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### **One Mission, Many Nations**

**Highlights from Around the Coalition** 

**SOUTHWEST ASIA** – Across Iraq and Syria, the Combined Joint Task Force – Operation Inherent Resolve, works by, with and through our partner forces to ensure an enduring defeat of Daesh (ISIS). Training, mentoring, advising and assisting are key components for building our Security partners' capacity to defeat Daesh remnants and create regional stability. Highlights from around the Coalition are included below:

- U.S. Navy and German healthcare specialists demonstrate medical procedures
- U.S. Green Berets train partner forces, Maghaweir al-Thowra
- French Col. Oliver Berbain takes command of Task Force Monsabert
- Task Group Taji awards U.S. Army artillery officer with the Australian Bronze Commendation

# U.S. Navy and German healthcare specialists demonstrate medical procedures

U.S. Navy healthcare professionals and German physicians demonstrated the processes they use to efficiently treat patients to healthcare workers from East Emergency Hospital, West Emergency Hospital and the Peshmerga Hospital at Erbil Air Base in the Kurdistan Region of Iraq, March 3, 2020.

The demonstration featured multinational medical care providers, such as surgeons and nurse anesthetists, diagnosing and treating simulated patients.

(Source: Combined Joint Task Force –Operation Inherent Resolve Public Affairs)
<a href="https://www.dvidshub.net/image/6125610/physicians-demonstrate-medical-procedure-local-health-care-workers">https://www.dvidshub.net/image/6125610/physicians-demonstrate-medical-procedure-local-health-care-workers</a>





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### U.S. Green Berets train partner forces, Maghaweir al-Thowra

U.S. Green Berets train partner force soldiers of the Maghaweir al-Thowra (MaT) at al-Tanf Garrison, Syria, March 3, 2020.

The Green Berets showed our partner forces how to quickly fix a firing malfunction on an assault rifle, how to fire while using various forms of cover, the clearing procedures on a weapon and general markmanship techniques.

Coalition Forces and the MaT remain united in a longterm effort to defeat ISIS and counter violent extremist organizations in southern Syria.

(Source: Combined Joint Task Force –Operation Inherent Resolve Public Affairs)
<a href="https://www.dvidshub.net/image/6125019/green-berets-train-atg-partner-force-trainers">https://www.dvidshub.net/image/6125019/green-berets-train-atg-partner-force-trainers</a>





#### French Col. Oliver Berbain takes command of Task Force Monsabert

French Col. Olivier Berbain takes command of Task Force Monsabert, the training pillar of Operation Chammal, from Col. Patrick Lamiral in Bagdad, Iraq, Feb. 18, 2020. The ceremony was presided over by Air Force Brigadier Gen. Stéphane Dupont, Director Combined Joint Task Force - Operation Inherent Resolve Civil-Military Operations and French Senior National Representative, in the presence of numerous Iraqi authorities and the Coalition.

(Source: Op CHAMMAL Public Affairs website)
<a href="https://www.defense.gouv.fr/operations/chammal/breves/chammal-la-task-force-monsabert-change-decommandement">https://www.defense.gouv.fr/operations/chammal/breves/chammal-la-task-force-monsabert-change-decommandement</a>





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## Task Group Taji awards U.S. Army artillery officer with the Australian Bronze Commendation

The Australian and New Zealand Task Group Taji, awarded a U.S. Army artillery officer with the Australian bronze commendation on Feb.15, 2020, for his role in protecting Coalition forces at Camp Taji.

U.S. Army 2nd Lt. William B. Thompson served dual roles at Camp Taji, Iraq, as the Base Defense Operations Center Officer in Charge and as the aerial response force fire support officer.

"As soon as I entered theater I became responsible for providing the Camp Taji Base Commander with intelligence to safeguard the base," Thompson said.

"Task Group Taji opened my eyes to the strategic challenges a coalition environment can have. It was a great place to enable operations to defeat Daesh," he added.

(Source: Australian Department of Defence International News Webpage)
<a href="https://news.defence.gov.au/people/coalition-partner-enjoys-time-task-group-taji">https://news.defence.gov.au/people/coalition-partner-enjoys-time-task-group-taji</a>

