

(Announcement)

Japan-U.S. Special Medical Exercise

The JMSDF conducted a special medical exercise with the U.S. Navy (USN) as described below.

1. Objectives

- (1) To improve cooperation procedures between JMSDF and USN
- (2) To improve the capability to respond to injuries (triage, treatment, transport and medical activities)

2. Date

December 13

3. Place

JSDF Yokosuka hospital and USN Medical Readiness and Training Command (USNMRTC)
Yokosuka

4. Participating units

- (1) JMSDF: Headquarters Yokosuka District, JSDF Yokosuka hospital, and Medical Service Unit Yokosuka
- (2) USN: USNMRTC Yokosuka

5. Numbers of participants

- (1) JMSDF: Approx. 70
- (2) USN: Approx. 40

6. This exercise has been conducted since 1996, and this is the 25th time.



JMSDF and USN personnel conducting injury treatment training



JMSDF and USN personnel during transport training