



DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY
U.S. ARMY HUMAN RESOURCES COMMAND
1600 SPEARHEAD DIVISION AVENUE
FORT KNOX, KY 40122-5408

PERMANENT ORDERS 167-16

16 June 2011

71st Medical Detachment

Announcement is made of the following award:

Award: Meritorious Unit Commendation

Period of service: 20 June 2010 to 13 June 2011

Authority: AR 600-8-22, paragraph 7-15

Reason: For exceptionally meritorious service. During the period 20 June 2010 to 13 June 2011, the 71st Medical Detachment displayed exceptionally meritorious service in support of Operation Enduring Freedom. The unit demonstrated the ability to accomplish the mission beyond the call of duty. By ensuring the proper mix of preventative medicine assets were available and properly arrayed throughout Regional Command-East, the unit maximized force health protection for all United States and Coalition Forces. The dedication and outstanding performance of the 71st Medical Detachment is in keeping with the finest traditions of military service and reflects great credit upon its Soldiers, United States Forces-Afghanistan and the United States Army.

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Additional Instructions: This order serves as official notification ~~that a unit award has been approved for the~~ organization(s) listed above and will serve as authority for eligible Soldiers to update their records and wear the award. The award is still subject to final confirmation in Department of the Army General Orders. Official verification of a specific unit's entitlement to display the award in the form of an appropriate streamer on its flag or guidon rests with the U.S. Army Center of Military History (CMH), which is also responsible for determining official unit Lineage and Honors for MTOE organizations. CMH will use this permanent order to authorize the manufacture of an appropriate decoration streamer for any organization clearly entitled to display the award. The streamers will then be manufactured and sent to the U.S. Army Human Resources Command for automatic distribution to the units concerned.

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Spearhead Division Avenue, Fort Knox, KY 40122, 16 June 2011

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF THE ARMY:

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