

SECURITY ORIENTATION

**Administration and Resource
Management Division
Security Programs and
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PURPOSE

The protection of Government assets, people and property, both Classified and Controlled Unclassified Information (CUI), is the responsibility of all personnel, regardless of how it was obtained or what form it takes.

Anyone with access to these resources has an obligation to protect it.

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You are responsible for becoming familiar with your individual security responsibilities pertaining to your duties while assigned to Headquarters Marine Corps (HQMC).

This security orientation describes the basic security information and common procedures that you should be aware of while assigned to HQMC.

TOPICS

- Check-in and Check-out
- Security Clearance Eligibility & Access
- Continuous Evaluation Program
- Your reporting responsibilities
- Information Security
- Security Violations
- Information Protection
- Information Assurance
- Foreign Travel Procedures
- Antiterrorism/Force Protection
- Physical Security
- Security Training
- Staff Agency/Activity POCs

CHECK-IN



CHECK-IN

All personnel assigned to HQMC must establish a check-in Personnel, Physical, Information and Communications Security System (PPICSS) account through their respective Staff Agency/Activity Security Coordinator.

Personnel assigned to Staff Agencies/Activities that do not have eligibility to access classified information are not authorized to work where classified information is processed and stored.

Security Coordinators will ensure that all required forms are completed within the PPICSS application and submitted to the Security Section.

When the Staff Agency/Activity determines that the contractor is a short or long-term visitor, the contractor must comply with HQMC security regulations. Contractor check-in procedures, are outlined in the HQMC Information and Personnel Security Program (IPSP) SOP Enclosure (6).

CHECK-OUT



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All departing personnel must check-out with their Staff Agency/Activity Security Coordinators.

All departing personnel must read and sign the HQMC Command Debriefing Form, the NATO Briefing Certificate (if applicable).

The Security Termination Statement will be read and signed by all Military personnel that are separating or retiring and by all civilian personnel that are retiring or resigning.

All Military and Civilian personnel will surrender the Courier Card (if applicable), the DoD Badge, the Common Access Card (CAC) (if retiring, resigning or leaving DoD).

Contractor personnel will also surrender the Courier Card Letter (if applicable), the DoD Badge, the Common Access Card (CAC).

All departing personnel will return KSV-21 Card (ECC Card) or any COMSEC Equipment to the Staff Agency/Activity LECO (if applicable).

SECURITY CLEARANCE ELIGIBILITY & ACCESS



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No individual will be given access to classified information or be assigned to sensitive duties unless a favorably personnel security determination has been made. All military, civilian and contractor personnel are subject to an appropriate investigation as required.

Investigation

- Step 1: The PSI: NACI, NACLIC, ANACI, SSBI, PPR, or SBPR.

Eligibility

- Step 2: Favorable eligibility determination granted by DoDCAF.
- **“Eligibility” replaced the old term “clearance”.**

Clearance Access

- Step 3: Granted by HQMC Security Manager, based on valid SF 312, “need-to-know”, completed all required Security Orientation Briefings.

SECURITY CLEARANCE ELIGIBILITY & ACCESS

Your position sensitivity and/or duties will determine your investigation, clearance eligibility, and access requirements.

All military personnel must meet the basic investigative requirement of NACLIC regardless of MOS or citizenship.

All officers must maintain a minimum of secret clearance eligibility based on a NACLIC closed within 10 years.

Clearance eligibility must be met by those in a MOS or billet with an eligibility requirement.

Investigations may not be submitted within 12 months of separation or retirement.

Clearance eligibility does not “expire” unless there is a break in service over 2 years or a security incident resulting in revocation.

SECURITY CLEARANCE ELIGIBILITY & ACCESS

- A clearance upgrade will be requested only when an individual is assigned to a billet that requires a higher level of access.
- TS investigations will only be submitted to OPM for billets coded appropriately in the Total Force Structure Management System (TFSMS) or Military Occupational Specialty (MOS) designated. Contact the AR Division Manpower Analyst at (703) 614-1837 for assistance.
- Employees requiring access to NATO information must possess the equivalent final or temporary U.S. security clearance.
- Periodic Reinvestigations (PR):
 - Top secret/Top Secret (SCI) every 5 years
 - Secret every 10 years
- 30 days before expiration, ARS will send a notification email to the individual when their reinvestigation is due.

