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Coalition Build Partner Capacity Operations continue in Iraq

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Coalition countries in the Combined Joint Task Force-Operation Inherent Resolve have committed over 4,500 troops to train, advise and assist Iraqi Security Forces at four locations in Iraq.

U.S. and coalition soldiers are training Iraqi Security Forces to build its capacity to defeat the Islamic State of Iraq and the Levant.

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Iraqi army soldiers, left, with the 72nd Brigade, 15th Division, observe a demonstration of a good shooting position from U.S. paratroopers of 2nd Battalion, 505th Parachute

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Infantry Regiment, 3rd Brigade Combat Team, 82nd Airborne Division, during a range at Camp Taji, Iraq, April 8, 2015. Members of an IA personal security detail are training with members of the 82nd Abn. Div. to improve their urban combat skills. (Photo by Sgt. Cody Quinn, CJTF-OIR Public Affairs)



Iraqi Army soldiers with the 72nd Brigade, 15th Division, discuss marksmanship techniques with an Arabic linguist attached to 2nd Battalion, 505th Parachute Infantry Regiment, 3rd Brigade Combat Team, 82nd Airborne Division, at Camp Taji, Iraq, April 8, 2015. Army linguists are deployed with the 82nd Abn. Div. to assist in bridging the communication barrier between Iraqi, and coalition Soldiers involved in Operation Inherent Resolve. (Photo by Sgt. Cody Quinn, CJTF-OIR Public Affairs)



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An Iraqi army soldier with the 72nd Brigade, 15th Division, points out the bullet holes on a target as a U.S. paratrooper with 2nd Battalion, 505th Parachute Infantry Regiment, 3rd Brigade Combat Team, 82nd Airborne Division, makes a gesture indicating how much he needs to adjust his rifle sight during a marksmanship range at Camp Taji, Iraq, April 8, 2015. Soldiers with the 82nd Abn. Div. are assisting IA soldiers with marksmanship training and urban operations during their deployment as part of Combined Joint Task Force- Operation Inherent Resolve. (Photo by Sgt. Cody Quinn, CJTF-OIR Public Affairs)



An Iraqi Army soldier with the 72nd Brigade, 15th Division and a U.S. paratrooper with the 2nd Battalion, 505th Parachute Infantry Regiment, 3rd Brigade Combat Team, 82nd Airborne Division, adjust the front sight of a rifle during a marksmanship range at Camp Taji, Iraq, April 8, 2015. IA soldiers with the 72nd Bde. are in the final stages of their advanced training with paratroopers of 82nd Abn. Div. in preparation for future operations against the Islamic State of Iraq and the Levant. (Photo by Sgt. Cody Quinn, CJTF-OIR Public Affairs)

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An Iraqi army soldier with the 72nd Brigade, 15th Division, fires on a target while walking in a "Z" pattern as a U.S. paratrooper with 2nd Battalion, 505th Parachute Infantry Regiment, 3rd Brigade Combat Team, 82nd Airborne Division, looks on during a training event at Camp Taji, Iraq, April 8, 2015. Soldiers from the 82nd Abn. Div. are deployed to multiple sites in Iraq to advise and assist IA soldiers as they prepare for future operations against the Islamic State of Iraq and the Levant. The IA training has primarily focused on urban and combined operations. (Photo by Sgt. Cody Quinn, CJTF-OIR Public Affairs)



A U.S. Soldier (center) with the 2nd Battalion, 505th Parachute Infantry Regiment, 3rd Brigade Combat Team, 82nd Airborne Division, guides two mine-resistant, ambush-protected vehicles during a driver's training course at Besmaya Range Complex, Iraq, April 8, 2015. Members of the 2-505th PIR are training Iraqi army soldiers with the 75th Brigade, 16th Division, on convoy operations, maintenance inspections and driver's safety to build the IA's capacity to defeat the Islamic State of Iraq and the Levant. (Photo by Sqt. Deja Borden, CJTF-OIR Public Affairs)

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U.S. Soldiers with the 2nd Battalion, 505th Parachute Infantry Regiment, 3rd Brigade Combat Team, 82nd Airborne Division, demonstrate squad movements and room clearance procedures to Iraqi army soldiers with the 75th Brigade, 16th Division, at Besmaya Range Complex, Iraq, April 8, 2015. The demonstration was part of training led by coalition forces under Operation Inherent Resolve to aid the Iraqi army in its fight against the Islamic State of Iraq and the Levant. (Photo by Sgt. Deja Borden, CJTF-OIR Public Affairs)



Iraqi army soldiers with the 75th Brigade, 16th Division, demonstrate their combat lifesaver skills to a U.S. Army medic with the 2nd Battalion, 505th Parachute Infantry Regiment, 3rd Brigade Combat Team, 82nd Airborne Division, during a medical class at Besmaya Range Complex, Iraq, April 8, 2015. Members of the 2-505th PIR are training Iraqi soldiers in numerous combat scenarios to build the IA's capacity to defeat the

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Islamic State of Iraq and the Levant, as part of their deployment in support of Operation Inherent Resolve. (Photo by Sgt. Deja Borden, CJTF-OIR Public Affairs)



Iraqi army soldiers with the 75th Brigade, 16th Division, conduct a building clearance rehearsal exercise as a U.S. Soldier (left) with the 2nd Battalion, 505th Parachute Infantry Regiment, 3rd Brigade Combat Team, 82nd Airborne Division, observes at Besmaya Range Complex, Iraq, April 8, 2015. The 16th Division is working closely with U.S. Soldiers of the 2-505th PIR to increase the division's combat proficiency and build the military capacity necessary to defeat the Islamic State of Iraq and the Levant. (Photo by Sgt. Deja Borden, CJTF-OIR Public Affairs)



