

1454 AEROMEDICAL EVACUATION SQUADRON



MISSION

LINEAGE

1454 Aeromedical Evacuation Squadron

STATIONS

Prestwick, Scotland

Rhein-Main AB, Germany

ASSIGNMENTS

COMMANDERS

HONORS

Service Streamers

Campaign Streamers

Armed Forces Expeditionary Streamers

Decorations

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MOTTO

NICKNAME

OPERATIONS

Flight nurses of the 1454th Aeromedical Evacuation Squadron at Rhein-Main AB, Germany, participated in the first use of jet aircraft for the aerovac of patients. Nurses accompanied twenty-four litter patients, twenty-four ambulatory patients, and one Stryker-frame patient in a C-135. Less than ten hours after departing Germany, the flight landed at McGuire AFB, NJ, the first nonstop transatlantic, jet aeromedical flight. The officer in charge of the medical crew was Isabelle H. Rumianek. Two flight nurses, Lieutenants Delia F. Greer and Elwin Robertson and three aeromedical technicians assisted her. October 1961

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