

Owner for end to end defence healthcare and medical operational capability. He is accountable to the Defence Board, reporting routinely through the Defence Operating Board and Service Personnel Board, both of which he attends as required.

The SG is responsible for:

- Defining the boundaries and processes, organisational structures and composition of forces, and the standards and quality needed, to deliver advice on health policy, healthcare and medical operational capability in consultation with top level budget holders.
- Setting the overall direction on all clinical matters relating to the practice of medicine within the military.
- Setting and auditing the professional performance of all medical personnel.
- Setting clinical and medical policies and standards, and auditing compliance by military organisations across defence.
- Developing the science of military medicine to develop approaches and treatments that will best counter threats to the health and well-being of Service personnel.
- Providing deployable medical operational capability.
- Building and maintaining the medical infrastructure and cadre or people.
- Delivering a comprehensive healthcare system that provides the appropriate timely healthcare to Service (and other entitled) personnel.
- Ensuring coherence of health plans between Defence and the NHS.
- Chairing the Defence Medical Service Board, the forum for providing strategic direction and guidance to the DMS.

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