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Heidelberg hospital holds safety stand-down

Employees to peruse training stations

HEIDELBERG – The U.S. Army Medical Department Activity – Heidelberg (HMEDDAC) holds its fourth annual safety stand-down from 7 a.m. to 3 p.m. Oct. 25, at Nachrichten Kaserne in Heidelberg. Throughout the day, hospital employees will rotate from one training station to the next. At 2:50 p.m., Col. Kyle Campbell, hospital commander, will address all participants in the Wilson Theater on Nachrichten Kaserne.

In addition to hospital staff, representatives from ADAC, Heidelberg Polizei, and the Heidelberg Garrison Fire Department will be available.

Training stations include cold weather injury prevention, security, driver orientation and accident avoidance, medical equipment safety, patient safety, automobile occupant safety, composite risk management, infection control and hand hygiene, and HAZMAT orientation. Heidelberg Polizei will have vehicle inspection briefings, and ADAC will have its rollover simulator. Heidelberg Fire Department will conduct fire extinguisher safety demonstrations.