

Assessed for eligibility 978 conscripts (1st cohort 359
and 2nd cohort 619 conscripts)

Refused to participate (18 conscripts)

Excluded 16 conscripts
(8 women, 6 discharged during
first two weeks, 1 postponement
of service, 1 missing patient record)

6 companies; 944 conscripts

Follow-up for 180 days
Exposures and injuries were reported for
July 10, 2006 through January 5, 2007 (1st cohort)
January 8, 2007 through July 6, 2007 (2nd cohort)