CONTINUOUS EVALUATION PROGRAM (CEP)



CONTINUOUS EVALUATION PROGRAM

What it is

- It ensures those granted eligibility remain eligible through continuous assessment & evaluation.
- We must report ANY information that may affect clearance eligibility.

What it's not

- Automatic grounds to terminate employment.
- Automatically revoking eligibility.

Who's it for?

- It applies to ALL contractor, military, and civilian personnel.

Who's responsible for reporting?

- EVERYONE.

What's reported?

- Information pertaining to the 13 adjudicative guidelines, as identified on slide 16.

CONTINUOUS EVALUATION PROGRAM

The program relies on ALL HQMC personnel to report questionable or unfavorable information which may be relevant to a security clearance determination.

Individuals

- Report to Supervisor, Security Coordinator, or HQMC Security Manager & seek assistance.

Co-workers

- Advise Supervisor, Security Coordinator, or HQMC Security Manager.

Supervisors/Leadership

- Recognize problems early; react appropriately to ensure balance maintained regarding individual's needs and national security issues; report to Security Coordinator or HQMC Security Manager.

YOU MUST REPORT:

Allegiance to the
US

Foreign influence

Foreign
preference

Criminal Sexual
behavior

Personal conduct

Financial
considerations

Alcohol
consumption

Drug involvement

Emotional,
mental,
personality
disorders

Criminal conduct

Security
violations

Outside activities

Misuse of IT
systems

NOTE: Combat veterans or victims of sexual assault suffering from Post Traumatic Stress Disorder (PTSD), who seek mental health care will not, in and of itself adversely impact that individual's ability to obtain or maintain their eligibility. **PTSD IS NOT A DISQUALIFYING FACTOR.**

CONTINUOUS EVALUATION PROGRAM

Threats to classified and unclassified government assets can include:

- Insider (military, civilian, and contractor personnel; authorized visitors).
- Criminal and terrorist activities.
- Foreign intelligence services and foreign governments.

What happens after reporting to the HQMC Security Manager?

- HQMC Security Manager submits the report to the adjudicative agency, DoDCAF.
- Staff Agency/Activity Director, Deputy Commandant will make a recommendation to the DirAR, on the basis of all facts, to authorize, withdraw, or suspend individual's access to classified information during the process.
- DoDCAF makes the determination whether to maintain clearance eligibility.

CONTINUOUS EVALUATION PROGRAM

Keys to an effective CEP

- Security education.
- Positive reinforcement to include management support, confidentiality, and employee assistant programs.
- Command involvement & support.
- Proper reporting.

INFORMATION SECURITY



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Classified information or material will only be viewed or processed when adequate protection conditions have been met to prevent any type of compromise.

Classified Information must:

Be under the direct control by an authorized person or stored in a locked security container, vault, secure room, or secure area.

Be processed on approved equipment.

Be destroyed by authorized means:
Cross-cut shredding.
Mutilation.
Chemical decomposition.

Be discussed on secure telephones or sent via secure communications; only discussed in authorized areas.

INFORMATION SECURITY

TYPES OF CLASSIFIED INFORMATION

Classified information can include any of these and must be properly marked:



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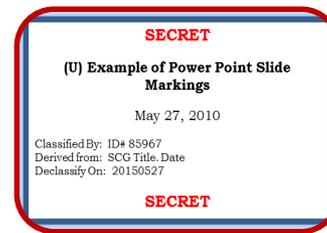
Maps, Photographs



Publications/Manuals



Documents, Reports,
Messages



Briefing/Presentation
slides



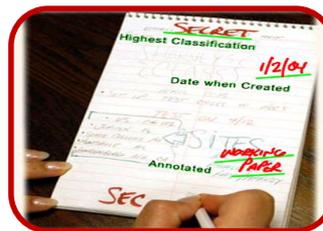
Machinery, Faxes,
Scanners, Tablets



CD, DVD, External
Hard Drives



Blogs, Web pages,
Emails



Working papers



Reproductions

A descriptive guide outlining the proper procedures for marking classified information can be found at: <http://www.archives.gov/isoo/training/marketing-booklet.pdf>.

INFORMATION SECURITY

MARKING

What is marking?

- The physical act of indicating the classification level and material to ensure protection and safeguards are adhered to.

Why is classified information marked?

- Alert holders of the presence of classified information.
- Ensure proper handling controls and special safeguards are adhered to.
- Identifies the office of origin and document originator applying the classification markings.
- Prevent unauthorized disclosure.
- Inform the holders of the level of protection required and duration of classification.

