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Lieutenant Colonel Jay Morse currently serves as the Chief of the Trial Counsel Assistance Program (TCAP), located at Ft. Belvoir, Virginia. Under his guidance, TCAP provides prosecutorial training and both indirect and direct assistance to every jurisdiction in the US Army, world-wide. Additionally, LTC Morse supervises twenty-three Special Victim Prosecutors, all criminal law experts focusing on the prosecution of crimes involving sexual assault, domestic violence, and children as victims. He is also the lead prosecutor in the case of United States v. Staff Sergeant Robert Bales, a multiple-homicide occurring in Afghanistan in March 2012.

LTC Morse was commissioned an Aviation Second Lieutenant in 1993, and was selected for the Funded Legal Education Program in 1998. He has been a Judge Advocate since 2001, and has served as a Trial Counsel, Defense Counsel, Senior Defense Counsel, Deputy Staff Judge Advocate, and Staff Judge Advocate. His assignments include the 2nd Infantry Division, 4th Infantry Division, Trial Defense Services at I Corps and Ft. Lewis, 3rd Infantry Division, the Office of the Judge Advocate General's Personnel, Plans & Training Office, and the 101st Airborne Division (Air Assault). His education includes a B.A. from The Colorado College, a JD from the James E. Rogers College of Law at the University of Arizona, and an LLM from The Judge Advocate General's Legal Center and School. He is a graduate of the US Army's Air Assault, Airborne, and Ranger Schools.