

BASE CLOSURE ACCOUNT 2005

**FY 2009 Supplemental Request
Department of Defense Base Closure and Realignment Account (BRAC) 2005
National Capital Region BRAC**

	<u>FY 2008</u>	<u>FY 2009</u>	<u>FY 2009</u>	<u>FY 2009</u>
	<u>Actuals</u>	<u>Request</u>	<u>Bridge</u>	<u>Remaining</u>
II. <u>Force Structure Summary:</u> N/A				
III. <u>Financial Summary (\$ in Thousand)</u>	415,910	263,300		263,300
Fort Belvoir MILCON		55,000		55,000
Bethesda MILCON		198,200		198,200
Bethesda O&M		10,100		10,100
A. Subactivity Group -				
1. Fort Belvoir Community Hospital, VA	197,000	55,000		55,000

Additional funding is needed to enhance and accelerate by nine months the completion of the Fort Belvoir Community Hospital in Virginia to relocate all primary and specialty patient functions from Walter Reed Army Medical Center, Washington, D.C. This funding will ensure state-of-the-art care to casualties, warriors in transition, their families and other beneficiaries for this facility.

A. Subactivity Group -				
1. Walter Reed National Military Medical Center, MD	218,910	208,300		208,300

An additional \$208.3 million (\$198.2 million Construction and \$10.1 million Operation and Maintenance) is needed in FY 2009 to enhance and accelerate by eight months the completion of the Walter Reed National Military Medical Center, Maryland. This will enable relocation of all tertiary (sub-specialty and complex care) medical services to National Naval Medical Center, Bethesda, MD

from the Walter Reed Army Medical Center, Washington, D.C. establishing the Bethesda facility as the Walter Reed National Military Medical Center Bethesda, MD. This funding will enable the completion of facilities essential to supporting healthcare for approximately 350 personnel in Warrior in Transition Units (WTU) at Bethesda. These warrior care related facilities will house essential command and control, primary care and case management for Warriors in Transition to establish and enhance conditions for healing and to promote the timely return to the force or transition to civilian life. This funding will also ensure that casualties, warriors in transition, their families and other beneficiaries receive state-of -the-art care, fully aligned with private sector standards of care. The Operation and Maintenance funds are to be used to support outfitting of the constructed facilities.

The FY 2009 President's Budget request included \$464.3 million to implement BRAC 2005 Recommendation #169; the Department requests an additional \$263.3 million in FY 2009 to accelerate and enhance the medical facilities at the Walter Reed National Military Medical Center, Bethesda, MD and Fort Belvoir Community Hospital, VA to achieve, as expeditiously as possible, the goal of world-class and state-of-the-art healthcare for Soldiers, Sailors and Airmen and their families.