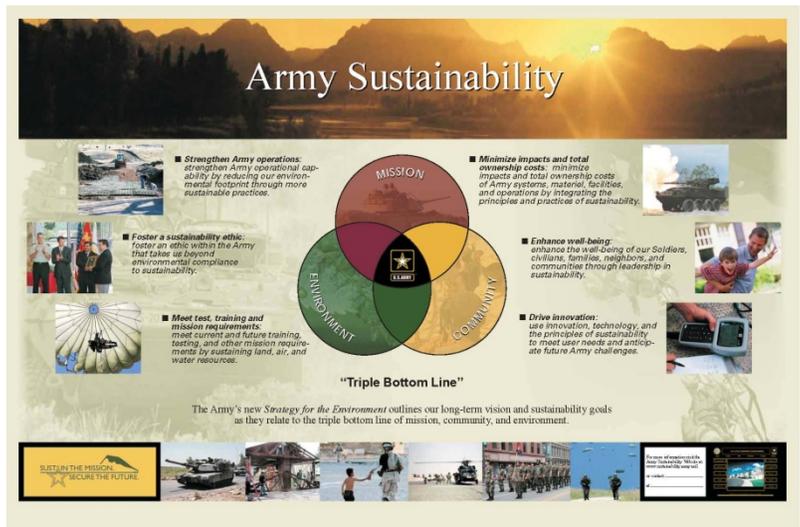


LRS Federal Project Description

MEDCOM Sustainability Management Support, Various MEDCOM Medical Treatment Facilities

LRS Federal provided Sustainability Management support services for the US Army Medical Command (MEDCOM). The focus of this project was to support MEDCOM in implementation of their Sustainability Strategic Plan and in the evaluation of the sustainability program at medical treatment facilities (MTFs) within MEDCOM. This project enabled MEDCOM to sustain readiness, improve quality of life, strengthen community relationships, and help reduce total costs and the environmental footprint of operation and ownership through prioritized, sound environmental and social investments to promote Army sustainability.

The specific tasks implemented under this contract included facilitating MEDCOM Headquarters (HQ) Sustainability Team Meetings; providing strategic communications and promotion of the HQ MEDCOM Sustainability Plan and Program; developing, coordinating, and executing MEDCOM Sustainability Program Rollout Workshops at nine MTFs; conducting an annual survey of MEDCOM MTF sustainability programs and preparing the Annual MEDCOM Sustainability Report; and conducting other sustainability program support that includes MTF site assistance visits, coordination with stakeholders and additional data collection.



LRS Federal provided oversight and management to MEDCOM MTFs to assist with the development and management of a Sustainability Program and Sustainability Team.

The Sustainability Program was developed at MEDCOM MTFs to comply with the Army's Executive Order requiring net zero energy, waste, and water by the year 2020. LRS Federal introduced the Sustainability Teams to the concept of sustainability, the definition of sustainability, and the importance of sustainability to assist the Sustainability Teams with developing and executing sustainability initiatives at their respective MTFs. LRS Federal provided the Sustainability Teams with resources and networking opportunities to develop and expand their Sustainability Program.



LRS Federal supported MEDCOM with revising and reviewing MEDCOM's sustainability balanced scorecard (BSC) and strategy map. In addition, LRS Federal supported MEDCOM's development of their sustainability website. LRS Federal developed and produced conference poster presentations for MEDCOM and prepared articles for inclusion in the Sustainability Focus newsletter.

This project presented logistical challenges trying to locate viable contacts at MTFs to conduct the workshops due to the frequent turnover of military personnel. In addition to the logistical challenges, LRS Federal encountered difficulties gaining interest from the Sustainability Team because they did not understand what the concept of sustainability entailed. LRS Federal was able to locate viable contacts at MTFs to conduct the Sustainability Program Rollout Workshops on schedule and within budget. LRS Federal provided MTFs with read-ahead documents that detailed the concept, definition, and importance of sustainability, thus increasing the Sustainability Team's interest.

