

DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY
HEADQUARTERS, UNITED STATES ARMY, EUROPE, and SEVENTH ARMY
APO NEW YORK 09403

PERMANENT ORDERS 173-4

4 December 1987

Augmentation, 45th Field Hospital E8 (WBJW99) APO New York 09221

Following organization/unit action directed.

Action: Unit(s) reorganized under TDA E8WBJW99 Command Control Number: E10388

Assigned to: 7th Medical Command

Mission: As stated in TDA E8WBJW99, section I

Effective date: 17 January 1988

Military structure strength: 36 officers, 0 warrant officers, 46 enlisted, 82 aggregate

Military authorized strength: 31 officers, 0 warrant officers, 39 enlisted, 70 aggregate

Civilian structure strength: 35 general schedule United States, 85 direct hire foreign national, 120 aggregate

Civilian authorized strength: 31 general schedule United States, 74 direct hire foreign national, 105 aggregate

Accounting classification: Not applicable

Authority: AR 220-5 and AR 310-49

Additional instructions: See page 2

Format: 740

FOR THE COMMANDER IN CHIEF:



WILLIAM H. RUSS
Lieutenant Colonel, GS
Assistant Adjutant General

DISTRIBUTION: Special

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- 5 - Cdr, USAMARDA (PEMS-D), Ft Belvoir, VA 22060-5587
- 2 - Cdr, USAFDSA (MOFD-FAS), WASH DC, 20310-0460
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- 2 - Cdr, 1st TMCA (MID) (AEUTR-MCA-IP)
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- 10 - Cdr, 7th MEDCOM (AEMCO-MP)
- 10 - Cdr, UCSA, APO 09102
- 10 - Cdr, 45th Fld Hosp, APO 09221
- 2 - C, Area CPO, Livorno, APO 09019

Direct inquiries concerning these orders to your resource management office.

- Additional Instructions:** (a) This constitutes requisition authority. Equipment requisitions will not be submitted to supporting materiel management center (MMC) until 300 days before effective date (AR 700-120).
- (b) Tables of distribution and allowances (TDA) and applicable common tables of allowances constitute the only equipment authorization documents for TDA units.
- (c) Maximum use will be made locally of personnel made surplus by this action in accordance with AR 614-200. Maximum number of personnel required by this action will be assigned from locally available resources without Military Personnel, Army-permanent change of station costs; the remainder will be procured through normal personnel requisitioning procedures. New enlisted personnel authorizations will be reflected immediately in the Office of Personnel Operations 45 report.
- (d) Authorizations for reportable items of equipment listed in Supply Bulletin 700-20 that are included in Equipment Status Reports (reports control symbol United States Army Materiel Command-124) must be in agreement with Department of the Army approved TDA listed above.
- (e) On registration of parent organization unit identification codes and derivative unit identification codes, commands, activities, organizations, units will request a Department of Defense Activity Address Code (DODAAC) in accordance with United States Army, Europe (USAREUR) Regulation 55-5. Each Army Command, activity, organization, unit, or separate detachment that maintains a formal document register under the provisions of AR 710-2 and is authorized to request/requisition supplies by submitting a Department of the Army Form 2765, Department of Defense Form 1348, or their equivalents, using Military Standard Requisitioning and Issue Procedures, must request and obtain a revised "W" series DODAAC in accordance with established procedures. On reorganization, appropriate information must be submitted in accordance with USAREUR Regulation 55-5 for necessary update of the USAREUR Activity Address File and Directory.
- (f) Unit commanders will update DA Form 12- series in accordance with AR 310-2 and USAREUR Supplement 1 to request publications (e.g., TM, TB, LO) needed to support new or changed equipment and to delete publications no longer required.
- (g) Enclosure 1 is the approved authorization document applicable to this (these) unit(s).
- (h) The TDA identification numbers remain unchanged, except for the elimination of variation numbers.
- (i) Under VTAADS, authorization documents are assigned a Command Control Number (CCNUM) (e.g., CCNUM E10178) to distinguish approved variations by fiscal year. Characters one and two (E1) represent USAREUR. Characters three and four (01) identify the variation, in sequence, published during the fiscal year. Characters five and six (78) identify the fiscal year.
- (j) This section pertains only to Permanent Orders for Civilian Support Units. "Action required will be in accordance with the provisions of the Collective Tarriff Agreement II, appendix Z (USAREUR Pam 690-60) and USAREUR Regulations 600-400 and 690 series. The USAREUR Civilian Support Agency establishes USAREUR policy for, and exercises administrative control over Civilian Support units in the areas of compensation and classification management, training, recruitment and placement, management-employee relations, as well as plans, security, supply and logistics".

