

375th MEDICAL GROUP

MISSION

The 375th Medical Group supports the 375th Airlift Wing and 66 associate units including USTRANSCOM, AMC, SDDC, AFCA, 18th AF and 174 GSUs in the global reach mission by providing, expanding, and deploying medical capability for contingency taskings. The medical group trains 60 personnel annually through four specialty training programs and sustains the readiness skills of more than 850 active duty and Air Reserve Component personnel. In addition to the medical group's readiness mission, it provides health services for more than 60,000 local beneficiaries and 1,500 aeromedical patients.

The medical group is accredited by the Accreditation Association for Ambulatory Health Care, American Dental Association, American Hospital Association, College of American Pathologists and American Medical Association.

LINEAGE

3310th Medical Squadron designated and organized, 26 Aug 1948
Redesignated 3310th Station Medical Squadron, 1 Nov 1948
Redesignated 3310th Medical Group, 23 Mar 1950
Redesignated 3310th USAF Hospital, 16 Oct 1953
Redesignated 1405th USAF Hospital, 1 Oct 1957
Redesignated USAF Hospital, Scott, 1 Jul 1958
Redesignated USAF Medical Center, Scott, 1 Jul 1969
Redesignated 375th Medical Group, 1 Jul 1993

STATIONS

Scott AFB, IL, 26 Aug 1948

ASSIGNMENTS

3310th Technical Training (later, 1405th Air Base) Wing, 26 Aug 1948
Military Air Transport Service (later, Military Airlift Command), 1 Jul 1959
Twenty-Third Air Force, 1 Jul 1985
Twenty-Second Air Force, 1 Feb 1990
375th Airlift Wing, 1 Oct 1992

COMMANDERS

Col John E. Pluenneke, 1948
BG Harold F. Funsch, Oct 1949
Col Dan R. Sewell, Oct 1951
Col Carl B. Stilson, Jul 1955
Col E. H. Underwood, Jr., Jun 1959
Col Oakley K. Park, Jul 1964
Col Daniel C. Campbell, Jr., Jul 196
Col Rexford G. Haycraft, 26 May 1970
Col Herbert V. Swindell, 10 Aug 1970
Col R.M. Dean, 11 Sep 1973
Col J.W. Ord, 22 Jul 1974
LTG Paul K. Carlton, Jr., May 1988
MG Earl W. Mabry II, Aug 1991
BG John G. Jernigan, Jul 1992
Col Charles E. Robacker, 28 May 1993
Col Thomas A. Mikkelson, 26 Sep 1996
Col William J. Germann, 29 Jun 1998
Col Thomas Massello, 7 Jul 2000
Col Charles W. Beadling, 11 Jul 2002
Col Lawrence M. Riddles, 9 Jul 2004
Col Diane C. Ritter, 21 July 2006
Col Jill L. Sterling, 1 May 2009
Col Bret D. Burton, 6 Jul 2012
Col Douglas B. Curry, 29 Jul 2015

HONORS

Service Streamers

Campaign Streamers

Armed Forces Expeditionary Streamers

Decorations

Air Force Outstanding Unit Awards

1 Aug 1966-30 Jun 1968
1 Jul 1968-30 Jun 1969
1 Jul 1969-30 Jun 1970
1 Jun 1979-31 May 1981
15 Jul 1985-14 Jul 1987
1 Aug 1992-31 Jul 1994
1 Jun 1998-31 May 2000
1 Jun 2003-31 May 2005
1 Jun 2006-31 May 2008

1 Sep 2009-31 Aug 2011
1 Sep 2011-31 Aug 2013

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OPERATIONS

8 Nov 1958 After 4 years of construction, Scott's new \$7.5M hospital opened.

Apr 1997 Major flooding in North Dakota followed a severe snowstorm that knocked out power lines and closed roads. Members from the 375th Civil Engineer Squadron, 375th Medical Group, and 375th Aeromedical Evacuation Squadron, deployed to Grand Forks, North Dakota, to provide medical support and repair damage. 1 Jul 1997

13 May 2005 Combined with an Air Force-wide initiative to downsize military hospitals, the 2005 Base Realignment and Closure (BRAC) recommended Scott's hospital be converted into a clinic. In the fall of 2006, Scott's Emergency Room closed and all inpatient surgery was moved to area civilian hospitals. An Ambulatory Care Clinic was established as a transition step, but that closed in September 2007. To improve available clinic services, a massive 2-year, \$35 million, facility renovation project began in late 2007.

6 Sept 2005 Approximately 200 Wing members, primarily from the 375th Medical Group and 375th Civil Engineer Squadron began deploying in support of Joint Task Force-Katrina. Medical Group personnel setup a medical evacuation center at the Louis Armstrong International Airport, New Orleans. Civil Engineer members helped with cleanup, restoration of utilities, and establishment of a tent city for the 82nd Airborne Division. Additionally, Wing C-21s flew 54 missions, airlifting 200 people into and out of the affected area. 30 Nov 2006 A major ice storm hit Scott AFB and the surrounding area, resulting in nearly 500,000 homes losing electricity. The 375 AW expended \$621,200 in man-hours to help recovery efforts.

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Sources

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