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GAO Report to Congressional Addresses: Military Personnel. DoD Has Taken Steps to Meet the Health Needs of Deployed Servicewomen, but Actions are Needed to Enhance Care for Sexual Assault Victims.	<p>January 2013</p>	<p>While the DoD is taking steps to address the health care needs of deployed servicewomen, military health care providers do not have a consistent understanding of their responsibilities in caring for sexual assault victims because the department has not established guidance for the treatment of injuries stemming from sexual assault—which requires that specific steps are taken while providing care to help ensure a victim’s right to confidentiality.</p>
Military Personnel: Prior GAO Work on DoD’s Actions to Prevent and Respond to Sexual Assault in the Military.	<p>March 30, 2012</p>	<p>GAO finds DoD has fully implemented thirteen recommendations and has partially implemented the remaining twelve recommendations which GAO will continue to monitor.</p>
Military Justice: Oversight and Better Collaboration Needed for Sexual Assault Investigations and Adjudications.	<p>June 22, 2011</p>	<p>GAO was asked to address the extent to which (1) the Department of Defense (DOD) conducts oversight of the military services' investigative organizations and (2) the services provide resources for investigations and adjudications of alleged sexual assault incidents.</p>
Military Personnel: DoD’s and the Coast Guard’s Sexual Assault Prevention and Response Program Need to be Further Strengthened.	<p>February 24, 2010</p>	<p>This report discusses our efforts to evaluate the Department of Defense's (DOD) and the U.S. Coast Guard's oversight and implementation of their respective sexual assault prevention and response</p>

		programs. Our findings build upon our previous work related to sexual assault in the military services.
Military Personnel: Additional Actions are Needed to Strengthen DoD's and the Coast Guard's Sexual Assault Prevention and Response Programs.	February 24, 2010	DOD has addressed four of GAO's nine recommendations from 2008 regarding the oversight and implementation of its sexual assault prevention and But DOD's efforts to address the other recommendations reflect less progress.
Military Personnel: Actions Needed to Strengthen Implementation and Oversight of DoD's and the Coast Guard's Sexual Assault Prevention and Response Programs.	September 10, 2008	This statement addresses implementation and oversight of DOD's and the Coast Guard's programs to prevent and respond to sexual assault incidents. Specifically, it addresses the extent to which DOD and the Coast Guard (1) have developed and implemented policies and procedures to prevent, respond to, and resolve reported sexual assault incidents; (2) have visibility over reports of sexual assault in the military; and (3) exercise oversight over reports of sexual assault involving servicemembers.
Preliminary Observations on DoD's and the Coast Guard's Sexual Assault Prevention and Response Programs.	July 31, 2008	This statement addresses the extent to which DOD and the Coast Guard (1) have developed and implemented policies and programs to prevent, respond to, and resolve sexual assault incidents involving servicemembers; (2) have visibility over reports of sexual assault; and (3) exercise oversight over reports of sexual assault.
Military Personnel: The DoD and Coast Guard Academies have Taken Steps to Address Incidents of Sexual Harassment and	January 17, 2008	This report evaluates (1) the academies' programs to prevent, respond to, and resolve sexual harassment and assault cases;

Assault, but Greater Federal Oversight is Needed.		(2) the academies' visibility over sexual harassment and assault incidents; and (3) DOD and Coast Guard oversight of their academies' efforts.