TDA: E8WBJW99
CCNUM: E10388
EDATE: 880117

DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY
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AUGMENTATION - 45TH FIELD HOSPITAL
(TOE 08-510HE103)

SECTION I - GENERAL

1. BASIS FOR CHANGES: TDA E8WBJW99, CCNUM E10288
 - a. MODIFICATION: Implementation of IMA Phase V
 - b. RESCISSIONS: NA
 - c. SUPERSESSIONS: This TDA superseded TDA E8WBJW99, E10288, EDATE 880116

TDA: E8WBJW99
CCNUM: E10388
EDATE: 880117

2. LOCATION: Vicenza, Italy APO NY 09221
3. ASSIGNMENT: 7th Medical Command, APO NY 09102
4. DATE OF LAST MANPOWER SURVEY: MAY 82
DATE OF LAST EQUIPMENT SURVEY: OCT 83
5. MISSION:

a. Provide health service support to all authorized personnel and activities within the US Army Medical Department Activity, Vicenza area of responsibility as directed by Commander, 7th Medical Command.

b. Exercise command and control of the following assigned medical facilities:

<u>Facility Designation</u>	<u>Operating Unit</u>	<u>Location</u>
USAH, Vicenza	45th Field Hospital	Caserma Ederle, Vicenza, Italy
USAHC, Camp Darby	45th Field Hospital	Camp Darby, Livorno, Italy
USAHC, Sinop	45th Field Hospital	Sinop, Turkey

c. Provide medical support for US Army Field Station Sinop, Turkey: 528th USAG, Cakmakli, Turkey; 558th USAAG, Elevisis, Greece.

d. US Army Dental Clinic, Vicenza:

(1) Provide dental service support to all authorized personnel and activities within the US Army Dental Activity (DENTAC), Vicenza area of responsibility as directed by Commander, 7th Medical Command.

TDA: E8WBJW99
CONUM: E10388
EDATE: 880117

(4) Average Daily Clinic Visits: 230

c. The US Army Medical Department Activity (MEDDAC), Vicenza provides administrative and logistical support to the US Army Dental Activity (DENTAC), Vicenza.

d. Use of other than assigned personnel:

(1) Augmentation provided by: 45th Field Hospital

(2) In the absence of the above unit or fraction thereof, additional augmentation equal to such absence will be required from other sources in order that mission effectiveness of the US Army Medical Department Activity, Vicenza be maintained.

7. TENANCY: This organization is a tenant of US Army Military Community Activity, Vicenza, Italy.

8. This TDA does not constitute the official approval of pay category, title, series or grade for civilian positions. Classification of civilian positions is determined by application, by the servicing Civilian Personnel Office, of regulations and standards issued by the Office of Personnel Management, and Headquarters, Department of the Army.

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AUGMENTATION - 45TH FIELD HOSPITAL
(TOE 08-510HE103)

