

# 919 SPECIAL OPERATIONS MEDICAL SQUADRON

## MISSION

## LINEAGE

919 Tactical Dispensary constituted and activated, 15 Jan 1963

Organized in the Reserve, 11 Feb 1963

Discontinued and inactivated, 15 Dec 1965

Activated in the Reserve, 30 Jul 1971

Redesignated 919 Tactical Clinic, 1 Apr 1973

Redesignated 919 Tactical Hospital, 1 Oct 1989

Redesignated 919 Medical Squadron, 1 Nov 1990

Redesignated 919 Special Operations Medical Squadron

## STATIONS

Memphis Muni Aprt, TN, 11 Feb 1963-15 Dec 1965

Eglin AFB, FL, 30 Jul 1971

## ASSIGNMENTS

919 Troop Carrier Group, 11 Feb 1963-15 Dec 1965

919 Tactical Airlift (later, 919 Special Operations) Group, 30 Jul 1971

919 Medical Group, 1 Aug 1992

919 Special Operations Wing, 1 Oct 1994

## COMMANDERS

Lt Col Joseph Catalino, Jr.

## HONORS

### Service Streamers

### Campaign Streamers

### Armed Forces Expeditionary Streamers

## Decorations

Air Force Outstanding Unit Award with Combat "V" Device

1 Feb 2001-31 Jan 2003

#### Air Force Outstanding Unit Awards

30 Jul 1971-31 Mar 1973

1 Jul 1975-31 Jan 1977

1 Oct 1983-1 Jun 1985

1 Jun 1987-31 May 1989

8 Dec 1989-7 Jan 1990

1 Jun 1990-31 May 1992

1 Jun 1992-31 May 1994

1 Jun 1994-31 May 1996

1 Jun 1996-31 May 1998

1 Jun 1998-31 May 2000

1 Feb-30 Sep 2003

1 Oct 2003-31 Dec 2004

1 Jan-31 Dec 2005

1 Jan-31 Dec 2006

1 Jan-31 Dec 2007

1 Oct 2008-30 Jul 2010

#### **EMBLEM**

#### **MOTTO**

#### **OPERATIONS**

The 919 Medical Squadron reports to the 919th SOW commander. When mobilized, the squadron provides manpower augmentation for a 50-bed air transportable hospital or may be used to augment a hospital or a field medical treatment facility. A flight surgeon and two medical technicians also train to deploy with each of the flying squadrons. During Air Force Reserve training functions, the medical squadron provides unit reservists with immunizations and required physical examinations. The squadron also supports Humanitarian Civic Action programs with deployments to South America and Central America.

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