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TRAINING MISHAP ABOARD THE COMBAT CENTER

MARINE CORPS AIR GROUND COMBAT CENTER TWENTYNINE PALMS , Calif. –

Eight service members sustained non-life threatening injuries yesterday while conducting training aboard the Marine Corps Air Ground Combat Center, Twentynine Palms, Calif.

Service members of 1st Battalion, 3rd Marine Regiment were participating in a live-fire and maneuver training exercise in support of Integrated Training Exercise 5-15 when they sustained the injuries.

Those requiring medical treatment were transported to Robert E. Bush Naval Hospital and were released the same day.

The units participating in ITX 5-15 are 1/3, 1/7, 1/10, 3/11, 3rd Assault Amphibian Battalion, and 3rd Light Armored Reconnaissance Battalion.

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