



US DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

# BLAST INJURY RESEARCH PROGRAM COORDINATING OFFICE

## Neurocognitive and Psychological Health Treatment Strategies

### Eye Care-related Clinical Recommendations

In response to the need for clinical guidance regarding combat eye trauma and traumatic brain injury (TBI)-related vision problems, the Vision Center of Excellence (VCE) produced the following three consensus-based clinical recommendations: (1) Clinical Recommendation for the Eye Care Provider<sup>1</sup> that has been approved by DHA Tri-Service Specialty Care Advisory Board (TSSCAB) and the Department of Veterans Affairs (VA); (2) Care and Rehabilitation of Patients with Visual Field Loss Associated with Traumatic or Acquired Brain Injury that has been approved by DHA (TSSCAB) and is pending VA approval; (3) Care and Rehabilitation of Patients with Oculomotor Dysfunctions Associated with TBI that is currently under review by Tri-Service and VA Stakeholder Service Leads prior to submission for approval by DHA (TSSCAB) and VA.

<sup>1</sup> Vision Center of Excellence. Clinical recommendation for the eye care provider: Eye and vision care following blast exposure and/or possible traumatic brain injury. <http://vce.health.mil/Resources/Products/Additional-Resources>