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A U.S. Soldier (right) with the 2nd Battalion, 505th Parachute Infantry Regiment, 3rd Brigade Combat Team, 82nd Airborne Division, speaks with an Iraqi army soldier with the 75th Brigade, 16th Division, during a breach lane course at Besmaya Range Complex, Iraq, April 8, 2015. Soldiers with the 2-505th PIR and 16th Division are working closely together during a six-week training course to build the military capacity necessary to defeat the Islamic State of Iraq and the Levant. (Photo by Sgt. Deja Borden, CJTF-OIR Public Affairs)



U.S. Soldiers with the 2nd Battalion, 505th Parachute Infantry Regiment, 3rd Brigade Combat Team, 82nd Airborne Division, observe as Iraqi army soldiers with the 75th Brigade, 16th Division, conduct a driver's training class at Besmaya Range Complex, Iraq, April 8, 2015. Soldiers with the 2-505th PIR and the 16th Division are working closely together during a six-week training course to build the military capacity necessary to defeat the Islamic State of Iraq and the Levant. (Photo by Sgt. Deja Borden, CJTF-OIR Public Affairs)

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A U.S. Soldier with the 2nd Battalion, 505th Parachute Infantry Regiment, 3rd Brigade Combat Team, 82nd Airborne Division, observes Iraqi army soldiers with the 75th Brigade, 16th Division, conduct driver's training at Besmaya Range Complex, Iraq, April 7, 2015. During the three-day course Iraqi soldiers received lessons from members of the 2-505th PIR on conducting convoy operations, preventative maintenance checks and services, and safety procedures while driving. (Photo by Sgt. Deja Borden, CJTF-OIR Public Affairs)



Iraqi army soldiers with the 75th Brigade, 16th Division receive a lesson on vehicle maintenance from a U.S. Soldier with the 2nd Battalion, 505th Parachute Infantry Regiment, 3rd Brigade Combat Team, 82nd Airborne Division, during a driver's training class at Besmaya Range Complex, Iraq, April 7, 2015. The three-day driver's training

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class covered a number of important lessons, including convoy operations, preventative maintenance checks and services, and safe driving habits. Members of the 2-505th PIR are conducting a variety of training exercises with the 16th Division in order to build the IA's capacity to defeat the Islamic State of Iraq and the Levant. (Photo by Sgt. Deja Borden, CJTF-OIR Public Affairs)



A U.S. Soldier with the 2nd Battalion, 505th Parachute Infantry Regiment, 3rd Brigade Combat Team, 82nd Airborne Division, addresses Iraqi army leaders with the 75th Brigade, 16th Division, about the importance of preventative maintenance checks and services at Besmaya Range Complex, Iraq, April 7, 2015. Members of the 2-505th PIR led a three-day driver's training course for Iraqi soldiers to sharpen their military driving skills. Members of the 2-505th PIR are conducting a variety of training exercises with the 16th Division in order to build the IA's capacity to defeat the Islamic State of Iraq and the Levant. (Photo by Sgt. Deja Borden, CJTF-OIR Public Affairs)

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U.S. Soldiers with the 2nd Battalion, 505th Parachute Infantry Regiment, 3rd Brigade Combat Team, 82nd Airborne Division conduct a class on squad movements and assaults at Besmaya Range Complex, Iraq, April 7, 2015. Members of the 2-505th PIR are conducting a variety of training exercises with the 16th Division in order to build the Iraqi army's capacity to defeat the Islamic State of Iraq and the Levant. (Photo by Sgt. Deja Borden, CJTF-OIR Public Affairs)



Iraqi army soldiers with the 75th Brigade, 16th Division, receive instructions from a U.S. Soldier with the 2nd Battalion, 505th Parachute Infantry Regiment, 3rd Brigade Combat Team, 82nd Airborne Division, on squad movements and assaults at Besmaya Range Complex, Iraq, April 7, 2015. Members of the 2-505th PIR are conducting a variety of training exercises with the 16th Division in order to build the IA's capacity to defeat the

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Islamic State of Iraq and the Levant. (Photo by Sgt. Deja Borden, CJTF-OIR Public Affairs)



A U.S. Soldier (right) with the 2nd Battalion, 505th Parachute Infantry Regiment, 3rd Brigade Combat Team, 82nd Airborne Division, instructs Iraqi army soldiers with the 75th Brigade, 16th Divison as they rehearse bounding movements at Besmaya Range Complex, Iraq, April 7, 2015. Members of the 2-505th PIR are conducting a variety of training exercises with the 16th Division in order to build the IA's capacity to defeat the Islamic State of Iraq and the Levant. (Photo by Sgt. Deja Borden, CJTF-OIR Public Affairs)



A U.S. Soldier, second from left, with the 2nd Battalion, 505th Parachute Infantry Regiment, 3rd Brigade Combat Team, 82nd Airborne Division, speaks to Iraqi army

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soldiers with the 75th Brigade, 16th Division about the importance of safety while driving during a driver's training class at Besmaya Range Complex, Iraq, April 7, 2015.

Members of the 2-505th PIR are conducting driver's training with 16th Division soldiers to help them better their operating skills of the mine-resistant, ambush-protected, or MRAP, vehicle. Members of the 2-505th PIR are conducting a variety of training exercises with the 16th Division in order to build the IA's capacity to defeat the Islamic State of Iraq and the Levant. (Photo by Sgt. Deja Borden, CJTF-OIR Public Affairs)

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