# Distance Support and Readiness

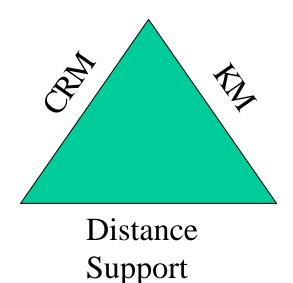


Adapting and transitioning today's support infrastructure and business processes to the tools and technology of E-Business and Information Technology.



### Concepts

CRM Helping those
who request
assistance.



KM Understand who helped
whom when, and
analyze the metrics
for future resource
allocation.

- ♦ 877 41 Touch
- ♦ www.ANCHORDESK.navy.mil
- **♦** Tele-Tools



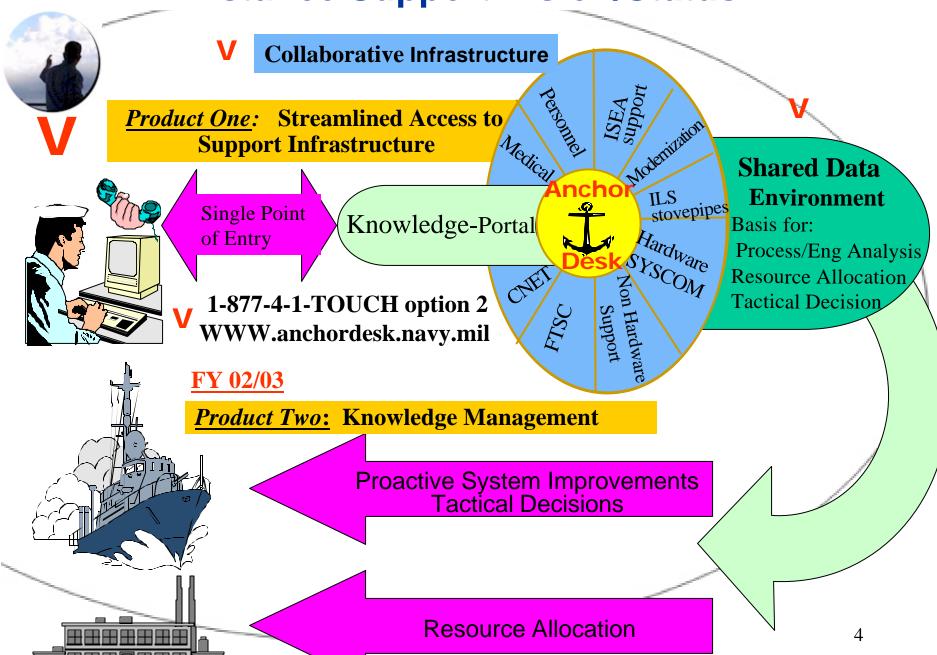
# Distance Support

### What Does the Distance Support Provide the Sailor at sea?

• Provides the sailor with a single desktop point of entry to an integrated Distance Support tool bag, simplifying access to Naval maintenance, technical, supply, training, administrative and personnel resources

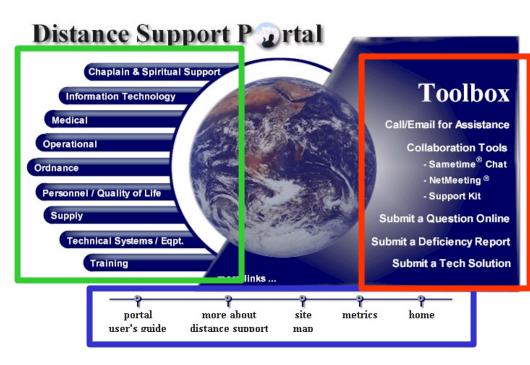


### **Distance Support Vision/Status**





# WWW.ANCHORDESK.NAVY.MIL



### Specific category support:

The left side of the main menu identifies specific categories of support.

#### \* Toolbox:

Under the Toolbox area, a set of general assistance tools are found. Because of their universal application, they are found on every major menu throughout the Portal.

# Portal/Distance Support specific links:

Links to Portal specific information.

