What is TBICoE doing to help warfighters exposed to low-level blast?

Leading the charge

Collaborated on:
- a. Military weapons training studies
- b. Epidemiology studies

Led health and performance efforts in support of the Section 734 Program

Advancing the science

Measured LLB exposure effects on performance

Provided recommendations on LLB surveillance

Advanced DOD’s understanding of LLB health and performance effects

Answering the call

Outlined next steps for LLB research

Helped to develop guidance for managing brain health risk from blast overexposure

Recommended the development of a tool to capture career blast exposure

Warfighter Brain Health Initiative LLB Relevant Aims

Understand the known and emerging threats and hazards to brain health

Monitor warfighters for brain exposures

Reduce risk of brain exposures that may negatively impact brain health

References
Section 734 of the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2018: Longitudinal Medical Study on Blast Pressure Exposure of Members of the Armed Forces

For more information, refer to the Department of Defense Warfighter Brain Health Initiative: Strategy and Action Plan.