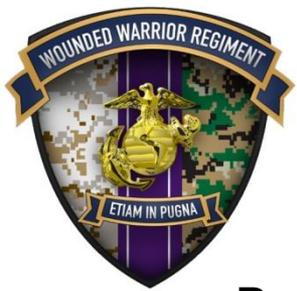




Wounded Warrior Battalion-East



Commanding Officer



Wounded Warrior Regiment



Provides and enables assistance to wounded, ill and injured (WII) Marines, sailors attached to or in support of Marine units, and their family members in order to assist them as they return to duty or transition to civilian life.

Wounded

- IED Blast
- Gunshot

Ill

- Cancer
- Chronic Unresolved Illness

Injured

- Training Accident
- Vehicle Accident

There are many private organizations that strive to help WII Marines and families, but there is only one official U.S. Marine Corps unit charged with providing non-medical care to WII Marines: the U.S. Marine Corps Wounded Warrior Regiment.



The Recovery Mission

It's a relationship, not a process



Providing individualized support through the phases of recovery.



Photo by Dan Gross, *The Gazette*



Stabilization

Rehabilitation

Reintegration

Marines Stay in the FIGHT!

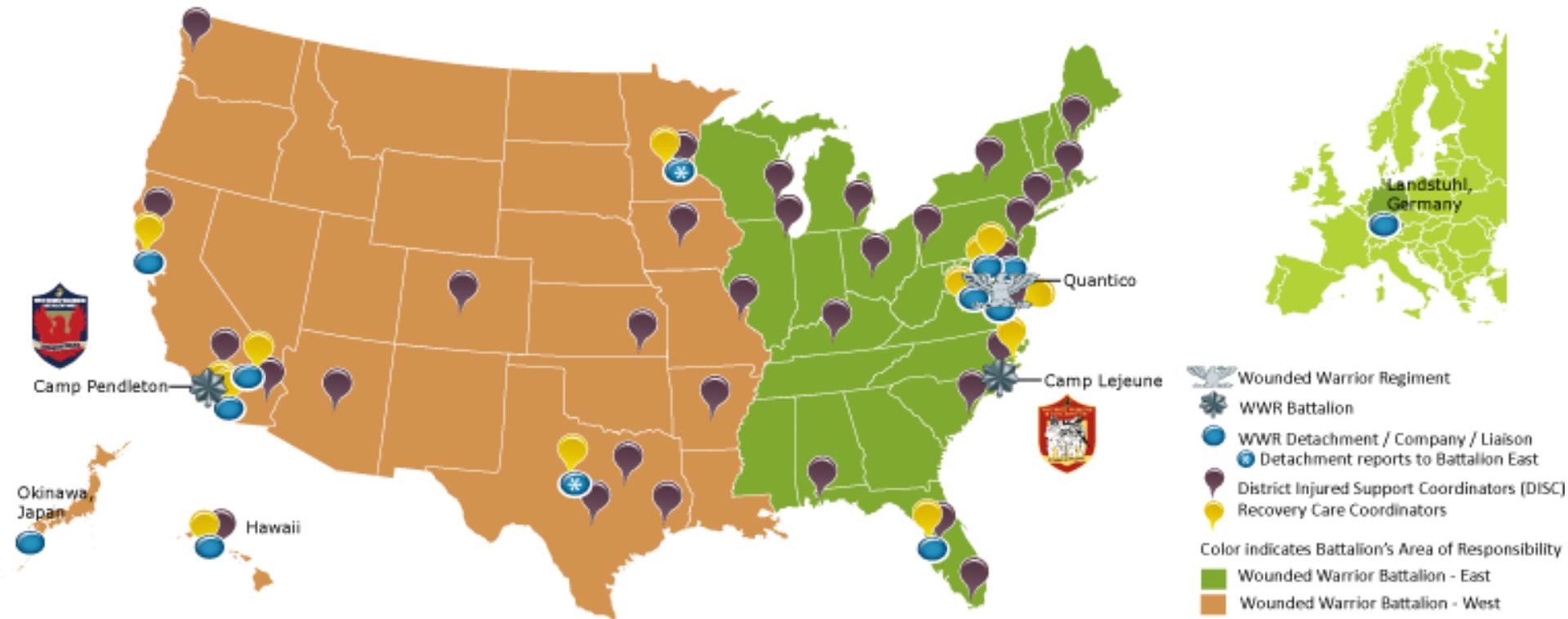


Serving the Total Force

Active Duty, Reserve, Retired and Veteran Marines



Serving our wounded, ill and injured Marines wherever they are located.





