



DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY Lineage and Honors

498th MEDICAL COMPANY

Constituted 13 January 1941 in the Regular Army as Company C, 57th Medical Battalion

Activated 10 February 1941 at Fort Ord, California

Reorganized and redesignated 10 September 1943 as the 498th Collecting Company

Reorganized and redesignated 1 July 1945 as the 498th Medical Collecting Company

Inactivated 24 October 1945 at Camp Shanks, New York

Redesignated 11 September 1950 as the 498th Preventive Medicine Company

Activated 2 October 1950 at Fort Sam Houston, Texas

Reorganized and redesignated 19 June 1953 as the 498th Medical Company

Inactivated 24 September 1956 at Fort George G. Meade, Maryland

Activated 23 September 1964 at Fort Sam Houston, Texas

CAMPAIGN PARTICIPATION CREDIT

World War II-EAME

Normandy

Northern France

Rhineland

Ardennes-Alsace

Central Europe

Vietnam

Defense

Counteroffensive

Counteroffensive, Phase II

Counteroffensive, Phase II

Tet Counteroffensive

Counteroffensive, Phase IV

Counteroffensive, Phase V

Counteroffensive, Phase VI

Tet 69/Counteroffensive

Summer-fall 1969

Winter-spring 1970

Sanctuary Counteroffensive

Counteroffensive, Phase VII

Consolidation I

Southwest Asia

Defense of Saudi Arabia

Liberation and Defense of Kuwait

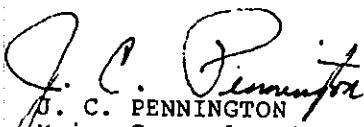
(other campaigns to be determined)

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DECORATIONS

Meritorious Unit Commendation, Streamer embroidered VIETNAM 1965-1967

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF THE ARMY:


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

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