6481 MEDICAL AIR EVACUATION GROUP

MISSION

LINEAGE 6481 Medical Air Evacuation Group Activated, 18 Jun 1953

STATIONS

ASSIGNMENTS

COMMANDERS

HONORS Service Streamers

Campaign Streamers

Armed Forces Expeditionary Streamers

Decorations

EMBLEM

ΜΟΤΤΟ

OPERATIONS

At the end of the Korean Conflict, on 18 June 1953, the 801st reformed as the 6481st Medical Air Evacuation Group and was relocated to Clark AB, Philippines. It remained as the 6481st from 1953

to 1956 and flew C-47's, C-54's and C-131's to transport patients. Altogether the 801st and the 6481st transported over 311,683 patients in the Korean War.

In 1956 the 6481st was replaced as the 9th Aeromedical Evacuation Squadron and eventually changed to the 9th Aeromedical Evacuation Group in 1966. The 9th AEG operated 13 detachments at the height of the Vietnam War and altogether transported hundreds of casualties on any given day and delivered a total of over 406,022 patients.

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