



DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY

Lineage and Honors

**72d MEDICAL DETACHMENT
(EAGLE VETS)**

Constituted 10 July 1944 in the Army of the United States as the 72d Medical Composite Section

Activated 31 July 1944 in Italy

Reorganized and redesignated 12 December 1944 as the 72d Medical Service Detachment

Redesignated 12 April 1945 as the 72d Veterinary Food Inspection Detachment

Inactivated 1 November 1946 at Percy Jones General Hospital, Battle Creek, Michigan

Activated 7 September 1949 in Germany

Allotted 27 March 1951 to the Regular Army

Reorganized and redesignated 15 January 1953 as the 72d Medical Detachment

CAMPAIGN PARTICIPATION CREDIT

World War II

European-African-Middle Eastern Theater, Streamer
without inscription

War on Terrorism

Campaigns to be determined

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DECORATIONS

Meritorious Unit Commendation (Army), Streamer embroidered SOUTHWEST ASIA
2003-2004

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

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF THE ARMY:



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