

**805D-56A-7006**  
**Analyze The Impact Of Religion On Operations**  
**Status: Approved**

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**Conditions:** The digital battalion battle staff is conducting combat or preparing to conduct combat operations or is operating in a normal peacetime environment at a normal state of readiness. You have access to data and support from the S-2 and S-5. This task should not be trained in MOPP 4.

**Standards:** Identify religious practices and traditions in your unit's area of operations and analyze the possible impact they might have on your area of operations to provide the commander with sufficient information so that appropriate decisions on command policies can be made.

**Special Conditions:** None

**Safety Risk:** Low

**MOPP 4:** Never

**Task Statements**

**Cue:** None

**DANGER**

None

**WARNING**

None

**CAUTION**

None

**Remarks:** None

**Notes:** None

## Performance Steps

1. Determine the religion or religions of the host country.
  
2. Research the religious practices and traditions within the religions of the host country; request information from other chaplains in the armed forces of the host country; confer with host nation religious and community leaders when permissible and expedient.
  
3. Coordinate all information with S-5 (Civil Affairs Officer).
  
4. Develop resource packet on country situations.
  - a. Descriptions of primary religious groups and organizations, the principal religious beliefs, practices, and traditions of each, and how they may impact the mission.
  
  - b. Names and location of important religious sites or shrines.
  
  - c. A list of religious sites and shrines which should be avoided while in the area of operations.
  
  - d. Establish guidelines for promoting positive relationships with religious leaders of the host country and harmonious interactions with members of their religious groups.
  
5. Prepare an information briefing for the commander.
  - a. Include your analysis of the possible impact of religion in the unit's area of operations.

(Asterisks indicates a leader performance step.)

**Evaluation Guidance:** Soldiers should be evaluated based on their ability to perform the tasks in accordance with the performance measures listed. Soldiers who miss any performance measure should be retrained and reevaluated.

**Evaluation Preparation:** None

PERFORMANCE MEASURES	GO	NO-GO	N/A
1. Determined the religion or religions of the host country.			
2. Researched the religious practices and traditions within the host country and specifically the unit's area of operation.			
3. Coordinated all information with S-5.			
4. Developed a resource packet on country religious situation.			
5. Briefed the commander on your analysis of the impact of religion.			

### Supporting Reference(s):

Step Number	Reference ID	Reference Name	Required	Primary
	AR 165-1	Army Chaplain Corps Activities	Yes	No
	ATP 1-05.03	RELIGIOUS SUPPORT AND EXTERNAL ADVISEMENT	Yes	No
	FM 1-05	Religious Support	Yes	No
	JP 1-05	Religious Affairs in Joint Operations	Yes	No

**TADSS :** None

**Equipment Items (LIN):** None

**Materiel Items (NSN) :**

Step ID	NSN	LIN	Title	Qty
No materiel items specified				

**Environment:** Environmental protection is not just the law but the right thing to do. It is a continual process and starts with deliberate planning. Always be alert to ways to protect our environment during training and missions. In doing so, you will contribute to the sustainment of our training resources while protecting people and the environment from harmful effects. Refer to the current Environmental Considerations manual and the current GTA Environmental-related Risk Assessment card. Environmental protection is a continual process. Always be alert to ways to protect our environment and reduce waste.

**Safety:** In a training environment, leaders must perform a risk assessment in accordance with ATP 5-19, Risk Management. Leaders will complete the current Deliberate Risk Assessment Worksheet in accordance with the TRADOC Safety Officer during the planning and completion of each task and sub-task by assessing mission, enemy, terrain and weather, troops and support available-time available and civil considerations, (METT-TC). Note: During MOPP training, leaders must ensure personnel are monitored for potential heat injury. Local policies and procedures must be followed during times of increased heat category in order to avoid heat related injury. Consider the MOPP work/rest cycles and water replacement guidelines IAW FM 3-11.4, Multiservice Tactics, Techniques, and Procedures for Nuclear, Biological, and Chemical (NBC) Protection, FM 3-11.5, Multiservice Tactics, Techniques, and Procedures for Chemical, Biological, Radiological, and Nuclear Decontamination. Everyone is responsible for safety. A thorough risk assessment must be completed prior to every mission or operation.

**Prerequisite Individual Tasks :** None

**Supporting Individual Tasks :**

Task Number	Title	Proponent	Status
805D-211-3319	Manage Information Flow for the Brigade Unit Ministry Team	805D - Chaplain (Individual)	Approved

**Supported Individual Tasks :**

Task Number	Title	Proponent	Status
805D-207-8114	Analyze the Mission Impact of Indigenous Religions	805D - Chaplain (Individual)	Analysis

**Supported Collective Tasks :** None

**ICTL Data :**

ICTL Title	Personnel Type	MOS Data
Chaplain Captains Career Course (C4)	Officer	AOC: 56A
AOC 56A, Chaplain	Officer	AOC: 56A