

# 48 OPERATIONAL MEDICAL READINESS SQUADRON



## **MISSION**

### **LINEAGE**

48 Aerospace Medicine Squadron constituted, 1 Aug 1994

Activated, 1 Sep 1994

Redesignated 48 Operational Medical Readiness Squadron, 13 Jul 2020

### **STATIONS**

RAF Lakenheath, England, 1 Sep 1994

### **ASSIGNMENTS**

48 Medical Group, 1 Sep 1994

### **COMMANDERS**

Lt Col Daniel L. Van Syoc, 7 Sep 1994

Lt Col Jim A. Davis, 18 Jul 1995

Lt Col Richard Bachmann, Jr. 15 Jul 1997

Lt Col Matthew R. Chini, 9 Jul 1999

Lt Col Kenneth K. Knight, 9 Jul 2001

Col Joseph B. Anderson, 8 Jul 2003

Col Patrick R. Storms, 11 Jul 2005

Col Federic A. Marks 3 July 2007

## **HONORS**

### **Service Streamers**

### **Campaign Streamers**

### **Armed Forces Expeditionary Streamers**

### **Decorations**

Meritorious Unit Award  
1 Mar 2015-29 Feb 2016

### **Air Force Outstanding Unit Awards**

6 Sep 1994-30 Sep 1996  
1 Aug 1996-30 Jun 1998  
24 Mar-10 June 1999  
1 Oct 2000-24 Sep 2002  
1 Oct 2002-30 Sep 2004  
1 Oct 2004-31 Oct 2005  
1 Jan-31 Dec 2007  
1 Jan-31 Dec 2008  
1 Jan 2009-31 Dec 2010  
1 Jan 2014-31 Dec 2015

## **EMBLEM**



Blue and 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 disc as a globe signifies the unit's worldwide focus of medical services. The red cross, a traditional medical symbol, reflects the services offered by the squadron. The flight symbol alludes to the unit's support of both ground and aerospace forces. (Approved, 19 Mar 1997)

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**OPERATIONS**

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