Who is responsible for marking?

- It is the responsibility of the Original Classifier and Derivative Classifier (Action Officers) to properly mark classified documents.

INFORMATION SECURITY

TYPES OF CLASSIFICATION

Original:

- An initial determination that information requires, in the interest of national security, protection against unauthorized disclosure.
- Authority designated by SECNAV authorizing officials to originally classify information at a given level.
- OCA granted by virtue of position held. Authority not transferrable.
- Training required before exercising authority.
- OCAs must have jurisdiction over information they are classifying for the first time and must use 1 or more of the reasons for classification as described in Sec. 1.4 of EO 13526.
- OCA decisions codified in Security Classification Guides.

Derivative:

- The incorporating, paraphrasing, restating or generating in a new form information that is already classified.
- Marking the newly developed material consistent with the classification markings that apply to the source information.
- Receive training every 2 years.
- Observe and respect OCA determinations.
- Observe and respect original markings.
- Carry forward declassification instructions (using the most stringent).
- Use only authorized sources.
- Use caution when paraphrasing.
- Are identified on documents they have derivatively classified.
- List all sources.

INFORMATION SECURITY

AUTHORIZED SOURCES

Security Classification Guides (Prepared by an OCA)

- Identifies exact classification/downgrading/ declassification and special handling caveats.

Properly Marked Source Documents

- Memo, message, letter, email, etc.

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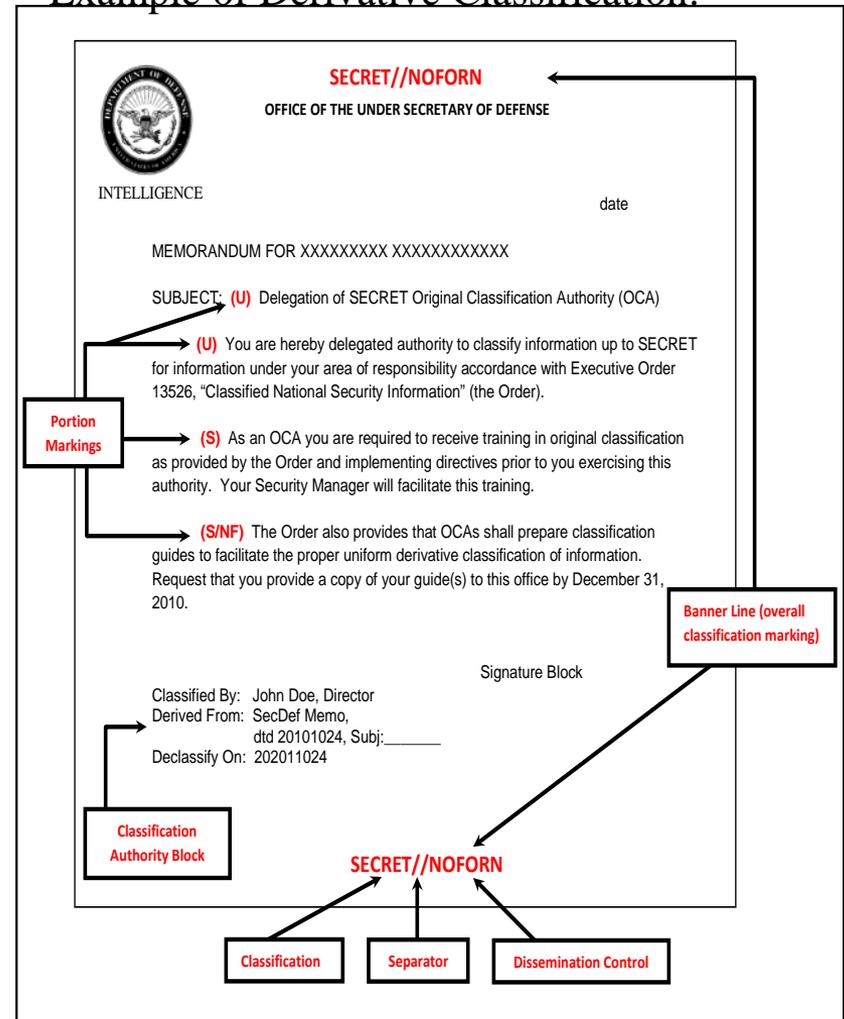
- Conveys applicable classification guidance for contractors on a classified contract.

