

## USAF SCHOOL OF AVIATION MEDICINE



### MISSION

### LINEAGE

Medical Research Laboratory organization, 19 Jan 1918

Redesignated Medical Research Laboratory and School for Flight Surgeons, May 1919

Redesignated School of Aviation Medicine, 8 Nov 1922

Redesignated Army Air Forces School of Aviation Medicine, 1 Oct 1943

Disbanded, 15 Sep 1944

27 Army Air Forces Base Unit (Army Air Forces School of Aviation Medicine) organized, 15 Sep 1944

Redesignated 27 Air Force Base Unit (Air Force School of Aviation Medicine), 26 Sep 1947

Redesignated 27 Air Force Base Unit (United States Air Force School of Aviation Medicine), 16 Jun 1948

Discontinued, 27 Aug 1948

United States Air Force School of Aviation Medicine designated, 24 Aug 1948

Organized, 27 Aug 1948

Redesignated School of Aviation Medicine, United States Air Force, 1 Sep 1955

Redesignated School of Aviation Medicine, 1 Jul 1959

Redesignated School of Aerospace Medicine, 8 May 1961

Redesignated USAF School of Aerospace Medicine, 1 Jul 1962

Army Air Forces School of Aviation Medicine reconstituted and consolidated with 27 Air Force Base Unit (United States Air Force School of Aviation Medicine), and USAF School of Aerospace Medicine, 27 Mar 1979. Consolidated organization was designated as USAF School of Aviation Medicine

Redesignated USAF School of Aviation Medicine (AFSC), 8 Sep 1989

Redesignated USAF School of Aviation Medicine, 1 Oct 1994

### **STATIONS**

Hazelhurst Field, NY, 19 Jan 1918

Mitchel Field, NY, Nov 1919

Brooks Field, TX, 30 Jun 1926

Randolph Field, TX, 31 Oct 1931-15 Sep 1944

Randolph Field (later, Randolph AFB), TX, 15 Sep 1944-27 Aug 1948

Randolph AFB, TX, 27 Aug 1948

Brooks AFB, TX, 3 Aug 1959

### **ASSIGNMENTS**

Air Division, [US Army] Signal Corps, 19 Jan 1918

Department of Military Aeronautics, c. 27 May 1918

Air Service, US Army, c. 18 Apr 1919

Air Corps, US Army, 2 Jul 1926 (attached to Air Corps Training Center, 16 Aug 1926-7 Jul 1940;

Gulf Coast Air Corps Training Center, 8 Jul 1940-11 Aug 1942)

United States Army Air Forces, 6 Feb 1942-15 Sep 1944

Army Air Forces, 15 Sep 1944

Air University, 1 Apr 1946

501 Air University Wing, 21 Jun 1948

Air University, 27 Jul-27 Aug 1948

Air University, 27 Aug 1948

United States Air Force Aerospace Medical Center, 1 Oct 1959

Aerospace Medical Division (later, Human Systems Division; Human Systems Center; 311

Human Systems Wing), 15 Apr 1962

711 Human Performance Wing, 28 May 2008

### **COMMANDERS**

Brig Gen Edward J. Kendricks, #1955

### **HONORS**

#### **Service Streamers**

World War II American Theater

#### **Campaign Streamers**

## **Armed Forces Expeditionary Streamers**

### **Decorations**

Air Force Outstanding Unit Awards

1 Nov 1957-30 Jun 1963

1 Jan 1965-31 Dec 1966

1 Jan-31 Dec 2000

1 Jan-31 Dec 2001

1 Jan-31 Dec 2002

1 Jan-31 Dec 2003

1 Jan-31 Dec 2004

Air Force Organizational Excellence Awards

1 Jan 1985-31 Dec 1986

13 Dec 1990-1 Apr 1992

1 Sep 1997-31 Mar 1999

1 Jan-31 Dec 2000

### **EMBLEM**

Approved, 21 Mar 1925

### **MOTTO**

### **OPERATIONS**



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