

# *Defense Health Agency*

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## EMPLOYEE RECOGNITION CEREMONY

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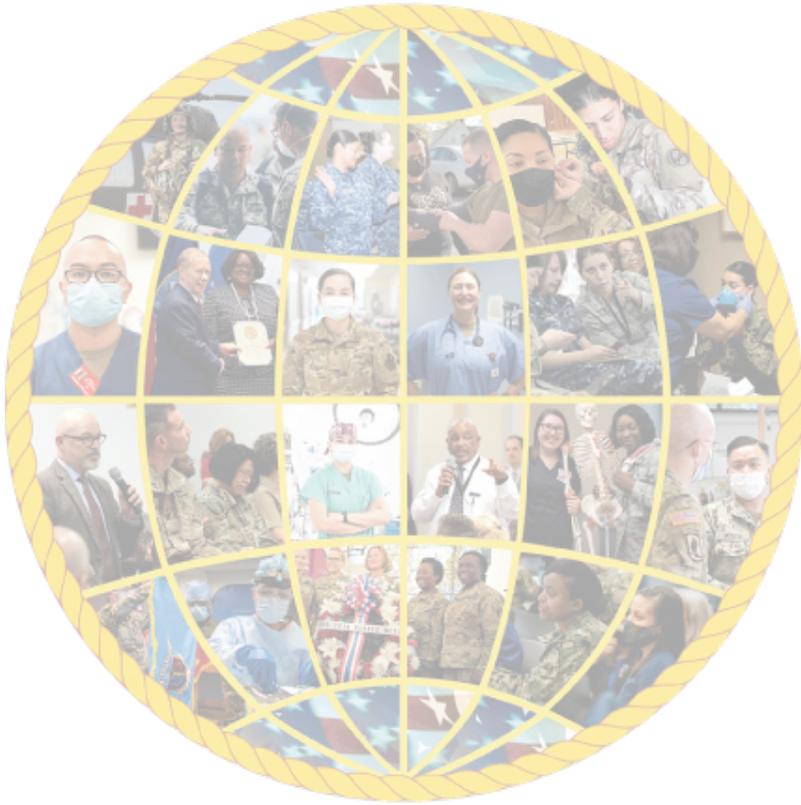


LTG Telita Crosland  
Director, Defense Health Agency



CMSgt Tanya Johnson  
Senior Enlisted Leader, Defense Health Agency

*Defense Health Agency Leadership*



# *Sequence of Events*

## **Master of Ceremonies**

Ms. Christianne Witten

Chief of Internal Communications, Defense Health Agency

## **Opening Remarks**

LTG Telita Crosland

Director, Defense Health Agency

CMSgt Tanya Johnson

Senior Enlisted Leader, Defense Health Agency

## **Presentation of Awards & Recognitions**

DHA Service Member of the Quarter

DHA Employee of the Quarter

DHA APEX Award

DHA Excellence in Leadership Award

DHA Good Steward Award

DHA Innovation Award

DHA People's Choice Award

DHA Positive Spirit Award

DHA Rising Leader Award

Length of Service

CPI Certifications

## **Closing Remarks**

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Director, Defense Health Agency

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Senior Enlisted Leader, Defense Health Agency



