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**RESCISSION OF VHA MANUAL M-6, PART II, CHAPTER 22, FISCAL PROGRAM
(DM&S PROGRAM EVALUATION, PART TWO, EVALUATION CRITERIA)**

1. By direction of the Under Secretary for Health, Veterans Health Administration (VHA), VHA Manual M-6, Part II, Chapter 22, Fiscal Program (DM&S Program Evaluation, Part II, Evaluation Criteria), dated October 24, 1966 is rescinded. VHA no longer requires a manual for VA Department of Medicine and Surgery (DM&S). VHA has since been reorganized and all financial and accounting policies are now located in VA Financial Policy Volumes – <http://www.va.gov/finance/policy/pubs/index.asp>.

2. When the manual was first written, a separate department for Medicine & Surgery existed for which this manual was developed. Chapter 22, Fiscal Program, provided a requirement to evaluate the financial management program at field stations to determine its contribution to the effectiveness of the station mission. Since then, a new organizational structure has been established and the Department of Medicine & Surgery now exists under Veterans Health Administration. All financial and accounting processes and policies have been realigned accordingly.

3. All inquiries concerning this action should be addressed to VHA Office of Finance (10A3A) at 202-461-1099.

4. This VHA Notice will be archived as of October 31, 2017. However, the information will remain in effect.

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