Wounded Warrior Battalion - East



MISSION STATEMENT

Wounded Warrior Battalion-East provides [continuous, far-reaching leadership](#) to wounded, ill, or seriously injured Marines and designated Sailors worldwide in order to ensure all wounded warriors and families [successfully transition](#) back to full duty or civilian life.

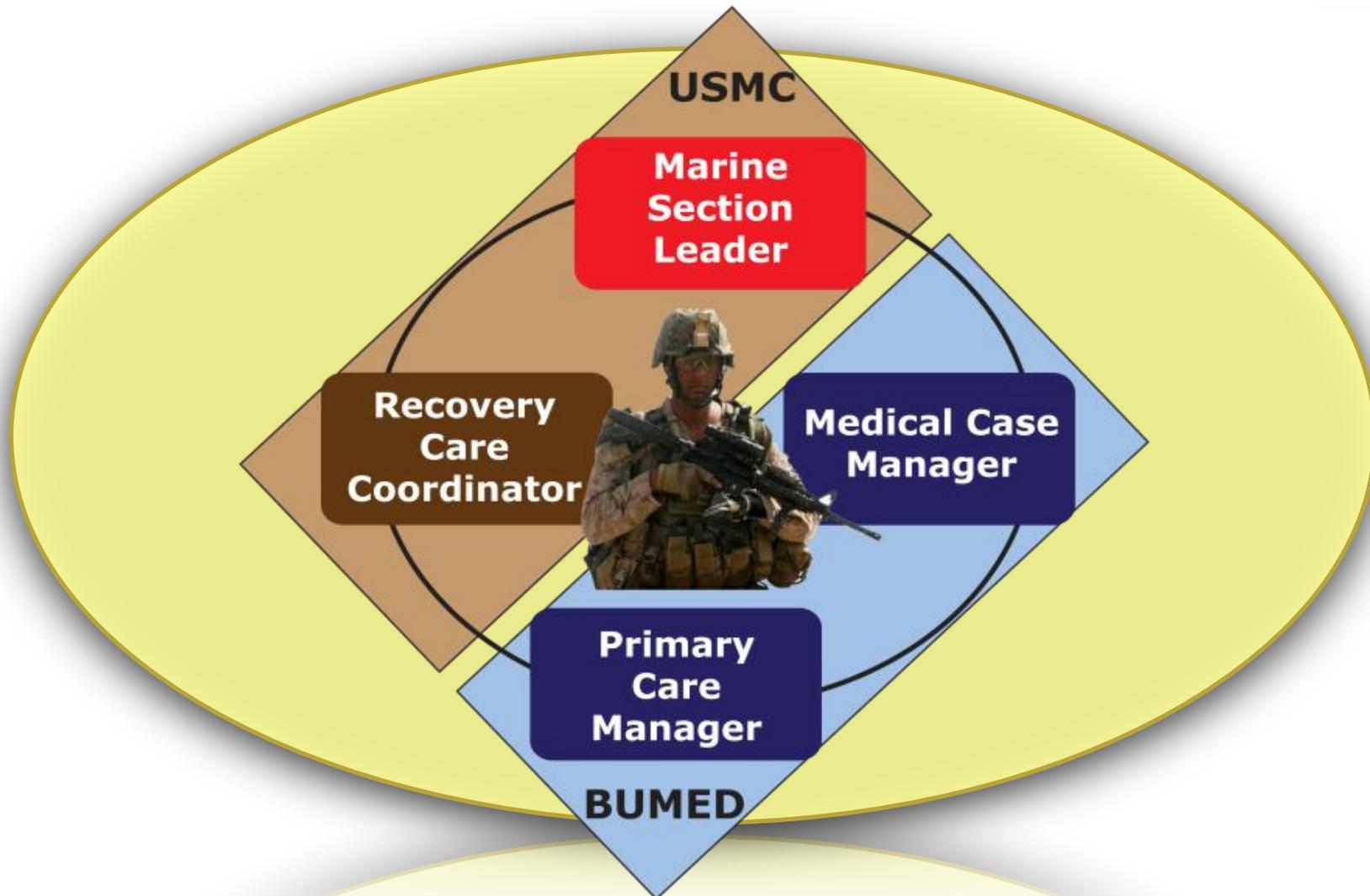
CORE CAPABILITIES

- Accountability
- Medical Case Management
- Family Support
- Transition Support
- Reconditioning Services
- Connecting charitable support to deserving warriors
- Administrative Support
- Installations and environment
- Outreach (identify the problems, solve the problems)
- Training and professional development