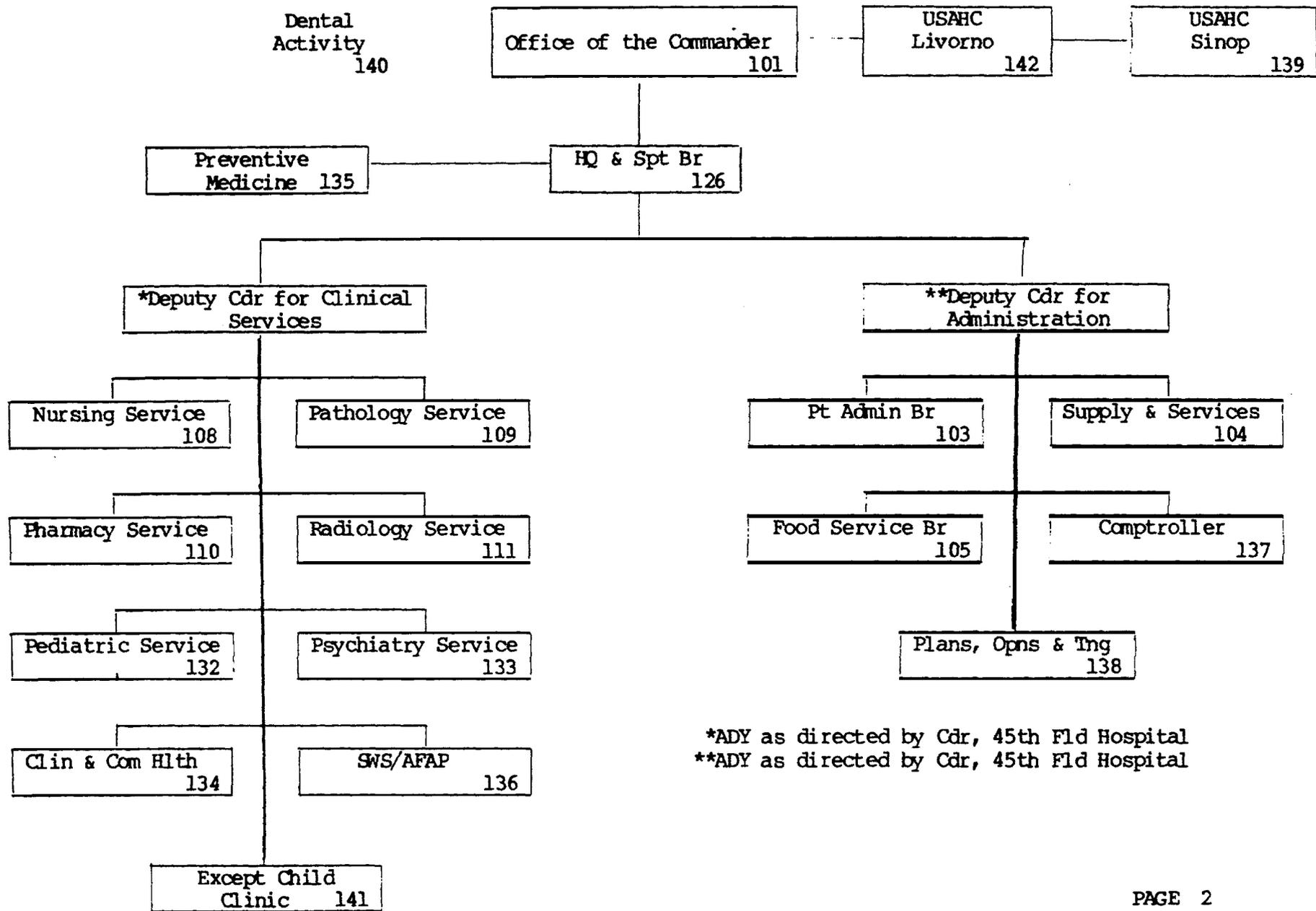
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AUGMENTATION - 45TH FIELD HOSPITAL

TDA: E8WBJW99
 CCNUM: E10388
 EDATE: 880117

ORGANIZATIONAL CHART



*ADY as directed by Cdr, 45th Fld Hospital
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(2) Exercise command and control of the following assigned dental facilities:

<u>Facility Designation</u>	<u>Operating Unit</u>	<u>Location</u>
Headquarters, Dental Activity	102d Med Det (DS)	Caserna Ederle, Vicenza, Italy
USA Dental Clinic	102d Med Det (DS)	Caserna Ederle, Vicenza, Italy
USA Dental Clinic	102d Med Det (DS)	Camp Darby, Livorno, Italy
USA Dental Clinic	102d Med Det (DS)	USA Field Station, Sinop, Turkey

6. CAPABILITIES: US Army Medical Department Activity, Vicenza:

a. Authorized Operating Bed Level: 28

b. Workload:

(1) Average Daily MCCU: 154

(2) Average Daily Beds Occupied: 20

(3) Average Population Supported: 10,000

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9. **AUTHORIZATION STATEMENT:** This table is in accordance with AR 310- series, and together with applicable AR, CTA and other regulations, constitutes the authority to requisition and issue in accordance with pertinent Department of the Army Directives, all items herein unless otherwise indicated.

- a. AR 32-301, Furnishing items of Special Clothing to Civilian Employees.
- b. AR 385-52, Protective Clothing and Equipment.
- c. AR 840-10, Description and Use of Flags, Guidons, Tabards and Automobile Plates.
- d. CTA 8-100, Army Medical Department Expendable Supplies.
- e. CTA 50-900, Clothing and Individual Equipment (Active Army, Reserve Components, and DA Civilians).
- f. CTA 50-909, Office Type Furniture and Equipment.
- g. CTA 500-970, Expendable Items (Except: Medical, Class V, Repair Parts and Heraldic Items).
- i. As an exception to policy, Section I (medical items) approved by the Surgeon General and required for the Army Medical Facility TDA are listed in the Department of Defense medical material sections of the Federal Supply Catalog (FSC) and in DA Supply Catalogs in the SB 6545-8-CL series. These catalogs constitute the authority for those medical items and, therefore, the items are not listed in Section II of a medical facility TDA.

10. **CHANGES:** Requests for changes or revision of this document should be routed through command channels to this Headquarters, ATTN: AEAGF-ADE. Telephonic queries should be directed to Heidelberg Mil (370-) 6346/6768.

