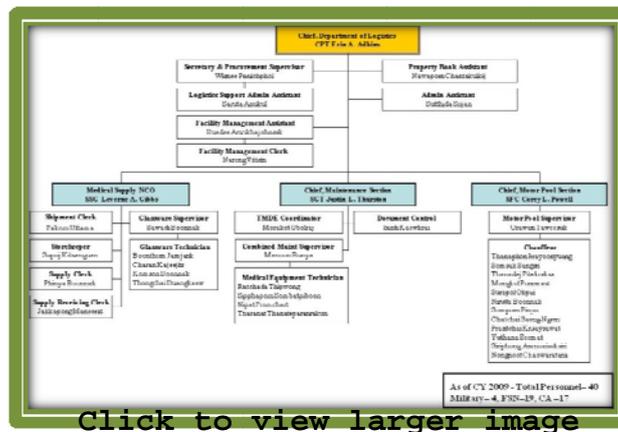


## DEPARTMENT OF LOGISTICS

### DEPARTMENT MISSION

To ensure that the USAMC-AFRIMS' research departments and other supported agencies receive needed general and laboratory supplies, equipment, bio-medical maintenance, facilities maintenance, transportation, glassware and contract services in a timely and cost effective manner. That includes logistical support to numerous field elements in and around the Kingdom of Thailand and surrounding countries.

### PERSONNEL



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### CORE ACCOMPLISHMENTS

The Department of Logistics continued to work with Burke Construction on a more defined Base Operating Support (BOS) contract for facilities management; utilizing such support services as hazardous materials disposal and facilities maintenance/quality assurance, saving money in the process and substantially improving facilities maintenance support services to its customers in the USAMC-AFRIMS and collaborative agencies.

The Department of Logistics orchestrated two major renovations in FY 09. The existing lab space was renovated for the Department of Enteric Diseases to create a new lab encompassing the entire 5<sup>th</sup> floor. Additionally, the Department of Entomology started the renovation of a new insectary section.

Continuing with a trend of high safety standards and excellent work, the motor pool supported over 1,820 missions in support of AFRIMS research projects, a 3% increase over last year.

The Department of Logistics implemented a new tracking system for shipments cross-docked through WRAIR, decreasing lead time and increasing communication between the two organizations. This small improvement cut costs for large shipments by reducing freight associated price increases.

FY 09 ended with the award of two major construction contracts. In FY 10, the Main Distribution Board will be replaced with a new, upgraded model and the 6th floor will undergo a massive renovation of all lab space.