



ANNUAL TRAINING RESOURCE GUIDE

SELECTED ARNG TRAINING VENUES

Sustainment Training Center (STC) (formerly known as the National Maintenance Training Center (NMTCC))

Location Camp Dodge; Johnston, IA

Mission

The Army National Guard Sustainment Training Center (ARNG-STC) provides collective technical and tactical sustainment unit training and evaluations for units supporting unified land operations. Field maintenance, multi-function logistics, and medical training is focused at section, platoon, and company level collective training using the latest generation of theater-specific equipment, current doctrine, and logistics enabler systems that support the current Army structure. Provides battalion staff training and simulation exercises that focus on leadership training in the Military Decisionmaking Process (MDMP) and mission command operations culminating in a digital command post exercise (CPX). The school house also provides individual technical maintenance instruction to technicians.



Capabilities

General

- The STC located at Camp Dodge Joint Maneuver Training Center (CDJMTC), Iowa serves as the National Guard Bureau's (NGB) National Sustainment Center of Excellence; the STC, in conjunction with Mission Training Complex (MTC) – Dodge, provides collective level training to support battalions (brigade support battalions (BSB) and combat service support battalions (CSSB)), distribution companies, field maintenance companies, support maintenance companies, brigade support medical companies, and infantry brigade combat team (IBCT) forward support companies,
- Soldiers train with current theater end items and the components from the end items,
- The STC campus consists of approximately four acres, including forty-eight heated maintenance bays with heavy overhead lift capability – more than 100,000 square feet of technical maintenance / multifunction logistics training space,
- Subject matter experts (SME) at the STC will evaluate the training in accordance with the Training and Evaluation Outline (T&EO) and applicable Combined Arms Training Strategies (CATS) found on the Army Training Network (ATN),
- The focus of the second week of training would be collective tasks set forth by the commander's Mission Essential Task List (METL) and Key Collective Tasks, and
- Soldier and technician training is augmented with training aides and devices to improve or enhance training in such a way that students learn more about the theory and troubleshooting techniques versus changing parts.



Staff Training

- The STC offers training to support the BCT commander in several areas,
- The BSB and CSSB commander's staff receive training on the MDMP and operation order (OPORD) development and execution,
- In conjunction with the MTC-Dodge staff at Camp Dodge, the battalion staff then executes the OPORD through a CPX,
- Providing training and exercises on the Army Mission Command Systems (AMCS) and related systems; MTC-Dodge trains Soldiers to operate systems critical to the success of Army Sustainment units; these include: Blue Force Tracker (BFT), Tactical Mission Command (TMC) / Command Post of the Future (CPOF), Battle Command Sustainment Support System (BCS3), and the Tactical Ground Reporting System (TIGR), and
- The CPX simulation exercise is designed to foster inter-working relationships and position functionality.





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Multifunction Logistics Training

- Logistics Warriors attending Multifunction Logistics Training receive superb instruction on risk management the day they arrive to ensure all safety measures are in place,
- The dynamic and robust training is available for all Soldiers attending the STC, with a focus on Soldiers who hold the military occupational specialty (MOS) 88M, 89B, 92A, 92F, or 92W,
- All Soldiers attend / conduct after-action reviews (AAR) after every major training event has occurred, which lends itself to a richer learning environment,
- After training is completed, the instructor provides a detailed report of the training conducted with a final AAR distributed to the leadership and forwarded to higher commands, as necessary, and
- Logistic leaders receive instruction on troop leading procedures (TLP), command post (CP) set-up, and standard operating procedures (SOP) development; select Soldiers are trained and certified in hazardous materials (HAZMAT) operations, allowing them to haul ammunition and fuel – an effort to mitigate HAZMAT issues.



Maintenance Company Training

- Whether you are a support maintenance company (SMC) or field maintenance company (FMC), the staff at the STC is prepared to provide your Soldiers with the best possible training on the latest equipment,
- Soldiers will receive hands-on training to enhance both the individual technical skills, as well as the leadership skills necessary to complete the unit's collective training requirements, regardless if the unit is part of the BCT or a sustainment brigade,
- The commander has complete control over setting the unit's goals and objectives upon arrival at the center,
- The staff will orient the training to support the maintenance-related METL, and
- The staff can train all maintenance platoons, sections, and teams in the field maintenance arena regardless of configuration.



Brigade Support Medical Company Training

- While the MOS 68Ws go through the 48-hour sustainment training at the Medical Simulation Training Center (MSTC), the remaining medical personnel perform individual tasks at a medical treatment facility (MTF), working collectively in departments related to their respective MOS,
- The unit collective training evaluation begins with point of injury and Role I tactical combat casualty care (TC3) to evacuation and stabilization at the Role II MTF, and
- The Soldiers will perform hands-on medical training with the use of very realistic, performance-sensitive manikins reacting to the medical treatment being performed.





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Forward Support Company Training

- The STC staff is ready to support your training needs in automotive, ground support equipment, service and recovery, communications and electronics, and armament repair; this support and training are within the latest Army standards for maintenance and logistical management and
- The STC also has excellent opportunities for your distribution platoon; regardless of MOS, opportunities for training are abundant at the STC; based on your mission, training is available for your MOS 88M, 92A, 92F, and 89B Soldiers.



Technician Training (ATRRS School Code 952)

- The STC currently hosts fifteen maintenance training opportunities for ARNG Maintenance Technicians. These courses include –
 - M1A1ED / SA Abrams / M1A2SEPV2 / M2 / M3 ODS-SA, and M2A3 Bradley FOV Technician Maintenance Courses,
 - M88A1 / M88A2 Technician Maintenance Course,
 - MOS 91J Technician Reverse Osmosis Water Purification Unit (ROWPU) and Tactical Water Purification System (TWPS) Repair Course,
 - Wheel Training Program CMF 91 Systems Training, and
 - KALMAR RT 240V2 / V3 Rough Terrain Container Handler (RTCH) Course.



- Technicians that work at various State Maintenance and Training Equipment Sites (MATES), Unit Training Equipment Sites (UTES), Combined Support Maintenance Sites (CSMS), and Field Maintenance Shops (FMS) are eligible to attend these STC courses at Camp Dodge,
- These excellent courses are for technicians with little or no experience working on the aforementioned equipment, or for a technician that just needs some refresher training, and
- None of the technician courses are MOS qualifying or producing.

Training Statistics

- Forty-seven thousand total Soldiers trained,
- Eighty-four units trained per year,
- 5,400 Sustainment Warriors trained per year,
- Fifty-eight technician courses taught per year, and
- 525 technicians trained per year.

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