

18th MEDICAL GROUP



MISSION

LINEAGE

18th Station Medical Group constituted, 10 Aug 1948
Activated, 14 Aug 1948
Redesignated 18th Medical Group, 1 Apr 1949
Redesignated 18th Tactical Hospital, 8 Mar 1954
Inactivated, 16 Feb 1959
Redesignated 18th Medical Group and activated, 1 Oct 1991

STATIONS

Clark AB, Luzon, Philippines, 14 Aug 1948
Chinhae Airdrome, South Korea, 25 Jun 1951
Osan Ni, South Korea, 31 Dec 1952
Kadena AB, Ryukyu Islands, 30 Oct 1954
Yontan Auxiliary Air Base, Ryukyu Islands, 10 Nov 1954
Kadena AB, Ryukyu Islands, 12 Dec 1954-16 Feb 1959
Kadena AB, Japan, 1 Oct 1951

ASSIGNMENTS

18th Fighter (later 18th Fighter-Bomber, 18th Tactical Fighter) Wing, 14 Aug 1948-16 Feb 1959
18th Wing, 1 Oct 1991

ATTACHMENTS

24th Medical Group, Depot, 13 Aug 1949-17 Dec 1949

6200th Air Base Wing, 1 Dec 1950-25 Jun 1951
Fifth Air Force, 25 Jun 1951-unkn
6313th Air Base Wing, 1 Oct 1957-16 Feb 1959

COMMANDERS

HONORS

Service Streamers

None

Campaign Streamers

Korea

CCF Spring Offensive

UN Summer-Fall Offensive

Second Korean Winter

Korea, Summer-Fall 1952

Third Korean Winter

Korea, Summer 1953

Armed Forces Expeditionary Streamers

None

Decorations

Air Force Outstanding Unit Awards

[1 Oct] 1991-31 May 1993

1 Jun 1993-31 Aug 1994

1 Sep 1995-31 Aug 1997

1 Oct 1998-30 Sep 2000

1 Oct 2000-30 Sep 2002

1 Oct 2002-30 Sep 2004

1 Oct 2005-30 Sep 2007

Republic of Korea Presidential Unit Citation

25 Jun 1951-31 Mar 1953

EMBLEM

Group will use the wing emblem with group designation in the scroll

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OPERATIONS

Air Force Order of Battle

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Sources

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