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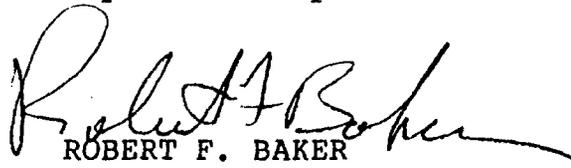
Mr. Lemelin/

Director, The Institute of Heraldry, U.S. Army, Cameron Station,
Alexandria, VA 22304-5050

24 JAN 1989

FOR Chief, USA Center of Military History, ATTN: DAMH-HSO, Room
4239, Pulaski Bldg, 20 Massachusetts Ave., N.W., Washington,
D.C. 20314-0200

Correspondence from USA Medical Department Activity, Vicenza is
referred as a matter within the purview of your Center.


ROBERT F. BAKER
Colonel, GS
Director

CF: USA Medical Department Activity, Vicenza



DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY
UNITED STATES ARMY MEDICAL DEPARTMENT ACTIVITY, VICENZA
APU NEW YORK 09221

REPLY TO
ATTENTION OF

AEMVI-ADJ (840-10a)

03 January 1989

MEMORANDUM FOR: The Institute of Heraldry, US ARMY,
ATTN: DAAG-HDZ-A, Cameron Station, Alexandria, VA 22314

SUBJECT: Request for Lineage and Honors Documents

1. This command does not have on file the official Lineage and Honors documentation for both the United States Army Medical Department Activity, Vicenza and the 45th Field Hospital. It is requested that both documents be sent to us.

2. Please forward documents at your earliest convenience.
Thank you.

FOR THE COMMANDER:

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Mark T. Foulton".

MARK T. FOULTON
CPT, MS
Adjutant

17 MAR 1989

DAMH-HSO (AEMVI-ADJ/3 Jan 89)(870-5a) 2d End
SUBJECT: Request for Lineage and Honors Documents

DA, Center of Military History, Washington, DC 20314-0200

FOR Commander, U.S. Army Medical Department Activity,
Vicenza, ATTN: AEMVI-ADJ, APO New York 09221

Under the provisions of AR 870-5, paragraph 1-7g, Lineage and Honors Certificates are prepared only for TOE flag- or color-bearing organizations that are not subordinate elements of a color-bearing organization. Since the U.S. Army Medical Department, Vicenza, is organized under a Table of Distribution and Allowance (TDA) rather than a TOE, a Lineage and Honors Certificate has not been prepared for it. Enclosed is a copy of the Lineage and Honors Certificate for the 45th Field Hospital.

FOR THE CHIEF OF MILITARY HISTORY:



CLAYTON R. NEWELL
Lieutenant Colonel, Infantry
Chief, Historical Services Division

Encl



DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY
UNITED STATES MEDICAL DEPARTMENT ACTIVITY, VICENZA
APO NEW YORK 09221

REPLY TO
ATTENTION OF

AEMVI-ADJ (340d)

07 March 1991

MEMORANDUM FOR The Institute of Heraldry, US Army
ATTN: DAAG-HDZ-4, Cameron Station, Alexandria, VA 22314

SUBJECT: Request for battle Streamer Information

1. The 45th Field Hospital received campaign participation credit during World War II for the Normandy, Northern France, Rhineland, Ardennes-Alsace and Central Europe campaigns. (see encl.)
2. This command requires further information about its participation during their campaign. Does an order of Battle exist for the unit? Where was it stationed during each campaign? With which army did it serve and support? Can any former members be contacted?
3. We wish to compile an in depth history of our unit and any help or direction to other possible sources of information is greatly appreciated. Thank you for your efforts. We look forward to your response.

FOR THE COMMANDER:

Encl

AR Perry
ALAN R. PERRY
CPT, MS
Adjutant

DAMH-HSO (AEMVI-ADJ/7 Mar 91) (870-5a) 1st End
Mrs. Everett/red/AV 335-2514
SUBJECT: Request for Battle Streamer Information

DA, Center of Military History, Washington, DC 20374-5088 29 APR 1991

FOR Commander, U.S. Army Medical Department Activity, Vicenza,
ATTN: AEMVI-ADJ, APO New York 09221

1. The Department of the Army does not prepare histories of individual units, but they are sometimes compiled by unit personnel or private organizations. We have no record that a history of the 45th Field Hospital has ever been written.
2. Enclosed is a copy of a letter prepared by this office in 1953 which provides information about the locations and structure of the 45th Field Hospital during World War II. The hospital was assigned to the Eighth Service Command in August 1943, and then to the Fourth Service Command in November 1943. In March 1944, upon its arrival in England, the unit was assigned directly to the European Theater of Operations, later designated as U.S. Forces, European Theater. It remained assigned to that headquarters until its inactivation in February 1946.
3. Our records on the 45th Field Hospital contain information on the organizational aspects of the unit's history and do not contain the necessary details to prepare an order of battle. Neither is there specific information relating to the hospital's participation in the World War II campaigns cited in the basic correspondence. Primary sources of information about a unit are the records created by the unit itself and then retired. Records created by the 45th during World War II are in the custody of the Military Reference Branch - Suitland Section, National Archives and Records Administration, Washington, DC 20409.
4. Enclosed is a reference sheet which may be of some use in locating former members of the hospital. Also enclosed is a pamphlet entitled "Organizational History," which should assist

DAMH-HSO

SUBJECT: Request for Battle Streamer Information

you in locating alternative sources of information to compile your unit's history.

