Force Support

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Force Support FCB

- New Functional Capability Boards (FCBs) were directed to stand up in March 2008
 - Three new FCBs included Force Support, Building Partnerships, and Corporate Management & Support
 - Force Management and Joint Training FCBs were directed to stand down
- Force Support Tier 2 Joint Capability Areas (JCAs) include:
 - Force Preparation
 - Force Management

 - Human Capital Management
- Health Readiness

Installations Support

Principal Deputy Director for Force Management, J8 is the Chair of the FS FCB

Force Support as a Capability Area

- Force Support is not a 'natural' capability area
 - DoD is not organized with a 'Force Support' office or structure
 - Capabilities under Force Support are managed in disparate offices within the Joint Staff and OSD
 - Health Readiness OSD(Health Affairs) and Joint Staff/J4
 - Installations OSD (Installations & Engineering)
 - Human Capital Management OSD (Personnel & Readiness) and Joint Staff/J1
 - Force Preparation OSD(P&R) and Joint Staff/J7
 - Force Management OSD(P&R) and Joint Staff/J8

Force Support Tier 2 & 3 JCAs

Force Management

- Global Force Management
- Force Configuration
- Global Posture Execution

Force Preparation

- Training
- Exercising
- Educating
- Doctrine
- Lessons Learned
- Concepts
- Experimentation

Human Capital Management

- Personnel & Family Support
- Personnel Management

Health Readiness

- Force Health Protection
- Health Care Delivery
- Health Service Support

Installations Support

- Real Property Life Cycle Management
- Installation Services

Force Support Portfolio Includes:

- Force Management
 - Force Sufficiency effort
 - GFM-Data Initiative
 - Defense Readiness Reporting System (DRRS)
- Force Preparation
 - Equipping the Reserve
 - COCOM Joint Training and Exercise Engagement
 - Language and Cultural Awareness Training
- Human Capital Management
 - Support to Families
 - Mil-Civ Conversions
 - Grow the Force Initiatives
 - COCOM Manpower Review

- Health Readiness
 - TRICARE Benefit Reform
 - Healthcare Facility Recapitalization
 - Wounded Warrior
- Installations Support
 - Facilities Sustainment / Modernization
 - BRAC
 - Rebasing

Where Technology Can Help

- Language Translation
- Training Simulation (individual and collective)
- Medical Care
 - Need to reduce health care cost growth while improving ability to deliver care
- Global Force Management Visibility
 - Personnel
 - Equipment
 - Organizations
- Facilities Sustainment E.G. Energy Efficiencies

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