INFORMATION SECURITY

MARKING REQUIREMENTS

- All classified information shall be clearly identified by electronic labeling, designation or marking. Must bear the following markings:
 - Banner markings must be applied on the top and bottom of all pages to include cover pages.
 - Portion Markings.
 - The Agency and office of origin.
 - Date of origin.
 - “Classified by” for original AND derivatively classified documents; “(Name and Position)”.
 - Reason (original classification only).
 - “Derived from” line for derivatively classified documents; “(Sources must be listed)”.
 - Declassification instructions, YYYYMMDD format.
 - Downgrading instructions, if applicable.
 - Dissemination control notices (front page).

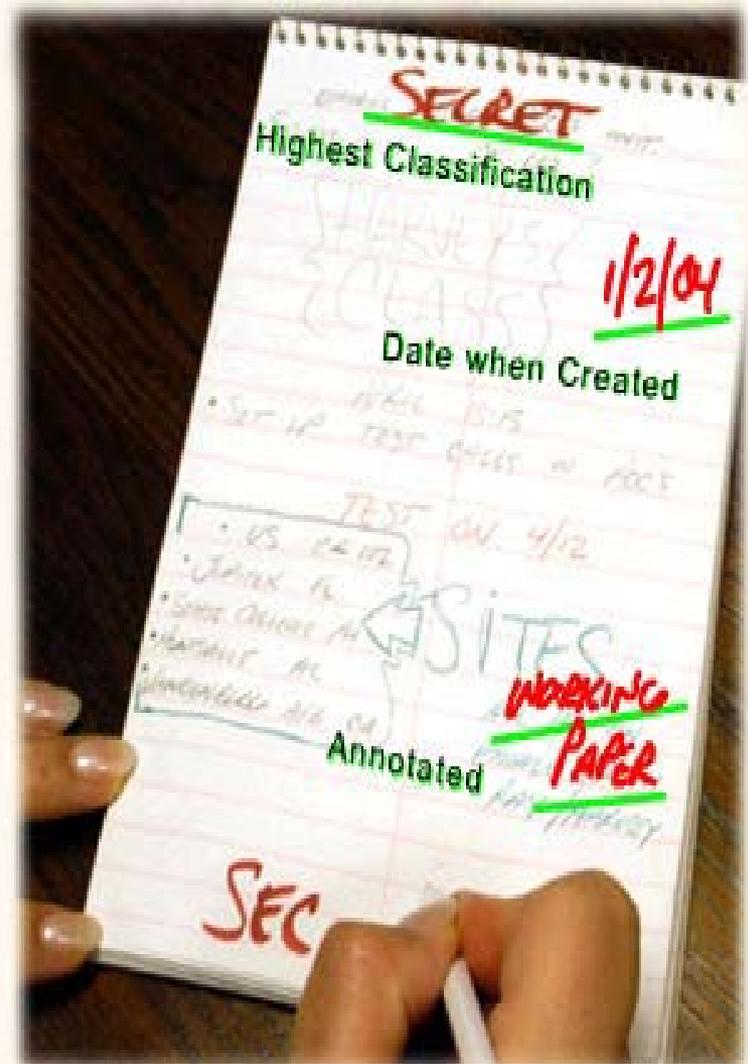
Example of Derivative Classification:



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WORKING PAPERS

- Any notes taken from a training course, brief, presentation, conference, including research notes, rough drafts, and similar items that contain classified information.
- These notes shall be:
 - Marked with Highest Classification.
 - Protected in accordance with the measures required for the assigned classification.
 - Dated when Created.
 - Annotated “Working Paper”.
 - Marked as Final Document:
 - 180 Days.
 - Transferred.
 - Properly destroyed when no longer needed.
 - Properly Transported.
 - Emails are not working papers.
 - All TS “working papers” must be marked and treated as final document.



INFORMATION SECURITY

HANDLING OF CLASSIFIED INFORMATION

Safeguarding During Working Hours:

- Classified document cover sheets (SF 703, SF 704, or SF 705) will be utilized to prevent unauthorized disclosure and enforce Need to Know.
- Protect all classified items regardless of form to security classification level.
- No discussions of classified topics in public or areas that permit interception.
- Do not open or read classified where it can be seen by unauthorized persons.

Hand carrying may be authorized only when:

- The Classified information is not available at destination.
- The information cannot be transmitted by secure means.
- Carried aboard US carrier with courier card and authorized written approval from the HQMC Security Manager.
- Advanced arrangements have been made to store the information at an authorized facility.