FOR THE CHIEF OF MILITARY HISTORY:

4 Encls

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Added 3 encls

2. Ltr, 24 Jun 53

3. Reference Sheet

4. OH Pamphlet



CLAYTON R. NEWELL

Lieutenant Colonel, Infantry

Chief, Historical Services Division



DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY

Lineage and Honors

45th FIELD HOSPITAL

Constituted 23 February 1943 in the Army of the United States as the
45th Field Hospital

Activated 15 September 1943 at Camp Bowie, Texas

Inactivated 17 February 1946 at Camp Kilmer, New Jersey

Allotted to the Regular Army 31 July 1956

Activated 15 August 1956 at Leghorn, Italy

CAMPAIGN PARTICIPATION CREDIT

World War II
Normandy
Northern France
Rhineland
Ardennes-Alsace
Central Europe

DECORATIONS

None

By Order of the Secretary of the Army:


J. C. LAMBERT
Major General, USA
The Adjutant General

JUN 11 1964

HIS 095 Foster, Morris G.
(28 May 53)

21 JUN 53

Mr. Morris G. Foster

Dear Mr. Foster:

In reply to your letter of 28 May 1953, the 45th Field Hospital was constituted — that is to say it came into existence as a legal entity — on 23 February 1943 as part of the Army of the United States. The unit had no existence other than on paper, however, until it was activated on 15 September 1943 at Camp Bowie, Texas. The 45th Field Hospital left New York Harbor 27 February 1944 and arrived in England on 10 March. The unit landed at Utah Beach, France, on 10 June, and by March 1945 was on its way through Central Europe, reaching Czechoslovakia by the end of the war. The Hospital was stationed at Pilsen from 15 May to 20 November 1945 and was in Germany from the latter date to 26 January 1946. On 6 February 1946 the unit shipped out from Camp Philip Morris, France. The 45th arrived at the New York Port of Embarkation on 16 February and was inactivated 17 February 1946 at Camp Kilmer, New Jersey.

The 45th Field Hospital is credited with participation in these campaigns: Normandy, Northern France, Rhineland, Ardennes-Alsace, and Central Europe.

The strength and composition of the 45th Field Hospital was governed by Tables of Organization and Equipment issued periodically by the War Department. The earliest that would have applied to the 45th was T/O&E 8-510, 8 April 1943, which provided for a Field Hospital of a Headquarters and three hospitalization units. The capacity was set at 380 beds. The commanding officer was a lieutenant colonel. Headquarters strength was set at 18, and strength for each hospitalization unit was 70. In addition there was an enlisted cadre of 15 men. T/O&E 8-510, 28 September 1943, raised the capacity to 400 beds, increased Headquarters personnel to 26, lowered hospitalization unit personnel to 67, and increased the enlisted cadre to 17. T/O&E 8-510, Change 2, 10 December 1943, increased hospitalization unit strength to 68. T/O&E 8-510, 31 August 1944, provided for a strength of 33 in Headquarters and 63 in each hospitalization unit. It must be remembered that the T/O&E's provided authorized strengths only, and that the actual strengths at any time may have been more or less than authorized.

Wilds/62724/shr
23 Jun 53

(812)
Unit Hist

TAPC-PDH-P (AEMVI-ADJ/8 NOV 88) (840-10a) 1st End Mrs. Prosser/
AV 284-6634

SUBJECT: Request for Distinctive Unit Insignia Symbolism

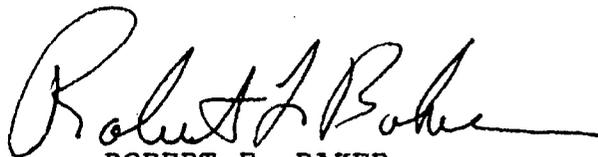
Director, The Institute of Heraldry, U.S. Army, Cameron Station,
Alexandria, VA 22304-5050

01 DEC 1988

FOR: Commander, MEDDAC, Vicenza, ATTN: AEMVI-ADJ, APO NY 09221

As requested, enclosed are copies of the authorization letters,
which include the symbolisms, and line drawings of the insignia
approved for MEDDAC Vicenza (encl 1) and the 45th Field Hospital
(encl 2).

