# **6 DENTAL SQUADRON**



#### **MISSION**

### LINEAGE

6 Dental Squadron constituted, 26 Aug 1994 Activated, 1 Sep 1994

### **STATIONS**

MacDill AFB, FL, 1 Sep 1994

### **ASSIGNMENTS**

6 Medical Group, 1 Sep 1994

## **COMMANDERS**

#### **HONORS**

**Service Streamers** 

# **Campaign Streamers**

# **Armed Forces Expeditionary Streamers**

## **Decorations**

Air Force Outstanding Unit Awards [1 Sep] 1994-31 May 1996 1 Jul 1996-30 Jun 1998 1 Jul 1998-30 Jun 2000

1 Jul 2004-30 Jun 2006

1 Jul 2007–30 Jun 2009

1 Jul 2009 – 30 Jun 2010

1 Jul 2013 - 30 Jun 2014

#### **EMBLEM**

On a disc pily bendy Azure and Bluebird in chief charged with a Greek Omega Or intersecting to form the Omicron and Delta, the traditional dental symbol, surmounted by a stylized staff of Aesculapius Or, serpent Argent; all within a narrow border Yellow. Attached above the disc, a Blue scroll edged with a narrow Yellow border and inscribed "ENSURING GLOBAL READINESS" in Yellow letters. Attached below the disc, a Blue scroll edged with a narrow Yellow border and inscribed "6TH DENTAL SQUADRON" in Yellow 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 triangle refers to the Air Force's vision of everyday operations around the globe: Global Vigilance, Global Reach, and Global Power. The circle represents the comprehensive dental care provided by the unit. The stylized staff of Aesculapius represents the Dental Corps. The alternating rays represent the day and night year-round commitment to excellence. (Approved, 15 Nov 2007)

#### MOTTO

**OPERATIONS** 

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Sources

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