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ProPEL 2026

Promoting Professional Engagement Among Military Medical Laboratories for Warfighter Success

Save the Date!

Join us at VelocityTX for an exciting opportunity to explore cutting-edge research from our local military medical laboratories. This science event is designed to foster collaboration and innovation in military medicine.

Location: VelocityTX – 1305 E. Houston St. San Antonio, TX 78205

Date: Monday, May 18, 2026 1:00-4:30 CST, followed by networking 4:30-6:00

Event Highlights:

- **Networking Opportunities:** Connect with military medical professionals at a pre-AIM event
- **Innovative Research Presentations:** Discover the latest advances in military medicine in two (2) exciting poster sessions
- **Collaboration:** Engage with peers to shape the future of military medicine

Registration: [ProPEL 2026 Attendance Registration Form](#)



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Abstract Submission Request!

You are cordially invited to submit your poster abstract for consideration at **ProPEL 2026**.

Submission Deadline is Monday, April 6, 2026

Please submit the form at [ProPEL 2026 Abstract Submission Form](#)

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Poster Abstract Guidelines:

- Abstracts may not exceed 3,000 characters (approximately 500 words)
- Abstracts must contain the following sections:
 - Background, Objective, Methods, Results, and Discussion/Conclusion
- Maximum three (3) submissions per Principal Investigator
 - Team member may present research if selected
- Must be a completed study
- Previously submitted material (within 24 months) accepted

ProPEL 2026 – Additional Information

Relevant Dates:

Abstract submission opens: Friday, March 6

Abstract submission deadline: Monday, April 6

Presenters notified: Monday, April 13

Publication Clearance/Public Affairs Office approvals due: Wednesday, May 13

Event Date: Monday, May 18

Submitted projects must have a relevant regulatory (Institutional Review Board, Institutional Animal Care and Use Committee, etc.) review and approval or appropriate determination.

Accepted abstracts will be provided poster size and format information with notification of selection.

All submission information must be provided in the submission form ([ProPEL 2026 Abstract Submission Form](#)). Attachments and email submissions will not be considered.

Attendees, including selected presenters, must register at [ProPEL 2026 Attendance Registration Form](#).

Contact Information:

Have questions? Please email dha.ncr.research-and-eng.mbx.r2sc-sa@health.mil

ProPEL 2026 Topics of Interest:

- Artificial Intelligence in Military Clinical Decision-Making
- Airway Injury and Research
- Amputees, Traumatic Amputation, Prosthetics, Orthotics
- Biomedical Instrumentation, Robotics, Sensors, and Smart Diagnostics for Military Use
- Burn Injury and Research
- Dental Research Innovations for Operational Readiness
- Environmental Exposures in Military Populations
- Health Innovations and Emerging Technologies in Military Medicine
- Human Performance, Sleep Medicine, and Warfighter Deployability
- Infectious Disease Prevention and Management
- Innovations in Military Space Medicine
- Innovations in Naval Medicine
- Military Medical Research in Organ Support & Automation Technologies
- Military Medical Research in Wound Care
- Military Mental Health Care
- Neurotrauma/Traumatic Brain Injury and Recovery
- Nursing Research and Innovations Supporting the Warfighter
- Pain and Sensory Injury in the Warfighter
- Pain Research and Alternative Therapies for Military Use
- Precision Medicine, Bioinformatics, and Artificial Intelligence for Operational Readiness
- Regenerative Medicine Research
- Trauma Research – Craniofacial Injury, Hearing, Ocular
- Trauma Research – Hemorrhage and Vascular Dysfunction
- Wound Healing and Functional Restoration