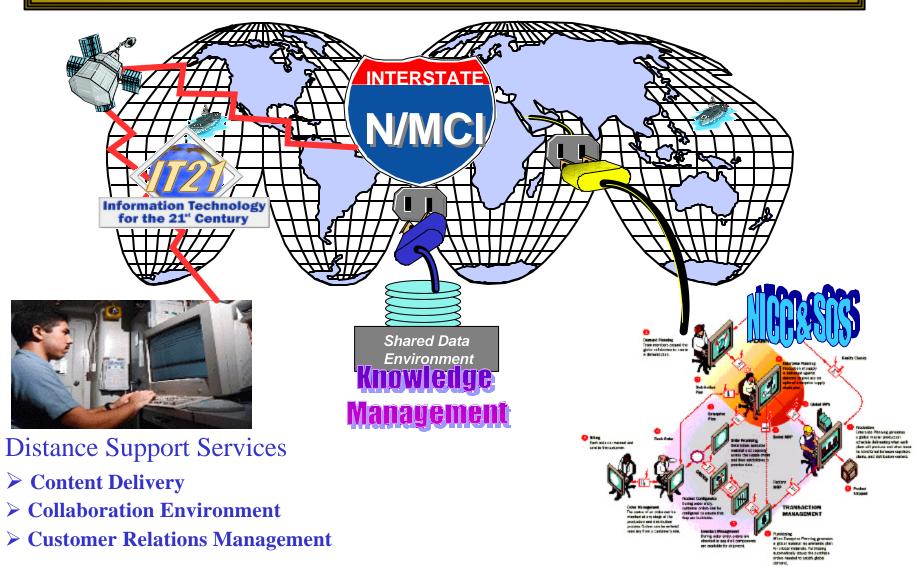


### NIPRNet-vs-SIPRNet

- NIPRNet and SIPRNet
  - -Each is available on the Portal CD
  - -Install program prompts you to load one or the other version
  - -Header area of screen shows version number with "n" for NIPRNet or "s" for SIPRNet
- ♦ NIPRNet
  - -Ships can access any unclassified, non-secure network sites
- **♦** SIPRNet
  - -Ships are limited to accessing only secure network sites

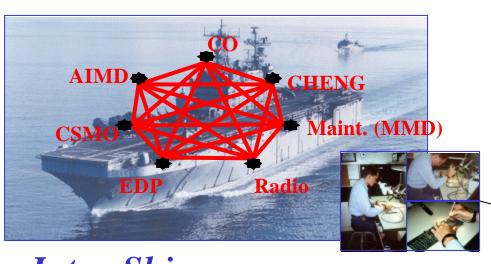
### Leveraging Existing Infrastructure/Technology

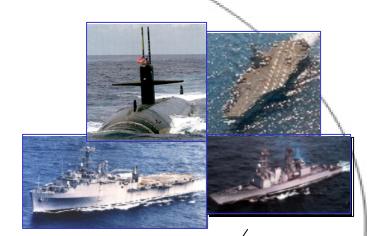
### Enabling global, secure naval information exchange





# **Network Building Blocks**Collaboration/Data Sharing





Ship to/Ship

Intra-Ship



#### **NAVAIR**





•ICAS

•Smartship



•AMTCS

•Secure Interactive **Distance Learning** 

•ACTC •IT21

•JATDI



Academia/Industry



•Information Technology

•COTS

# The DS TEAM



- •Navy Learning Network
- •Shipboard Training, **Education, Adv & Morale** (STEAM)
- •LMRC

**NAVSUP** 

• One Touch



• BUPERS On-Line

### **CINCs / TYCOMS**





- •Collaboration At Sea
- •Submarine Onboard Training
- •C4I Training

#### **BUMED**





# Distance Support Summary

- Interactive Portal (www.anchordesk.navy.mil)
  - Content access via Shared Data Environment
  - Organized links to a coalition of web based content providers...(i.e. training, medical, etc)
- Collaboration Tool Suite (Tele-tools & collaboration software)
  - Problem capture and filing portable hardware (Kit A & B)
  - On-line assistance to experts
- Customer Help Desk (Navy Integrated Call Center)
  - 24/7 support
  - Shore advocate for the Customer
  - POC for Trouble Call status and tracking



### A word from the Fleet...





### Testimonials from:

VADM P. BALILSE

Abraham Lincoln Battlegroup Commander

8 Feb 01

Capt. Douglas Dupouy USS Abraham Lincoln Commanding Officer Craig Bradenburg Director Fleet Support Nav Sea

CDR Douglas Waite Command Chaplain



### More Testimonials...

FC1(SW) Jonathon Schurch

Combat Systems CIWS Work Center Supervisor

ETC(SW) Mike Phillips CCDG-3

Abraham Lincoln Battle Group Distance Support Coordinator ETCS(SW) Richard Powell

