61st Multifunctional Medical Battalion
129th Medical Company (11 September 2009 to 29 May 2010)
248th Medical Company (11 September 2009 to 4 May 2010)
550th Medical Company (11 September 2009 to 9 August 2010)
501st Medical Company (17 September 2009 to 18 August 2010)
313th Medical Company (21 October 2009 to 28 July 2010)
1886th Medical Detachment (11 September 2009 to 9 June 2010)
221st Medical Detachment (11 September 2009 to 29 May 2010)
19th Medical Detachment (13 October 2009 to 27 July 2010)
42d Medical Detachment (11 September 2009 to 9 August 2010)
33d Medical Detachment (26 September 2009 to 10 August 2010)
224th Medical Detachment (17 November 2009 to 27 July 2010)
480th Medical Detachment (4 December 2009 to 18 August 2010)
342d Medical Detachment (19 September 2009 to 8 August 2010)
926th Medical Detachment (16 February 2010 to 18 August 2010)
51st Medical Detachment (11 September 2009 to 17 July 2010)
248th Medical Detachment (29 October 2009 to 18 August 2010)

Announcement is made of the following award:

Award: Meritorious Unit Commendation
Period of service: 11 September 2009 to 18 August 2010
Authority: AR 600-8-22, paragraph 7-15
Reason: For exceptionally meritorious service. During the period
11 September 2009 to 18 August 2010, the 61st Multifunctional
Medical Battalion and its subordinate units displayed
exceptionally meritorious service while serving as Task Force
61st Multifunctional Medical Battalion in support of Operation
Iraqi Freedom. The Task Force's superior performance in
delivering health service support across twenty-four dispersed
operating bases contributed immeasurably to the mission success
of Task Force 1st Medical Brigade and Task Force 807th Medical
Command, establishing the model of excellence for all like units
to follow. Through its exemplary performance of duty, the 61st
Multifunctional Medical Battalion and its subordinate units are
in keeping with the finest traditions of military service and
have brought great credit upon the Task Force, United States
Forces-Iraq and the United States Army.
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Additional Instructions: This order serves as official
notification that a unit award has been approved for the
organization(s) listed above and will serve as authority for eligible Soldiers to update their records and wear the award. The award is still subject to final confirmation in Department of the Army General Orders. Official verification of a specific unit's entitlement to display the award in the form of an appropriate streamer on its flag or guidon rests with the U.S. Army Center of Military History (CMH), which is also responsible for determining official unit Lineage and Honors for MTOE organizations. CMH will use this permanent order to authorize the manufacture of an appropriate decoration streamer for any organization clearly entitled to display the award. The streamers will then be manufactured and sent to the U.S. Army Human Resources Command for automatic distribution to the units concerned.

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF THE ARMY:

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