2 Encls



ROBERT F. BAKER
Colonel, GS
Director



DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY
THE INSTITUTE OF HERALDRY, UNITED STATES ARMY
CAMERON STATION, ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22314

DAAG-HDP-A

29 March 1982

SUBJECT: Distinctive Unit Insignia, Vicenza MEDDAC

Commander
US Army Medical Department
Activity, Vicenza
APO New York 09221

1. A distinctive unit insignia is authorized this date for the US Army Medical Department Activity located in Vicenza, Italy. The description and symbolism of the design are as follows:

DESCRIPTION

A device of gold color metal and enamel 1 1/4 inches in height overall consisting of a white octagon bearing a maroon Greek cross charged with a winged lion passant guardant, his right forepaw resting on a book and holding a dagger vertically, all gold; all above a triparted maroon motto scroll bearing in gold letters the words "COURAGE COMPASSION CARE" from left to right.

SYMBOLISM

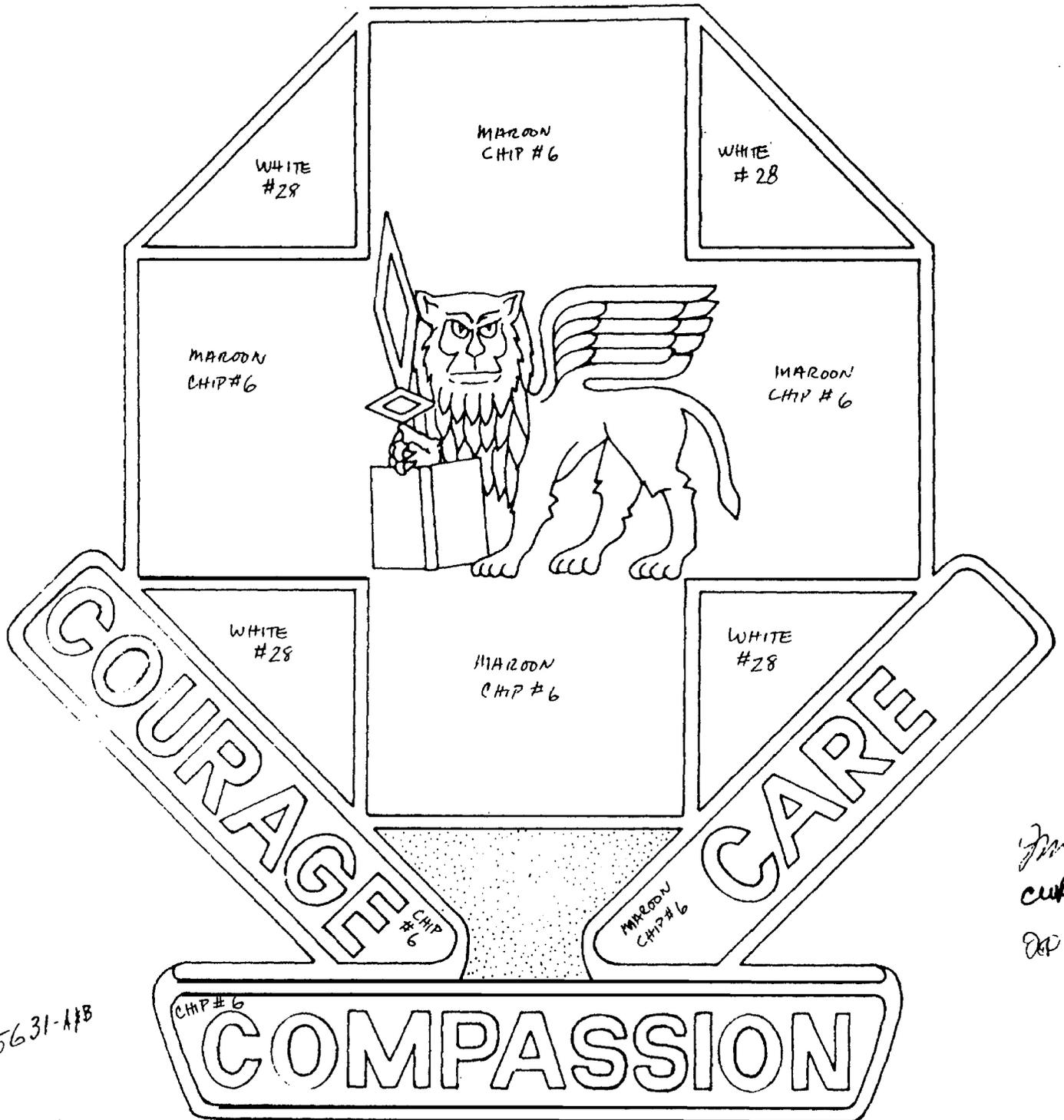
Maroon and white are the colors used for the Army Medical Branch. The cross is a traditional symbol of Medical Units. The eight-sided white background suggests purity and devotion to the many medical mission specialities of the hospital. The lion of St. Mark reflects the unit's home area and signifies the support the hospital provides to the Southern European Task Force units in Italy, Greece and Turkey.