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Courier Authorization:

- Appropriately cleared and briefed personnel may be authorized to escort or carry classified material.
- HQMC Security Manager provides written authorization (i.e. DD form 2501-Courier Card, Courier Letter).
- Valid for no more than 2 years.
- Individual should have recurring need.
- Authorization terminated upon transfer, termination, or when escort authority no longer required.

Courier Responsibilities:

- Possess a courier card or courier letter.
- Ensure the recipient(s) have authorized access, need to know, and can properly store the material.
- Ensure material is packaged as described in the HQMC IPSP SOP.
- Courier is liable and responsible for the material.
- Never discuss or disclose classified in public place.
- Never deviate from itinerary.
- Never leave information unattended.
- During overnight stops ensure material is stored at military facilities, embassies, or cleared contractor facilities.

INFORMATION SECURITY

Reproduction:

- Reproduction of classified material (e.g. paper copies, electronic files, and other materials) shall only be conducted as necessary to accomplish the Staff Agency/Activity mission or to comply with applicable statutes or directives.

Removable media:

- The "WRITE" privileges (downloading) to all forms of removable media is prohibited unless waiver was obtained. Removable media is defined as CD, DVD, Tape, Removable Hard-Disk-Drive, etc. Staff Agencies /Activities requiring SIPRNet "Write-To" removable media capability must submit a waiver request via ARS.

Annual clean out:

- All Staff Agencies/Activities who possess classified material must complete a minimum of one annual review and report compliance to HQMC Security Manager no later than 1 December of the current year.

COMPROMISE AND OTHER SECURITY VIOLATIONS



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A security violation is the possible mishandling, loss, or compromise of classified information. Common violations are:

- Electronic spillage, i.e. emailing classified over the NIPRNET; copying classified information on an unclassified copier.
- Unsecure Opens Storage Secret (OSS) rooms and/or security containers.
- Sharing classified information at a meeting with un-cleared attendees.

All security incidents involving classified information require that a Security Inquiry and/or an Investigation be conducted.

- The Security Inquiry or Investigation will be conducted to determine the facts surrounding the possible mishandling, loss, or compromise of classified information/material.

Report all violations IMMEDIATELY to your Staff Agency/Activity Security Coordinator.

INFORMATION/ PERSONNEL PROTECTION



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Operational Security (OPSEC)

- OPSEC is a systematic process used to mitigate vulnerabilities and protect sensitive, critical, or classified information.
- For more guidance contact Staff Agency/Activity Command OPSEC Manager/Coordinator.
- Review the USMC Social Media Guide at:
<http://www.marines.mil/usmc/Pages/SocialMedia.aspx>

Antiterrorism Awareness

- Antiterrorism Awareness Program is in place to reduce the vulnerability to terrorist acts and prevent or mitigate hostile actions against personnel, resources, facilities, and critical information.

Public Affairs (PA)

- Public release of government information must first be approved by the PA Department at:
 - Community Relations (703) 614-1034.
 - Media (703) 614-4309.

INFORMATION PROTECTION

“Controlled Unclassified Information” (CUI)

- CUI must be safeguarded to prevent unauthorized public access.
- Protect IT systems processing CUI from unauthorized access.
- For more guidance consult DoD M-5200.01, Vol 4 and SECNAVINST 5510.34.

Disclosure of CUI to Contractors

- Only by a validated need-to-know, contractors may receive CUI unless otherwise restricted and a DD 2345.
- Do not disclose privately-owned or proprietary information without the owners consent.

“For Official Use Only” (FOUO)

- Is not a classification, it is a statutory marking prohibiting the automatic release of information to the public.
- The USMC uses FOUO when referring to CUI.
- For more information please view:
<http://www.hqmc.usmc.mil/USMC%20PRIVACY%20ACT/Index.htm>

INFORMATION ASSURANCE (IA)



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- Information assurance protects and defends information and information systems by ensuring their availability, integrity, authenticity, confidentiality.
- You must complete in the fiscal year IA training inclusive of threat identification, physical security, acceptable use policies, malicious content and logic, and non-standard threats such as social engineering.
 - Uniformed personnel will complete MarineNet training curriculum "USMC Cyber Awareness Training", MarineNet code (cyberm0000).
 - Civilians will complete all annual cyber awareness training in TWMS. The courses are titled "DOD Cyber Awareness Challenge V1" and "Privacy and Personally Identifiable Information (PII) Awareness Training".
 - Contractor personnel will complete MarineNet training curriculum "Civilian Cyber Awareness Training", MarineNet code (cyberc).

