



# MEDICAL BIOMEDICAL BIODEFENSE

## Support to the Warfighter Symposium

June 11-12, 2024

Research Triangle Park & Chapel Hill, North Carolina

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## TUESDAY JUNE 11, 2024 – DAY 1 SESSIONS

*Day 1 Venue: North Carolina Biotechnology Center, 15 T.W. Alexander Drive, Research Triangle Park, NC 27709*

*Note: Day 2 program is located at the University of North Carolina, The Friday Center, 100 Friday Center Drive, Chapel Hill, NC 27517*

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| 12:30 p.m. – 1:00 p.m. | <b>Registration and Check-In</b>  |
| 1:00 p.m. – 1:05 p.m.  | <b>Welcome and Introduction</b><br><br>Mary Beth Thomas, Ph.D., Senior Vice President, Science and Business Development   |
| 1:05 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.  | <b>Roadmap for the Main Symposium Day: Importance of Sessions and Speakers</b><br><br>Keynote talks and morning panels: Why are they important?; Session Track Options;<br>Q&A session<br><br>Mary Beth Thomas, Ph.D., Senior Vice President, Science and Business Development<br>Scott Dorney, Executive Director, North Carolina Military Business Center |
| 2:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.  | <b>Ecosystem Partners and How They Can Help You</b><br><br>Introduction to partners; partner input on Day 2 sessions<br>Q&A session<br><br>Speakers TBA   |
| 3:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.  | <b>Federal Funding Vehicles</b><br><br>Speakers TBA   |
| 4:00 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.  | <b>Networking</b>   |
| 4:30 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.  | <b>Symposium Reception</b>  |



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### WEDNESDAY JUNE 12, 2024 – DAY 2 SESSIONS

*Symposium Venue: University of North Carolina, The Friday Center, 100 Friday Center Drive, Chapel Hill, NC 27517*

**Venue Legend:**  Grumman Auditorium  Dogwood AB  Redbud AB  Trillium AB  Atrium  Magnolia Lounge

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| 7:15 a.m. – 8:00 a.m.   | Registration, Check-In and Light Refreshments   |   |  |                             |
| 8:00 a.m. – 8:15 a.m.   | Welcome and Orientation: Scott Dorney, Executive Director, North Carolina Military Business Center  |   |  |                             |
| 8:15 a.m. – 9:15 a.m.   | <b>Keynote Speaker:</b><br>Lieutenant General Mary Izaguirre, The Surgeon General and<br>United States Army and Commanding General, US Army Medical Command   |   |  |                             |
| 9:15 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.  | Enabling the Warfighter: Operational Requirements for Tactical Medicine   |   |  |                             |
| 10:30 a.m. – 10:45 a.m. | Break   |   |  | Sponsor Expo and Networking |
| 10:45 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. | Sustaining the Medical Treatment Facilities: Logistics, Acquisition and R&D   | Breakthrough Technologies: Opportunities in Military Medicine and Biosecurity                         | Department of Veterans Affairs One-on-One Meetings |                             |
| 12:00 p.m. – 1:15 p.m.  | <b>Lunch and Keynote Remarks</b><br>Donald Johnson, Assistant Director – Support Component Acquisition Executive, Defense Health Agency<br>Dr. Shereef Elnahal, Under Secretary for Health, US Department of Veterans Affairs (invited) |   |  |                             |
| 1:15 p.m. – 1:30 p.m.   | Break   |   |  |                             |
| 1:30 p.m. – 2:45 p.m.   | Medical Challenges in Large-Scale Combat Operations   |   | Department of Veterans Affairs One-on-One Meetings | Sponsor Expo and Networking |
| 2:45 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.   | Break   |   |  | Sponsor Expo and Networking |
| 3:00 p.m. – 4:15 p.m.   | Sustaining the Warfighter: Operational Medical Logistics, Acquisition and R&D   | Funding the Next Generation of Medical, Biomedical and Health Security Solutions – An Investor's Take | Department of Veterans Affairs One-on-One Meetings |                             |
| 4:15 p.m.               | Adjourn   |   |  |                             |