

## 18 MEDICAL GROUP



### MISSION

#### LINEAGE

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

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

#### ATTACHMENTS

24 Medical Group, Depot, 13 Aug 1949-17 Dec 1949  
6200 Air Base Wing, 1 Dec 1950-25 Jun 1951

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

## **COMMANDERS**

## **HONORS**

### **Service Streamers**

#### **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**

#### **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

31 Oct 2009-[1 Nov] 2010

2 Nov 2010-1 Nov 2012

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

**MOTTO**

**OPERATIONS**

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