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MEMORANDUM FOR Acquisition Workforce Members of the Life Cycle Logistics Functional Area

SUBJECT: Recommended Continuous Learning Points and Credentialing for the Life Cycle Logistics Functional Area

1. References.

    a. Department of Defense Instruction 5000.66 (Defense Acquisition Workforce Education, Training, Experience, and Career Development Program).

    b. Assistant Secretary of the Army for Acquisition, Logistics, and Technology, SFAE-ASC memorandum (Continuous Learning Point Policy and Implementation Guidelines for the Army Acquisition Workforce), 31 October 2022.

2. The Army Acquisition Workforce (AAW) is charged with cultivating innovative product support and sustainment solutions that deliver advanced capabilities to our Warfighters. As technology continues to evolve, it is critical that our Life Cycle Logistics (LCL) workforce maintain currency, while enhancing their logistics knowledge and skills through self-development and continuous education. The annual continuous learning points (CLP) requirement for the AAW is 40 points annually and 80 CLPS in a two-year period.

3. For the two-year CLP period starting 1 Oct 24 (FY25 - FY26), I recommend members of the LCL acquisition workforce achieve between 16 and 20 CLPs of the 80 required for the two-year period, by selecting from the courses below that are aligned with the Army's priorities and modernization plans. This will ensure we don't have gaps in the LCL skill sets needed to support the Army's future capabilities.

Software is rapidly becoming the critical path towards enhanced war-fighting capabilities and maintaining a combat advantage over our adversaries. Managing software life cycle cost and ensuring adequate cybersecurity measures are in place are positive steps towards enabling Army's modernization strategy.

Course Number	Course Name	Hours to Complete
CLE 076	Introduction to Agile Software Acquisition	5
ETM 1080	Software Literacy Fundamentals	5
CLL 027	Software Life Cycle Maintenance	4
CLE 074	Cybersecurity Across DoD Acquisition	3

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Serialized Item Management is enabled through Item Unique Identification (IUID), automatic identification technology, and automated information systems and enhances asset visibility and financial accountability, to improve auditability, while enabling CBM+, PPMx, and Predictive Logistics to improved weapon system life cycle management.

Course Number	Course Name	Hours to Complete
CLM 201	Serialized Item Management	2
CLM 200	Item Unique Identification	2
CLE 040	IUID Markings	3

Supply Chain Risk Management is most effective when using proactive measures. Leveraging existing capabilities such as the provisioning process offers opportunities to identify supply chain risk early the acquisition process, to enable a cost-effective approach to manage risk.

Course Number	Course Name	Hours to Complete
CLCL 017	Supply Chain Resiliency Credential	38
LOG 0380	Provisioning and Cataloging	5

Data Management is the foundation to transform how the Army manages, analyzes, and utilizes data to enable informed decisions across the enterprise.

Course Number	Course Name	Hours to Complete
LOG 2150	Technical Data Management	5
CLM 072	Development Data Management Strategy	2
CLE 040	IUID Markings	3

Reliability is addressed by influencing system design to increase system mission capability and availability and decrease the logistics burden and life cycle cost. Using capabilities such as CBM+ coupled with proper planning and effective reliability and maintainability engineering techniques, will help to reduce system cost and schedule risks by preventing or identifying deficiencies early in system development.

Course Number	Course Name	Hours to Complete
LOG 0300	Reliability Centered Maintenance	2
CLE 301	Reliability and Maintainability	3
LOG 0290	Conditioned Based Maintenance	2

Corrosion is a high priority for the Army. Corrosion prevention and control planning is critical to improve readiness, reduce the maintenance burden, and extend the system's life. Corrosion remains the largest preventable cost to the U.S. military.

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Course Number	Course Name	Hours to Complete
CLM 038	Corrosion Prevention and Control Overview	2

4.   For logisticians currently not in the AAW, I encourage you to visit the Defense
Acquisition University website at: https://www.dau.edu and complete the Life Cycle
Logistics credentialing or other training opportunities available to you that will enhance
your logistics knowledge and skills.

5.   I will update recommended training opportunities periodically, to ensure the Army
maintains and continues to grow a skilled and competent LCL workforce. Please
disseminate these training recommendations to your civilian and military Life Cycle
Logisticians.

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