



DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY

Lineage and Honors

HEADQUARTERS AND HEADQUARTERS BATTERY 40TH INFANTRY DIVISION ARTILLERY

Organized and Federally recognized 27 April 1936 in the California National Guard at Long Beach as the 143d Ambulance Company, an element of the 40th Division

Reorganized and redesignated 1 January 1937 as Company D, 115th Medical Regiment, an element of the 40th Division

Inducted into Federal service 3 March 1941 at Long Beach

Disbanded 18 February 1942 at Camp San Luis Obispo, California

Reconstituted 25 August 1945 in the California National Guard as the Medical Detachment, 40th Division Artillery

Organized and Federally recognized 24 February 1947 at Los Angeles

Ordered into active Federal service 1 September 1950 at Los Angeles

(Medical Detachment, 40th Division Artillery [NGUS], organized and Federally recognized 2 September 1952 at Los Angeles)

Released 30 June 1954 from active Federal service and reverted to state control; Federal recognition concurrently withdrawn from the Medical Detachment, 40th Division Artillery (NGUS)

Reorganized and redesignated 1 July 1954 as the Medical Detachment, 40th Armored Division Artillery

Consolidated 1 May 1959 with Headquarters and Headquarters Battery, 40th Armored Division Artillery (see ANNEX), and consolidated unit designated as Headquarters and Headquarters Battery, 40th Armored Division Artillery

Personnel transferred 29 January 1968 to Headquarters and Headquarters Company, Southern Emergency Operating Headquarters; transferred 1 April 1971 to the 80th Support Center

80th Support Center converted and redesignated 13 January 1974 as Headquarters and Headquarters Battery, 40th Infantry Division Artillery

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40th INFANTRY DIVISION ARTILLERY

ANNEX

Constituted 5 August 1946 in the California National Guard as Headquarters and Headquarters Battery, 40th Division Artillery

Organized and Federally recognized 14 October 1946 at Los Angeles

Ordered into active Federal service 1 September 1950 at Los Angeles

(Headquarters and Headquarters Battery, 40th Division Artillery [NGUS], organized and Federally recognized 2 September 1952 at Los Angeles; location changed 29 December 1952 to Santa Barbara, and on 10 May 1954 to Los Angeles)

Released 30 June 1954 from active Federal service and reverted to state control; Federal recognition concurrently withdrawn from Headquarters and Headquarters Battery, 40th Division Artillery

Reorganized and redesignated 1 July 1954 as Headquarters and Headquarters Battery, 40th Armored Division Artillery

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HOME STATION: Los Angeles

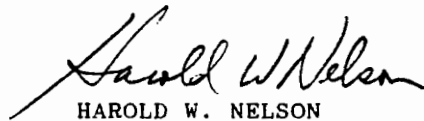
CAMPAIGN PARTICIPATION CREDIT

Korean War
Second Korean Winter
Korea, Summer-Fall 1952
Third Korean Winter
Korea, Summer 1953

DECORATIONS

Republic of Korea Presidential Unit Citation, Streamer embroidered KOREA 1952-1954

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF THE ARMY:



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