

## 59 DENTAL TRAINING SQUADRON



### **MISSION**

The 238-member squadron is the U.S. Air Force flagship for dental education and specialty consultation. The squadron is a referral center, providing comprehensive oral and maxillofacial healthcare while conducting original research. The tri-service staff ensure worldwide dental readiness and advanced training, conducting six residency, 2 fellowships and 66 weeks of continuing education courses for officers and enlisted members.

### **LINEAGE**

59 Dental Training Squadron constituted, 1 Nov 2006  
Activated, 1 Dec 2006

### **STATIONS**

Lackland AFB, TX, 1 Dec 2006

### **ASSIGNMENTS**

59 Dental Training (later, 59 Dental) Group, 1 Dec 2006

### **COMMANDERS**

Col Thomas Schnied  
Col William R. Buhler, May 4, 2011

### **HONORS**

**Service Streamers**

## **Campaign Streamers**

### **Armed Forces Expeditionary Streamers**

#### **Decorations**

Air Force Outstanding Unit Awards

[1 Dec] 2006-30 Jun 2007

1 Jul 2007-30 Jun 2008

1 Jul 2008-30 Jun 2009

1 Jul 2009-30 Jun 2010

1 Jul 2010-30 Jun 2011

1 Jul 2011-30 Jun 2013

1 Jul 2013-30 Jun 2014

1 Jul 2014-30 Jun 2015

1 Jul 2015-30 Jun 2016

1 Jul 2016-30 Jun 2017

1 Jul 2017-30 Jun 2018

1 Jul 2018-30 Jun 2019

1 Jul 2019-30 Jun 2020

1 Jul 2020-30 Jun 2021

1 Jul 2021-30 Jun 2022

#### **EMBLEM**

Approved, 21 Mar 2022

#### **MOTTO**

#### **OPERATIONS**

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