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Change of Command

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PORTSMOUTH, Va. – Capt. Kim Shaughnessy-Granger will become the 81st commander of Navy Medicine Readiness and Training Command (NMRTC) Portsmouth in a change of command ceremony on Friday, July 11, 9 a.m. at NMRTC Portsmouth.

Shaughnessy-Granger relieves Capt. Brian Feldman, who has commanded the medical center since April 2023.

Rear Adm. Robert Hawkins, Commander, Naval Medical Forces Atlantic/Director, Defense Health Network Atlantic will be the guest speaker at the ceremony.

Shaughnessy-Granger graduated from Villanova University in 1997 with a Bachelor of Science and was commissioned through Naval Reserve Officers Training Corps. In 2003, she attended Georgetown University for Duty Under Instruction (DUINS), where she studied nurse midwifery, earning a Master of Science degree.

She has been stationed at Naval Medical Center San Diego, Naval Hospital Camp Lejeune, Naval Hospital Camp Pendleton, US Naval Hospital Yokosuka, Japan, US Naval Hospital Okinawa, Walter Reed National Military Medical Center at Bethesda, Fort Belvoir Community Hospital, the Bureau of Medicine and Surgery (BUMED), Office of Women's Health, the Director of Secondary and Specialty Care, Deputy Assistant Deputy Chief for Healthcare Operations, Assistant Deputy Chief for Medical Operations, senior advisor to the Navy Surgeon General supporting Military Health System (MHS) Governance and reform, and as Navy Medicine Liaison to the Office of the Assistant Secretary of Defense for Health Affairs. Most recently She served as Executive Officer of Navy Medicine Readiness and Training Command (NMRTC) Quantico, Virginia, from 2021 to 2023, and as Commanding officer of NMRTC Annapolis and Naval Health Clinic Annapolis before moving here

Nicknamed the "First and Finest," NMRTC Portsmouth has the distinction of being the nation's first military hospital, and it has proudly served the health care and medical needs of the military community in Hampton Roads continuously since 1830.

MEDIA ADVISORY: If you wish to cover the ceremony, please email NMRTC Portsmouth Public Affairs Office at usn.hampton-roads.navhospvorsva.list.nmcp-pao@health.mil by 12 p.m., Wednesday, July 9, so that we can arrange your escort onto Naval Support Activity Hampton Roads-Portsmouth Annex and ensure you have a parking spot and access to the event. Additional information, including a digital press kit, can be found on our website at portsmouth.tricare.mil. Click on "Change of Command July 11, 2025" at the top of the page.