



DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY

Lineage and Honors

42d MEDICAL DETACHMENT

Constituted 17 March 1943 in the Army of the United States as the 42d Malaria Control Unit

Activated 15 April 1943 at New Orleans, Louisiana

Redesignated 21 December 1944 as the 42d Medical Service Detachment

Redesignated 8 April 1945 as the 42d Malaria Control Detachment

Inactivated 15 January 1947 in Italy

Redesignated 27 September 1951 as the 42d Medical Detachment and allotted to the Regular Army

Activated 5 November 1951 in Japan

Inactivated 27 March 1953 in Japan

Activated 1 November 1962 at Fort Sam Houston, Texas

Inactivated 30 April 1970 at Fort Sam Houston, Texas

Activated 16 October 2008 at Fort Sam Houston, Texas

Inactivated 15 May 2013 at Fort Sam Houston, Texas

Activated 16 March 2019 at Fort Carson, Colorado

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CAMPAIGN PARTICIPATION CREDIT


World War II
Anzio
Naples-Foggia
Rome-Arno
North Appennines

War on Terrorism
Iraq:
Iraqi Sovereignty

DECORATIONS

Meritorious Unit Commendation (Army), Streamer embroidered IRAQ 2009-2010

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF THE ARMY:


CHARLES R. BOWERY, JR.
Chief of Military History

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