



Personnel

COMBAT ARMS MAINTENANCE (CATM) AND TRAINING

COMPLIANCE WITH THIS INSTRUCTION IS MANDATORY

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This Instruction in conjunction with the 452 AMW Small Arms Training Plan (SATP) defines the responsibilities and policies for the management of the Combat Arms Training and Maintenance (CATM) Program within the 452 AMW and subordinate units in accordance with AFI 36-2226, *Combat Arms Training and Maintenance Program*.

1. Responsibilities.

1.1. Unit Commander will:

1.1.1. Review the 452 AMW Small Arms Training Plan (SATP) with changes, as required, to ensure command program support within the unit.

1.1.2. Review and take necessary action on failure to utilize training quota(s) as required.

1.1.3. Review and take necessary action on failure to qualify during small arms training as required.

1.1.4. Ensure timely compliance with all required program reports.

1.2. Unit ancillary training personnel will:

1.2.1. Review and comply with all requirements for the 452 AMW SATP, with changes.

1.2.2. Maintain records within the unit to reflect the most current small arms training qualification status.

1.2.3. Ensure that the unit commander is informed of the current program status.

1.3. CATM Superintendent/NCOIC will:

1.3.1. Write and maintain the 452 AMW SATP.

1.3.2. Semiannually provide units a request for required small arms training.

- 1.3.3. Print and distribute SATP to all affected units semiannually. Provide a copy of this schedule to 452 MSS/DPMPT to publish in wing training bulletin.
- 1.3.4. Review, schedule, and distribute out-of-cycle training requests.
- 1.3.5. Provide training and schedule CATM personnel to inspect and repair 452 AMW mobility weapons.
- 1.3.6. Prepare, review, approve, and distribute weapon inspection reports to affected units.
- 1.3.7. Monitor all weapon inspection reports requiring unit corrective action, to include: follow-up inspections, corrective action, and documentation reports.
- 1.3.8. Prepare and forward failure to utilize training quota letters to unit commanders.
- 1.3.9. Provide units (upon request) copies of AF Form 710, Ground Weapons Training Record, to update their records.
- 1.3.10. Establish and publish procedures for transporting weapons to and from the Security Police Base Consolidated Armory

2. Range Facility Criteria.

- 2.1. All requirements as called for in AFI 36-2226, Combat Arms Training and Maintenance Program Management (responsibilities, range criteria, weapons maintenance policy, and procedures) are that of the host Wing CATM.
- 2.2. As required, 452 AMW CATM Superintendent will conduct a range facilities inspection.
- 2.3. During UTAs, as required, perform minor range equipment repair, and secure all facilities.

3. Weapon Inspection Criteria: The 452 AMW CATM section is responsible for the semiannual and annual inspection and maintenance of 452 AMW assigned weapons.

3.1. Inspections:

3.1.1. 452 AMW CATM Section will:

3.1.1.1. Upon request from units, schedule, inspect, prepare, and forward reports for all 452 AMW unit weapon inspections in accordance with AFM 36-2227 V1, *Combat Arms Training And Maintenance (CATM) Training Management And Range Operations*, AFM 36-2227 V2 *Combat Arms Training and Maintenance Rifle, Handgun, Shotgun, Grenade Launcher, M72 Light Antitank Weapon, Submachine Gun and M249 Squad Automatic Weapon Training*

Programs, AFM 36-2227 V3 Combat Arms Training And Maintenance M60 Machine Gun, Mk 19 40mm Machine Gun, And M2 .50 Caliber Machine Gun Programs and AFI 36-2226.

3.1.1.2. Forward all inspection reports to unit commanders with copies to 452 SPS/SPC.

3.1.1.3. Maintain status of weapons inspection to include, but not limited to, the following:

3.1.1.3.1. Number and type of weapons by unit.

3.1.1.3.2. Number of weapons inspected and date of inspection.

3.1.1.3.3. CATM man-hours expended during inspection.

3.1.1.3.4. Report suspense status and compliance.

3.2. Inspection Time Frame:

3.2.1. 452 AMW CATM will make every attempt to complete the weapons inspection during the work week.

3.2.2. CATM Superintendent will schedule with the concerned units.

3.2.3. Each unit will make every attempt to accommodate this scheduling in order to allow maximum training on the UTA weekends.

3.2.4. CATM Superintendent will use annual tour or mandays to accomplish this task when available.

3.3. Report suspense will be:

3.3.1. All units must acknowledge receipt of weapons inspection report not later than ten days after the first scheduled UTA (following date of report) to the 452 AMW CATM Superintendent.

3.3.2. All units must endorse the report listing corrective action and request for follow-up inspection (if required). This endorsement must be submitted within 30 days (or on the next scheduled UTA following the UTA in (a) (above) to the CATM Superintendent.

3.3.3. Maintenance:

3.3.3.1. All units will:

3.3.3.2. Be responsible for operator (individual) maintenance for all assigned weapons. This maintenance is in accordance with AFI 36-2226.

3.3.3.3. When maintenance needs are identified during operator/CATM scheduled inspections, you must coordinate with CATM personnel to schedule.

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