

## 82<sup>nd</sup> MEDICAL OPERATIONS SQUADRON



### MISSION

### LINEAGE

82<sup>nd</sup> Medical Operations Squadron constituted, 1 Aug 1994  
Activated, 5 Aug 1994

### STATIONS

Sheppard AFB, TX, 5 Aug 1994

### ASSIGNMENTS

82<sup>nd</sup> Medical Group, 5 Aug 1994

### COMMANDERS

### HONORS

**Service Streamers**

**Campaign Streamers**

**Armed Forces Expeditionary Streamers**

### Decorations

Air Force Outstanding Unit Awards

[5 Aug] 1994-30 Jun 1995

1 Jul 1996-30 Jun 1998

1 Jul 1998-30 Jun 1999

1 Jul 2000-30 Jun 2002

1 Jul 2005-30 Jun 2006

1 Jul 2006-30 Jun 2008  
1 Jul 2008-30 Jun 2010  
1 Jul 2010-30 Jun 2012  
1 Jul 2012-30 Jun 2014

### **EMBLEM**

On a disk Azure, emitting from base a demi-globe of the field grid lines Vert, surmounted by a winged torch Or, flamant of the third and Gules, wings elevated and addorsed Argent, torch base entwined with a serpent of the fourth, eyed Sable, all within a narrow border Black. Attached above the disc, a White scroll edged with a narrow Black border and inscribed "ANGELS OF MERCY" in Black letters. Attached below the disc, a White scroll edged with a narrow Black border and inscribed "82D MEDICAL OPERATIONS SQ" in Black letters. **SIGNIFICANCE:** Ultramarine blue and Air Force yellow are the Air Force colors. Blue alludes to the sky, the primary theater of Air Force operations. Yellow refers to the sun and the excellence required of Air Force personnel. The flight symbol and polestar represent operational satellites in the space frontier. The five-pointed star suggests future frontiers to explore. The heraldic serpent reflects the Squadron's support to its parent wing, while characterizing the unit's constant command and control duties of Department of Defense satellites that provide communication and data transfer to military units worldwide. (Approved, 19 Aug 1998)

### **MOTTO**

### **NICKNAME**

### **OPERATIONS**

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Air Force Order of Battle  
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#### Sources

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