Combat Systems Maintenance Manager

**CDR Lou Valbracht** 

Senior Medical Officer

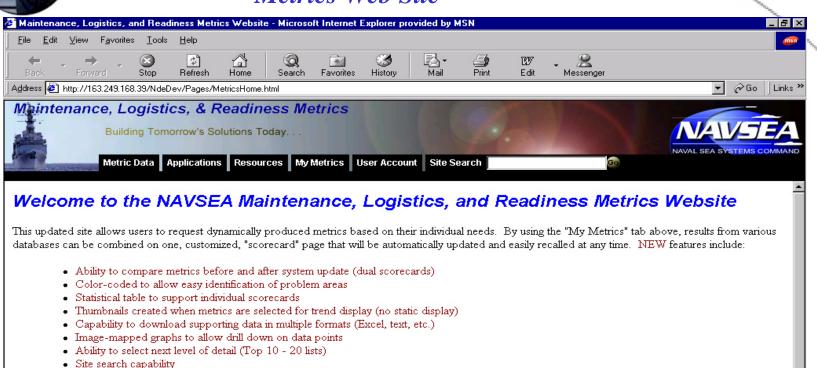


### Distance Support Status

- ✓ Business rules for collaborative infrastructure and shared data environment established
- ✓ PPL/SSIL certification issued
- ✓ Key data elements and database sharing/mining agreements established
- **✓** Metrics process developed
  - SOS data mining, DS web page link to maintenance metrics website
- ✓ Currently fielded on all platforms in Lincoln, Constellation, Roosevelt BG/ARGs and Vincen Battle Groups/ARGs
- ✓ Installation in-process for Stennis BG/ARGs
- **✓** Planned installs on all platforms
- **✓** Planned installs on all CONUS and OCONUS shore activities



### Measure for Results Metrics Web Site



The ultimate goal is to provide a single, streamlined, easy to use, and user accepted tool for such purposes as screening work and building work packages by Port Engineers, capturing historical data and execution costs for maintenance and modernization work, providing a capability to calculate ship-by-ship budgets of backlogged work, etc. supported by NAVSEA Data Environment as the backbone infrastructure. The next phase will fully integrate all NAVSEA products, tools, and metrics and will also provide access to newly designed metric capabilities brought about by the integration of data.

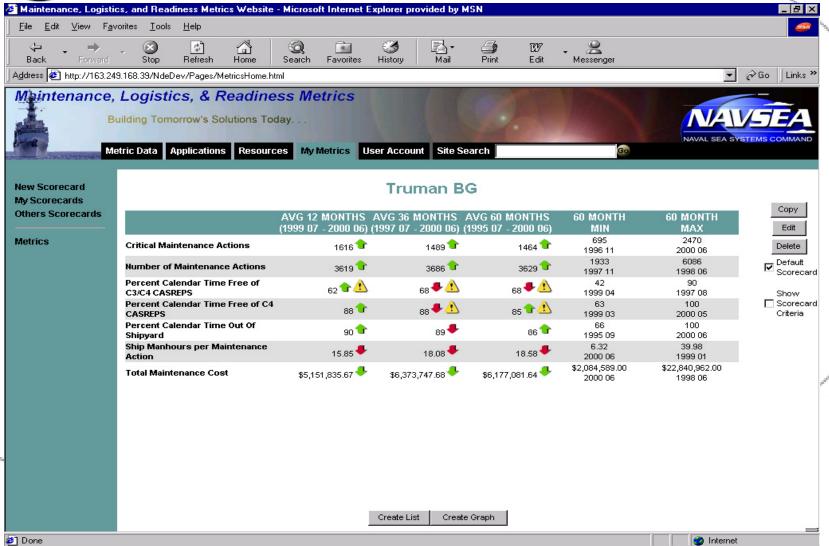
In order to design this site to provide the greatest range of usefulness and flexibility for users, a feedback form has been incorporated to provide comments and recommendations for this sites design.

The lead for this initiative is NAVSEA 04M.

· Ability to compare scorecard metrics against other platforms or equipment



# Measure for Results User Defined Scorecards





### Actual Data



Microsoft Excel Worksheet



# Lessons Learned from Distance Support Over the Last Two Years

- Bandwidth constraints do not allow for robust transmissions (no streaming videos, drawings, or big files)
- Acceptable, as chats are very useful as long as...
- Data/Information is pre-deployed for collaboration purposes.



### Challenge

- Determine a process to ascertain predicted, needed data, put within the lifeline for future use, and maintain it for currency.
- Use it in support of chat sessions.



# Distance Support Evolution

- PIR2 + NGA = DS/NGA
- PIR2 (Predicted ILS Readiness Requirement)
  - Fleet wide data analysis aggregated and compared to ship specific history for tailored projections of needs of ILS.
- NGA
  - ATIS expanded to include all O/I &D level data projected to be needed for all collaborations.

#### **DS/NGA Platform Resident Data** Supply **Ships** Medical Maint **Training** At Sea Ship Data Ctr. (SDC) • NTCSS/ATIS SOS Content (Technical Portal) In-port SOS Content (Medical Portal) **SOS Content** Supply (Training Portal) **Shore Based Ships** Medical Maint. Training **Activities SOS Content** Shore Knowledge (Avionics Portal) Center (SKC) SOS Content (Other Portals) Source of Support Portals



# Conclusion Challenges Ahead

- Getting to Information
  - Bandwidth Capacity and Availability
    - ➤ Ship LAN
    - ➤ Satellite Communication
    - ➤ Shore Infrastructure
- Real Business Process Changes and using it to drive the technology
- Authoritative Data Source
- Funding & Resource Distribution
- Staying proactive and aggressive in meeting all the changing requirements:
  - NMCI, ERP, Task Force Web, etc.