2. This authorization is in accordance with paragraph 26-21a, AR 670-1.
3. This authorization letter will become a part of the permanent organizational history files of the organization in accordance with File No. 228-08, AR 340-2 or AR 340-18-2, as applicable.

Richard H. Allen
RICHARD H. ALLEN
Colonel, GS
Director

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5631-11B
 US ARMY MEDDAC, VICENZA
 ACTUAL SIZE ... $1\frac{1}{2} \times \frac{1}{64}$ HEIGHT
 METAL COLOR ... GOLD
 FINISH ... MIRROR LIKE POLISH
 DEVICE .. ENAMEL .. VITREOUS OPAQUE
 CHARGES .. FLUSH AND INCISED
 LETTERING .. BASE METAL
 PIERCING .. NONE (AREA BETWEEN DEVICE AND SCROLL
 RECESSED AND TEXTURED)
 CHIP NO. . MAROON # 6, WHITE # 28

APPROVED 29 MAR 1982

THE INSTITUTE OF HERALDRY, U.S. ARMY
Richard H. Allen
 RICHARD H. ALLEN, COLONEL, GS,
 DIRECTOR

45th Field Hospital Insignia

A gold color metal and enamel device 1 1/8 inches in height over all consisting of a five pointed green enamel star, pointed up, bearing in center a gold disc charged throughout with a maroon enamel cross, and with a gold Demi-Fleur-De-Lis issuing between each.

SYMBOLISM

The five Fleur-De-Lis symbolizes the unit's five World War II battle honors: Normandy, Northern France, Rhineland, Ardennes-Alsace, and Central Europe. The five-pointed star alludes to the unit's original activation at Camp Bowie, Texas. The cross is a symbol of hospital units. Green, a color of health, was suggested by the flag of Italy and is used here to represent the historical record of the 45th Field Hospital at Leghorn Italy. Maroon is a color used by the Army Medical Department.



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UNITED STATES ARMY MEDICAL DEPARTMENT ACTIVITY, VICENZA
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8 November 1988

MEMORANDUM FOR: THE INSTITUTE OF HERALDRY, US ARMY,
ATTN: DAAG-HDZ-A, CANERON STATION, ALEXANDRIA, VA 22314

SUBJECT: Request for Distinctive Unit Insignia Symbolism

1. This command does not have on file official documents explaining the symbolism of its unit crests. These documents are of value to us, and we would like to have them in our possession.
2. There are two unit crests for this command. One is the crest for the United States Army Medical Department Activity, Vicenza, Italy, and the other is the 45th Field Hospital.
3. Please forward these documents to this activity,
ATTN: CPT Poulton, at your earliest convenience.

FOR THE COMMANDER:

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Mark T. Poulton", is written above the typed name.

MARK T. POULTON
CPT, MS
Adjutant

HISTORY OF THE 45TH FIELD HOSPITAL

The 45th Field Hospital, now a subordinate unit of the Vicenza Medical Department Activity, was brought to Italy in 1956 to support US Troops after the American withdrawal from Austria. One hospitalization unit was assigned to the Livorno, Italy area while the headquarters and two hospitalization units were stationed in Vicenza, Italy centralized to the troop concentration of the Southern European Task Force (SETAF) headquarters in Verona, Italy and other units in Vicenza. The hospital in Vicenza was originally located in a converted barracks (now the Dental Clinic) while awaiting the completion of the present facility in June 1959. The facility was constructed for a total capacity of 60 beds. In 1965, SETAF Headquarters was relocated to Vicenza and in 1972 was given new mission assignments in Greece and Turkey. Concurrently, the 45th Field Hospital was designated as a US Army Medical Command, Europe. The US Army Hospital (USAH), Vicenza was reorganized in 1975 and assumed responsibility as the Headquarters for the Medical Department Activity, Vicenza, while the flag of the 45th Field Hospital was moved to Livorno, Italy. In configuration, the Vicenza MEDDAC provided comprehensive medical care to the US Forces in Northern Italy, with the USAH, Vicenza supporting the Headquarters SETAF, the 4/325 Airborne Combat Team, the 559th Artillery Group with its various remote sites, and the support units in Vicenza. The Vicenza Hospital also supported a secondary patient population located at Aviano AFB, Italy, 90 miles Northeast of Vicenza. On 18 December 1986, the flag of the 45th Field Hospital was again moved to Vicenza as the US Army Hospital was redesignated and assigned a wartime mission.

