



**DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR FORCE**  
HEADQUARTERS AIR COMBAT COMMAND  
LANGLEY AIR FORCE BASE, VIRGINIA

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MEMORANDUM FOR ACC MEDICAL GROUP COMMANDERS

FROM: HQ ACC/SG  
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SUBJECT: Human Immunodeficiency Virus Interval Testing

1. Please implement the attached AF/SGO policy memo, effective 1 Jun 04. It establishes a maximum two-year interval between routine Human Immunodeficiency Virus (HIV) testing for all active duty members. Air Reserve Component personnel are now required to have a current HIV test within two years of the date called to active duty for 30 days or more. These policy changes are based upon Armed Forces Epidemiological Board recommendations and standardize the interval for routine HIV testing across the Services. Full compliance is required by 1 Jun 05.
2. Your local public health office is best suited for working with internal and external partners to get the word out on this policy change. Primary Care Management teams play a key role in execution, specifically Preventive Health Assessment and Individual Medical Readiness screening at every active duty patient encounter and, when needed, ordering HIV tests in the Composite Health Care System.
3. My POC is Lt Col Ken Hall, ACC/SGPM, DSN 574-1268, [kenneth.hall@langley.af.mil](mailto:kenneth.hall@langley.af.mil).

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Russell J. Kilpatrick".

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Attachment:  
HQ USAF/SGO Memo, 7 May 04