

354th MEDICAL GROUP

MISSION

LINEAGE

USAF Hospital, Myrtle Beach constituted, 11 May 1971
Activated, 24 May 1971
Redesignated 354th Medical Group, 15 Mar 1987
Inactivated, 31 Mar 1993
Redesignated 354th Medical Squadron, 1 Aug 1993
Activated, 20 Aug 1993
Redesignated 354th Medical Group, 30 Sep 1994

STATIONS

Myrtle Beach AFB, SC, 24 May 71-31 Mar 1993
Eielson AFB, AK, 20 Aug 1993

ASSIGNMENTS

354th Tactical Fighter (later Fighter) Wing, 24 May 1971-31 Mar 1993; 20 Aug 1993

COMMANDERS

Col George O. Lewis, 11 May 1971
Col Theodore R. Hatfield, 25 Aug 1972
LTC John E. Touhey, 1 Jun 1973
Col Donald J. LaPorte, 27 Jul 1973
Col John C. Willis, 13 Jul 1975
Col William E. Palma, 21 Jul 1977
Col Daniel K. Siegel, by 9 Jul 1979
LTC William M. Evans, 7 Jul 1981
LTC Thomas M. McNish, 28 May 1985
Col Jim Davey, 15 Aug 1986
Col Ronnie R. Merwin, 4 Aug 1989
Col Thomas H. Nelson, 10 Sep 1990

LTC Steve Miegs, 29 May 1992
Maj Greg Leurhs, 2 Mar 1993-31 Mar 1993
Col Thomas S. Bailey, 20 Aug 1993
Col Don A. Lawrence, 11 Jul 1995
Col Robert L. Crane, 27 May 1997
Col Edward J. Wright, 7 Jun 1999
Col William R. English, 14 Jul 2000
Col Jay C. Neubauer, 15 Jul 2002-9 Jul 2004
Col Michael W. Restey

HONORS

Service Streamers

Campaign Streamers

Armed Forces Expeditionary Streamers

None

Decorations

Presidential Unit Citation
10 Oct 1972-30 Apr 1973

Air Force Outstanding Unit Award
1 May 1976-31 May 1977
1 Jun 1978-31 May 1979
1 May 1990-15 Mar 1992
11 Sep 2000-10 Sep 2002
17 Sep 2003-16 Sep 2005

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OPERATIONS

Air Force Order of Battle
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Sources

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