

DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY

Lineage and Honors

71st MEDICAL DETACHMENT

Constituted 10 July 1944 in the Army of the United States as the 71st Medical Composite Section

Activated 31 July 1944 in Italy

Redesignated 10 December 1944 as the 71st Medical Service Detachment

Redesignated 8 April 1945 as the 71st Veterinary Food Inspection Detachment

Inactivated 15 November 1946 at Fort Lewis, Washington

Allotted 16 January 1952 to the Regular Army

Activated 10 February 1952 in Italy

Reorganized and redesignated 1 October 1952 as the 71st Medical Detachment

Inactivated 15 August 1957 in Italy

Activated 31 October 1962 at Fort Meade, Maryland

Inactivated 24 June 1967 at Fort Meade, Maryland

Activated 25 July 1970 in Germany

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CAMPAIGN PARTICIPATION CREDIT

World War II
Rome-Arno

Southwest Asia
Defense of Saudi Arabia
Liberation and Defense of Kuwait
Cease-Fire

War on Terrorism
Iraq:
Iraqi Surge

(Additional campaigns to be determined)

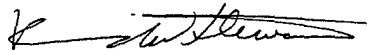
DECORATIONS

Meritorious Unit Commendation (Army), Streamer embroidered IRAQ 2007-2008

Meritorious Unit Commendation (Army), Streamer embroidered AFGHANISTAN
2010-2011

Army Superior Unit Award, Streamer embroidered 1995-1996

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF THE ARMY:



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