Gov. Sisolak & DHHS urge Nevadans to join Battle Born Medical Corps

Carson City, NV — Today, the Nevada Health Response Center and Nevada’s Department of Health and Human Services Public Health Preparedness Division joined Governor Sisolak to call on healthcare providers, behavioral health professionals, and health care administrators to join the Battle Born Medical Corps and help expand Nevada’s medical care capacity during the COVID-19 crisis.

On Wednesday, Gov. Sisolak signed Emergency Directive 011, which is aimed at expanding the healthcare workforce to fight COVID-19. This Directive waives certain licensing requirements to allow Nevada to add additional health care workers into our medical system. It will also allow certain doctors, nurses, EMTs, and even medical students to go to work right now caring for COVID-19 patients.

“Our state was born in in the midst of one of our country’s darkest moments, and we rose from those depths to greatness,” Gov Sisolak said Wednesday. “Fighting for our State is in our very DNA – it’s who we are as Nevadans. This is our moment to once again show the world what it means to be Battle Born.”

Those interested in joining the Corps can log onto ServNV.org, an existing website managed by Nevada’s Department of Health and Human Services Public Health Preparedness division.
Navigating the ServNV volunteer registration process for Nevada’s Battle Born Medical Corps

On April 1, Governor Steve Sisolak announced that he signed the Battle Born Medical Corps emergency directive, aimed at expanding our healthcare workforce to fight COVID-19. This Directive waives certain licensing requirements to allow Nevada to quickly bring additional health care workers into our hospitals. It also permits certain doctors, nurses, EMTs, and even medical students to go to work immediately to care for COVID-19 patients.

This document provides you with information on navigating ServNV.org, Nevada’s statewide clearinghouse for volunteer medical providers wishing to serve the many Nevadans requiring medical attention and provide much needed relief to our healthcare workforce. Please follow the below instructions to complete your profile and background check.

1. Visit www.ServNV.org, Nevada’s statewide emergency medical provider volunteer platform. This platform provides the state with the ability to perform your background check and maintain a database of available medical providers who can assist with emergency medical operations.
2. Click on the ‘register now’ button on the right-hand side of the page.
3. The first thing you will be asked to do is Add an Organization.
4. Click “add organization” in the top left-hand corner
   a. Please select “provisional” from the list of options, regardless of whether you are already affiliated with the organization you are electing to serve at.
   b. Hit select on the lower right-hand corner
5. Next, you will be asked to create account information. Enter a username and password.
6. Agree to the Terms of Service and the Privacy Policy
7. Enter your name and address information
8. Enter contact information (email, telephone number)
9. Enter your occupation and occupational status
a. Note that this section includes two occupational types, medical and non-medical. Occupations are listed in alphabetical order.

10. At this point, you are now registered for the State Emergency Registry of Volunteers.
   a. Please take the time to fill out ALL sections listed in your Profile Summary
      i. This includes: Identity; Deployment preferences; contact; occupations; training; skills and certifications; medical history; and the background check.
      ii. Once you have completed all of these sections, they will appear green. This indicates that your profile is now complete.