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MEMORANDUM FOR ALMAJCOM/CV/A1

FROM: AF/A1

SUBJECT: Culture of Responsible Choices (CoRC) Program

Alcohol misuse and illegal drug use is incompatible with AF core values. The misuse of either represents a clear and present danger to AF missions, morale, and discipline. Meeting the challenges these, and other irresponsible behaviors present, requires engagement on many different fronts including employment of innovative science-based solutions.

As a result, the Air Force is introducing a new program aimed at reducing irresponsible alcohol use and illegal drug use prevention. The Culture of Responsible Choices (CoRC) is based on a tremendously successful pilot project at F.E. Warren which all of you have heard about, 0-0-1-3 (representing 0 underage drinking, 0 DUIs, 1 drink per hour, max of 3 drinks per night). CoRC is a commanders program and consists of a four-tiered approach with emphasis on leadership, individual, base, and community-level involvement -- underscoring responsible behaviors

Some of you have already established similar programs and I salute for your proactive efforts. However, CoRC takes a broader view than 0-0-1-3 and includes a wide range of human behaviors that impair mission readiness. In addition to alcohol and drugs, it can include other components, such as tobacco use, fitness deficiencies (diet and exercise), gambling, and failure to follow safety and injury prevention guidelines. It can be tailored to local variables and I encourage you to establish a program that will have the most impact possible at your installation.

Therefore, if you have not already done so, a cross-functional working group needs to be established within your Integrated Delivery System (IDS) team, reporting to your Community Action Information Board (CAIB) to design a CoRC program that best fits your installation. The attached CoRC CONOPS defines the road ahead. Please identify your CoRC action officer to the AF IDS Chair, Lt Col Steven Torgerson, (202) 767-4577 NLT 6 Mar 06.

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Roger A. Brady", is positioned above the typed name.

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Attachment

1. CoRC CONOPS