



DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY

Lineage and Honors

40th SIGNAL BATTALION (TEAM 40th)

Constituted 31 July 1942 in the Army of the United States as the 40th Signal Construction Battalion

Activated 21 September 1942 at Camp Campbell, Kentucky

Reorganized and redesignated 25 May 1945 as the 40th Signal Light Construction Battalion

Inactivated 25 January 1946 at Camp Gruber, Oklahoma

Redesignated 31 August 1950 as the 40th Signal Construction Battalion

Activated 19 September 1950 at Camp Gordon, Georgia

Allotted 31 October 1950 to the Regular Army

Reorganized and redesignated 1 October 1953 as the 40th Signal Battalion

Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 40th Signal Battalion, reorganized and redesignated 1 October 1981 as Headquarters and Headquarters Detachment, 40th Signal Battalion (organic elements inactivated 30 September 1981 at Fort Huachuca, Arizona)

Reorganized and redesignated 16 January 1998 as Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 40th Signal Battalion (organic elements concurrently activated at Fort Huachuca, Arizona)

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CAMPAIGN PARTICIPATION CREDIT

World War II

Normandy
Northern France
Rhineland
Ardennes-Alsace
Central Europe

Vietnam

Counteroffensive, Phase II
Counteroffensive, Phase III
Tet Counteroffensive
Counteroffensive, Phase IV
Counteroffensive, Phase V
Counteroffensive, Phase VI
Tet 69/Counteroffensive
Summer-Fall 1969
Winter-Spring 1970
Sanctuary Counteroffensive
Counteroffensive, Phase VII
Consolidation I
Consolidation II
Cease-Fire

Southwest Asia

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

War on Terrorism

Campaigns to be determined

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DECORATIONS

Meritorious Unit Commendation (Army), Streamer embroidered VIETNAM 1966-1967

Meritorious Unit Commendation (Army), Streamer embroidered VIETNAM 1967-1968

Meritorious Unit Commendation (Army), Streamer embroidered SOUTHWEST ASIA 1990-1991

Meritorious Unit Commendation (Army), Streamer embroidered SOUTHWEST ASIA 2002-2004

Meritorious Unit Commendation (Army), Streamer embroidered IRAQ 2007-2009

Company C additionally entitled to:


Presidential Unit Citation (Navy), Streamer embroidered IRAQ 2003

Meritorious Unit Commendation (Army), Streamer embroidered IRAQ 2005-2006

Company D additionally entitled to:

Meritorious Unit Commendation (Army), Streamer embroidered IRAQ 2005-2006

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF THE ARMY:



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