rigacci
12th Gen. Hosp1 mi NE of Rome on Hwy 5
24th Gen. Hosp.....Cavalry Barracks SW of Villa
Saviole
33rd Gen. Hosp.....2 mi N of Vatican
73rd Sta. HospVia Filippo Corridoni
114th Sta..Hosp.....2 1/2 Mi N of Vatican

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REAR HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
APO 394
Public Health Sub-Commission

Establishments
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SUBJECT:- Transfer of Officers.

16 June 1944.

TO :- Regional Commissioners, Regions I to VIII.
(Attention: Regional Public Health Officers).

1. With the rapid advance of the Armies, fresh forward territory is being opened up very quickly.
2. This Sub-Commission is very short of Medical Officers, having a total of only thirty-four including HQ staff.
3. It will be necessary, therefore, to transfer Medical Officers from the rear to forward areas.
4. Regional Public Health Officers of Regions I, II, VI and VII, must now consider the possibility of having to leave their Regions in the near future. They should, therefore, initiate plans to hand over their duties to the Italian authorities.
5. Regional Public Health Officers of Regions III, IV and V should envisage the possibility of drastic reductions in their staffs and take action accordingly.
6. It is becoming increasingly important for Italian officials to resume their administrative responsibilities, and that basic principle should be impressed upon them.

G. S. Parkinson
G.S. PARKINSON, Brigadier,
Director, Public Health Sub-Commission.

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Copy to:- Adm Sec.
Executive Commissioner.
Dr. Vezzoso, c/o Italian Ministry of Interior.
Medical Supply Branch, Public Health Sub-Commission.



REAR HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
APO 394
ADMINISTRATIVE SECTION

ACC/3006/3/PH.

SUBJECT : Medical Officers AMG 8 Army.

TO : Executive Commissioner.

- 1 Reference your L.103 dated 20 May 44, attached is the report of the Director of Public Health Sub-Commission in this matter.
- 2 The following is the strengths of officers in the Regions you mention.

Region I	2 officers (1 allotted to Region IV)
Region II	2 officers
Region VI	2 officers
Region VII	1 officer

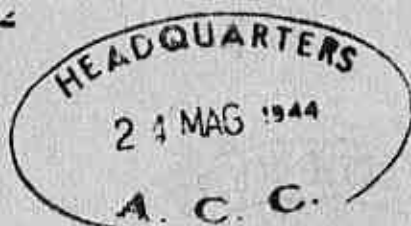
It is not considered feasible at this junction to reduce these Regions further as in the case of Regions I and VII it will leave no medical officer in the Region. Region VI needs two officers (especially in view of the difficulties that have arisen there in the past). Region II requires two officers.

- 3 The posting of another officer (Major C.E. GILL) to AMG 8 Army was requested by Public Health Sub-Commission to to Establishments Branch on 30 Apr and 11 May 44. He was assigned in Orders dated 14 May 44 but has not yet reported. The delay is understood to be occasioned by sickness and he is now due to report on 25 May 44.

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E.O.
Let me have
detailed distribution
of Medical Officers

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R. P. Gifford
for STANEGATE, 17/5/44.
VP Adm Sec.
(Signed in absence on duty).

REAR HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
APO 394
Public Health Sub-Commission

ACC/3006/3/PH

22 May 1944

SUBJECT: - Medical Officers - ACC.

TO : - VP Adm Sec.

1. Reference L.103 dated 20 May from Brigadier Lush, the shortage of medical officers is a constant source of worry to this Sub-Commission. On 15 April a request was made for a total ceiling of 62 instead of 56. No authority has yet been obtained.

2. Lt. Col. Williams is leaving today on a field trip and will endeavour to contact Lt. Col. Farrinacci. Brigadier Parkinson expects to go to AMG 8th Army shortly.

3. Both the Regions and this HQ are now cut to the bone as regards staff of medical officers, while 8th Army has 3 medical officers.

4. Copy of this office letter referred to in Para. 1, inclosed.

G. S. Parkinson
Signature

G. S. PARKINSON, Brigadier
Director, Public Health Sub-Commission.

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Incl:

Copy ACC/3006/3/PH dated 15 April 1944.

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REAR HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
APO #394
Public Health Sub-Commission

ACC/3006/3/PH

15 April 1944

SUBJECT: - Establishments - Sub-Commissions.

TO : - Admin. Sec.

Reference your 4/1.2/AS dated 12 April, this Sub-Commission does not consider the total allocation of 5 to be sufficient. It is of the opinion that a minimal total of 62 is necessary for the adequate operation of the Sub-Commission.

This total of 62 now includes the Malaria Control and Supply Branches which were not included in the original figure.

For Brigadier G. S. PARKINSON:

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Sgd. G. M. Frizelle, Major
Chief, Public Health Branch.

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SUBJECT:- Italian Army Doctors. REAR AMG EIGHTH ARMY

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31 May 1944

HQ. Allied Control Commission
Executive Commissioner Branch

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Copy to:
Administrative Section
M.M.I.A. Eighth Army

Our file
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1. AMG Eighth Army Medical Section requests that six (6) Italian Army Doctors be assigned to AMG 8th Army Medical Section for use in the treatment of civilian sick and civilian battle casualties.

May this matter be treated as urgent please.

P.C. Bente Tamm

Lt.Col., R.A.
G.S.O. I.
for Group Captain,
Officer Commanding,
A.M.G. Eighth Army.

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No Army Doctor
available - civilian
Doctors furnished by
Tappan Sub comm
gives forward
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info copy to Adm Sec

REAR HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
APO 394
Administrative Section

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ACC/3018/PH

4 June 1944

SUBJECT: - Italian Doctors.

TO : - RC & MG Section, ACC, Main HQ.
Attention: Col. Albright.

1. Reference request from AMG 8th Army for six Italian Army doctors, Public Health Sub-Commission has, through the Italian Health Services, procured the help of three civilian doctors.

2. Arrangements are being made direct by Lt. Col. Williams, Deputy Director of the Sub-Commission with the Senior Public Health Officer, of 5th and 8th Armies for their allocation and transport.

3. It is hoped that another three will be available in a few days time.

PH/GMF/ja



R. R. Cripps
R. R. CRIPPS, *cr.*
Colonel,
For VP Adm Sec.

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