FOREIGN TRAVEL PROCEDURES



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- You must report foreign travel and foreign contacts to your Staff Agency/Activity Security Coordinator.
- All personnel must receive a foreign travel briefing. Personnel can schedule a briefing by contacting Headquarters Battalion, HQMC (S-3 Office), at (703) 614-1471.
- Staff Agency/Activity Security Coordinators are to ensure personnel conducting foreign travel to USCENTCOM, USSOUTHCOM and USPACOM AOR, complete the Isolated Personnel Report (ISOPREP). Questions regarding completion and submission of the ISOPREP can be addressed to PO-SOD at (703) 571-1015, or ARS, at (703) 614-3609.
- Visit <https://www.fcg.pentagon.mil/> for information on what you need prior to travel.
- Visit <http://travel.state.gov/> for passport and other travel guidance.

PHYSICAL SECURITY



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- For “Lock Outs” or when personnel are unable to access an office space, contact Staff Agency/Activity Security Coordinator. For afterhours POC is Mr. Wallace Simms at (703) 919-2447.
- Combination changes for security containers, vaults or rooms (designated for Open Storage) will be changed when first placed in use, when an individual knowing the combination no longer requires access or when the combination has been subjected to compromise.
 - To request assistance in changing a combination you may contact Physical Security Section at (703) 614-2305 or (703) 693-2696.

SECURITY TRAINING



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Derivative Classifier Training

- Personnel who perform derivative classification must complete Derivative Classification Training every 2 years. The training is available at: <http://www.cdse.edu/catalog/information-security.html>

Counterintelligence Awareness

- All HQMC personnel will receive Counterintelligence Awareness briefings, annually. These briefings will be delivered in person by an agent of the Naval Criminal Investigative Service. For class dates and availability contact your Staff Agency/Activity Security Coordinator.

Antiterrorism Awareness Training

- All HQMC personnel are required to complete Level I Antiterrorism Awareness Training annually. Level I Antiterrorism Awareness Training is available at MarineNet code (JATLV10000) or at <https://atlevel1.dtic.mil/at/>

Security Refresher Training

- All HQMC personnel are required to complete Security Refresher Training annually, which reinforces the policies and procedures covered in their initial and specialized training. The Refresher Brief is available at <https://ppicss.hqi.usmc.mil/IPCSP/Home/Home.aspx>.

Additional Training

- Contact your Staff Agency/Activity Security Coordinator for continuous training opportunities for you and your personnel such as short training sessions and online resources.

STAFF AGENCY/ACTIVITY POCS



STAFF AGENCY/ACTIVITY SECURITY POC'S

To contact your staff agency/activity security POC by email please select your agency below:

[Assistant Commandant of the Marine Corps \(ACMC\)](#)

[Administration and Resource Management \(AR\)](#)

[Marine Aviation \(AVN\)](#)

[Command, Control, Communications and Computers \(C4\)](#)

[Counsel for the Commandant \(CL\)](#)

[Commandant of the Marine Corps \(CMC\)](#)

[Director of Marine Corps Staff \(DMCS\)](#)

[Marine Corps Expeditionary Energy Office \(E02\)](#)

[Headquarters Battalion \(HQBN\)](#)

[Health Services \(HS\)](#)

[Installations and Logistics \(I&L\)](#)

[Inspector General of the Marine Corps \(IG\)](#)

[Intelligence Department \(Intel\)](#)

[Staff Judge Advocate to the Commandant \(JA\)](#)

[Manpower and Reserve Affairs \(M&RA\)](#)

[Marine Corps Recruiting Command \(MCRC\)](#)

[Office of Legislative Affairs \(OLA\)](#)

[Office of Marine Forces Reserve \(OMFR\)](#)

[Division of Public Affairs \(PA\)](#)

[Plans, Policies and Operations \(PP&O\)](#)

[Programs and Resources \(P&R\)](#)

[Chaplin of the Marine Corps \(REL\)](#)

[Safety Division \(SD\)](#)

[Special Projects Directorate \(SPD\)](#)

[HQMC Contracting Officer Representative](#)

[HQMC NATO Control Point](#)

Certificate of Completion



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