TBI External Advisory Subcommittee Report 15 December 2008

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TBI Subcommittee Meeting

- September 22-23, 2008
- Tour of NNMC
- Presentation on PTSD research by COL Charles Hoge
- Deployment-Related Health Assessments and TBI Screening

IED: Improvised Explosive Device

TBI Subcommittee Workgroup Meeting December 11-12, 2008

- Site visit of Fort Carson Soldier Readiness Center – COL H. Terrio
- Drs. Langlois, Iverson and Kelly
- Guests: COL David Orman and Lisa Brenner PhD
- DHB staff CDR Ed Feeks

Future Issues

- To advise re: TBI research priorities
- Request info re: financial liability for Dx of TBI
- Open discussions re: Acute Stress Disorder and PTSD
- Inquire as to use of Electronic Medical Records, data gathering in theatre
- Update on Military Acute Concussion Evaluation (MACE)

Future Issues

- Computerized Neuropsychological Testing
- Joint Theatre Trauma System: The Identification of mTBI and Care in Theatre
- Psychological Health and TBI Research
- Organizational Structure of Related Military TBI Programs
- Advisory input to the National Intrepid Center of Excellence

Thank You

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