The Recovery Care Team





Recovery Care Coordination Program



RCC Primary Duties:

- Develop a Comprehensive Recovery Plan (CRP)
 - ✓ Identify and define goals for recovery and transition
 - ✓ Identify forward-looking action steps to assist the Marine and his/her family in reaching goals
- Coordinate with the Recovery Care Team to improve delivery of care
 - ✓ RCCs work with Section Leaders to ensure the CRP contains the Marine's goals and required action steps
- Educate and encourage the use of services, benefits, entitlements, and resources





Assignment to WWBn-E



- **CMC expressed intent that WII Marines should remain assigned to their parent units, so long as their medical conditions allow and their units can support them.**
 - Assignment to WWBn-E may be appropriate/necessary to ensure the Marine's successful transition through the phases of recovery.
 - Standard considerations for assignment include:
 - Marine's injury will require more than 90 days of medical treatment or rehabilitation.
 - Parent command cannot support transportation requirements to the Medical Treatment Facility.
 - Marine cannot serve a function in the parent command due to injury / illness.
 - Marine has three or more complex medical appointments per week.
 - **Marines are evaluated for assignment on a case-by-case basis according to their medical needs and treatment plans.**
 - Admission is largely based on level of acuity - generally Marines who have long-term medical needs.
 - Assignment can be requested by parent command, medical officer, WWBn-E Detachment OIC, or directed by WWR.
 - **How?:** Unit completion of referral package and submission to WWBn_East_S3@usmc.mil





Warrior Athlete Reconditioning Program



Empowering Marines to draw on their proven warrior skills to persevere and overcome adversity.

- Providing activities and adaptive sports opportunities that reignite the Marine's "spark"
 - Mandatory participation for Marines joined to the WWR
 - Sports / activities are tailored to accommodate Marine's medical condition
 - Building-block approach to reaching ultimate goals
 - Competition builds camaraderie
 - Adaptive sports camps, sporting events, and Marine Corps trials





Resiliency



Expanded Permanent Limited Duty:

- Combat wounded.
- Capable of performing in an MOS
- Fulfill duties within their capability.



<http://www.dvidshub.net/video/318003/commitment>



Transition Assistance

- **Monthly resume clinics conducted by Transition Readiness Seminar, Marine Corps Base, Camp Lejeune**
 - Scheduled by WWBn-E Transition Center
 - Collective and group counseling/assistance
 - Transition pathways (education, employment, entrepreneurship, VoTech)
- **Veterans Foundation (Semper Fi Odyssey) Transition Program**
 - Conducted quarterly near Pittsburgh, PA
 - Hosted by MajGen (Ret) T. S. Jones, USMC
 - Resume building and life skill classes. Mentored by industrial professionals – mock interviews.
- **DON Human Resources visits WWBn-E on a quarterly basis.**
 - One-on-one counseling
 - Job opportunities/interviews
 - Mock interviews
- **WWBn-E Transition Center**
 - One-on-one resume preparation (For civilian employers and Federal employment)
 - Internship/mentorship opportunities
 - Financial Management Counselors

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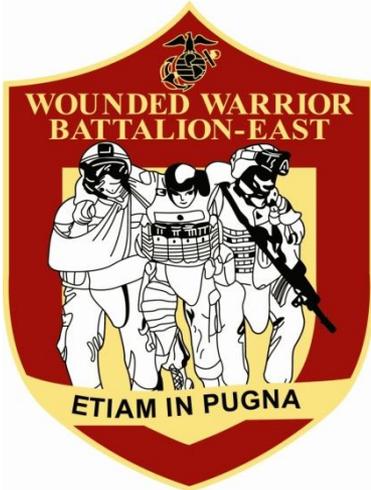
WWBn-E Facilities



Wounded Warrior Complex, Camp Lejeune, NC



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