

2 MEDICAL GROUP



MISSION

LINEAGE

855 Medical Group constituted, 1 Dec 1958
Activated, 1 Jan 1959
Redesignated USAF Hospital, Barksdale, 1 Oct 1970
Redesignated 2 Strategic Hospital, 1 Jul 1987
Redesignated 2 Medical Group, 1 Sep 1991
Gained Headquarters and establishment status, 1 Sep 1994

STATIONS

Barksdale AFB, LA, 1 Jan 1959

ASSIGNMENTS

4238 Strategic Wing, 1 Jan 1959
2 Bombardment Wing (later, 2 Wing; 2 Bomb Wing), 1 Apr 1963

COMMANDERS

Col Thomas A Larson
Col David Hammer
Col Geoffrey W. McCarthy, 1993

HONORS

Service Streamers

Campaign Streamers

Armed Forces Expeditionary Streamers

Decorations

Air Force Outstanding Unit Award

1 Jul 1975-30 Jun 1977

1 Jul 1982-30 Jun 1984

1 Jul 1986-30 Jun 1987

1 Jul 1987-30 Jun 1989

1 Oct 1993-31 May 1995

1 Jun 1995-31 May 1996

1 Jun 1996-31 May 1997

1 Jun 1998-31 May 2000

1 Jan 2008-31 Dec 2009

1 Jan 2010-31 Dec 2011

1 Jan 2012-31 Dec 2013

1 Jan-31 Dec 2014

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NICKNAME

OPERATIONS



Col Thomas A Larson (USAF photo)

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