HISTORY OF THE 45TH FIELD HOSPITAL

1943 CONSTITUTED AND ACTIVATED CAMP BOWIE, TX

WWII CAMPAIGN PARTICIPATION

NORMANDY

NORTHERN FRANCE

RHINELAND

ARDENNES-ALSACE

CENTRAL EUROPE

1946 INACTIVATED CAMP KILMER, NEW JERSEY

1956 ACTIVATED CAMP DARBY, ITALY

1978 NEW HOSPITAL COMPLETED AT CAMP DARBY

1983 HOSPITAL AT DARBY DOWNGRADED TO A CLINIC

1987 45TH FIELD HOSPITAL FLAG MOVED TO VICENZA

1990 DEPMEDS EQUIPMENT ARRIVES AT LIVORNO

DIAGNOSTIC PROCEDURES & PHARMACY

LABORATORY PROCEDURES

IN HOUSE	203, 942
ITALIAN	890
10TH MEDICAL LABORATORY	5, 968

RADIOLOGICAL EXPOSURES 28, 804

PHARMACY

OUTPATIENT PRESCRIPTIONS	59, 228
INPATIENT PRESCRIPTIONS	<u>4, 173</u>
YEAR TOTAL 1989	63, 401

OUTLYING CLINICS

U S ARMY HEALTH CLINIC LIVORNO, ITALY

U S ARMY HEALTH CLINIC SINOP, TURKEY

REFERRING CLINICS

USAF CLINIC AVIANNO, ITALY
USAF CLINIC GHEDI, ITALY
USAF CLINIC RIMINI, ITALY
USAF CLINIC DECIMANANO, ITALY (SARDINIA)

558TH USAAG ELEFSIS, GREECE
528TH USAAG CAKMAKLI, TURKEY

3/325 ABN CBT BN TEAM VICENZA, ITALY

ADMINISTRATIVE AND LOGISTICAL SUPPORT

102nd MEDICAL DETACHMENT (DENTAL)

EXCEPTIONAL FAMILY MEMBER SERVICE

WARTIME MISSION

- 0 SUPPORT EVACUATION OF US NON-COMBATANTS
- 0 PROVIDE MEDICAL CARE AND COMPLETE POM FOR INGRESSING UNITS
- 0 PREPARE DEPMEDS 400 BED FIELD HOSPITAL FOR DEPLOYMENT (STORED AT CAMP DARBY FOR USE IN SUPPORT OF TACTICAL FORCES)
- 0 ASSUME COMMAND AND CONTROL OF SUBORDINATE MEDICAL UNITS UNTIL AUGMENTED BY CAPSTONE UNITS

PEACE TIME MISSION 45TH FIELD HOSPITAL

THE PEACE TIME MISSION OF THE VICENZA HOSPITAL IS TO OPERATE A 28 BED MEDICAL TREATMENT FACILITY WHICH PROVIDES GENERAL AND SPECIALIZED HEALTH CARE AND A 24 HOUR EMERGENCY ROOM.

FOR ALL ARMED SERVICES MEMBERS, THEIR DEPENDENTS AND AUTHORIZED CIVILIANS

FROM ROME TO THE NORTHERN ITALIAN BORDER.

FULL TIME MILITARY SPECIALISTS

2 NURSE ANESTHESISTS
1 AVIATION MEDICINE
1 DIETICIAN
2 FAMILY PRACTITIONERS
2 INTERNISTS
2 GENERAL SURGEONS
17 NURSES
2 OBSTETRICS AND GYN
1 OPTOMETRIST
2 PEDIATRICIANS
1 PHARMACIST
1 PSYCHIATRIST
1 PREVENTIVE MEDICINE SPECIALIST
1 RADIOLOGIST
1 SOCIAL WORKER
2 VETERINARIANS

PART TIME CONSULTANTS

NEUROLOGIST
OPHTHALMOLOGIST
ORTHOPEDICS
ENT (OTORHINOLARYNGOLOGIST)
PHYSICAL THERAPIST
PODIATRIST

CIVILIAN PRACTITIONERS

5 CIVILIAN PRACTITIONERS
9 NURSES
2 REGISTERED PHARMACISTS

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JOINT COMMISSION FOR ACCREDITATION OF HOSPITALS

CURRENT FACILITY IS PLACED AT A LEVEL III

INDICATES THAT THE HOSPITAL MEETS SOME PROVISIONS OF THE
STANDARD

LEVEL III GRANTED ON THE BASIS OF:

CONSTRUCTION OF NEW HEALTH CARE FACILITY

ACCEPTABLE PLAN OF CORRECTION GRANTED UNTIL 1991