# A W A R D C E R E M O N Y

## P R E S E N T A T I O N O F A W A R D S & R E C O G N I T I O N

***MILITARY SERVICE MEMBER OF THE  
QUARTER, 4TH QUARTER CY23***

**JUNIOR ENLISTED**

SPC Noah A. Hughes  
Armed Forces Medical Examiner System

**JUNIOR NONCOMMISSIONED OFFICER**

SSgt Jadow Hughes  
Armed Forces Medical Examiner System

**SENIOR NONCOMMISSIONED OFFICER  
COMPANY GRADE OFFICER**

MSgt Carey C. Pasley  
Medical Affairs

**COMPANY GRADE OFFICER**

Capt Jordan K. Pickell  
J-3/5/7

**FIELD GRADE OFFICER**

Lt Col Christopher A. Dufford  
Public Health

***DHA EMPLOYEE OF THE QUARTER, 4TH QUARTER,  
CY23 CATEGORY I***

Heather L. Cook  
Armed Forces Medical Examiner System

***DHA EMPLOYEE OF THE QUARTER, 4TH QUARTER,  
CY23 CATEGORY II***

James W. Dempsey  
Medical Logistics

**DHA APEX AWARD**

Francisco M. Guiam III  
412th MDG Edwards AFB

**DHA EXCELLENCE IN LEADERSHIP**

Kathleen A. Zweig  
Office of General Counsel

**DHA GOOD STEWARD AWARD**

Jacqueline E. Missey  
Defense Centers for Public Health-Aberdeen

**DHA INNOVATION AWARD**

Justin R. Dalton  
Office of General Counsel

**DHA PEOPLE'S CHOICE AWARD**

Lola K. Becerra  
412th MDG Edwards AFB

**DHA POSITIVE SPIRIT AWARD**

Mitzi E. Rogers  
Army Med CNTR Darnall

**DHA RISING LEADER AWARD**

Larry S. Nelson  
Manpower & Organization Division



# A W A R D C E R E M O N Y

## P R E S E N T A T I O N O F A W A R D S & R E C O G N I T I O N

### ***LENGTH OF SERVICE AWARD***

#### **25 YEARS OF SERVICE**

Michelle C. Chervak  
Army Public Health Center

Jason S. Edmonson  
Army Public Health Center

Geneva W. Gaines  
Business Operations

Judith M. Isidro  
Tricare Health Plan

Deanna M. Kilingensmith  
Strat, Plans, Analytics (J5)

Jeffrey G. Leach  
Army Public Health Center

William J. Marrow  
Administrative Management & Privacy

Laura A. Mitvalsky  
Army Public Health Center

Carol E. Pulido  
Direct Care Financial Management

Frank J. Varano  
Facilities Enterprise

Tiffany D. White  
DHP Finance Report & Compliance

#### **30 YEARS OF SERVICE**

Jesusa M. Backman  
Direct Care Financial Management

Socorro S. Cauquiran  
Tricare Health Plan

Yulonda Clark  
Direct Care Financial Management

Leslie A. Gray  
Headquarters Support

#### **35 Years of Service**

James D. Berns  
DHA Contracting Agency

Karen L. Clevenger  
Health Care Tech Management

Sandra L. Jones  
Tricare Health Plan

Laurie P. Rafferty  
Administrative Law

Sherry L. Vanpatten  
Business Integration

Letita D. Wright  
Infrastructure & Operations



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## P R E S E N T A T I O N O F A W A R D S & R E C O G N I T I O N

### **40 YEARS OF SERVICE**

David E. Evans  
METC Info Tech & Multimedia

Gabriel J. Gamez  
METC Logistics / Facilities

Betty G. Williams  
Administrative Management & Privacy

Kim L. Williams-Chasten  
Human Resources

### ***CPI CERTIFICATIONS: LEAN LEADERS***

LTC Tram (Stacy) Ung  
Womack Army Medical Center, FT Liberty

LTC William Clark Cave  
US Army Medical Center of Excellence, San Antonio

LTC Jadelyn Baniqued  
DHA Medical Affairs, Joint Base Lewis-McChord

Dr. Hannah Leahy  
Bavaria MEDDAC-Vilseck

Christopher Hillmer  
DHAR Europe HQ, Sembach

Shawntel Green  
Walter Reed National Military Medical Center

Jessica Meyer  
Blanchfield Army Community Hospital, FT Campbell

LCDR Candyce Curry  
USN Hospital Jacksonville, FL

Hem Shrestha  
Walter Reed National Military Medical Center

CPT Mihye Kim  
Tripler Army Medical Center

Tyron Purnell  
Kimbrough Ambulatory Care Center – FT Meade

CDR Joseph Muckenthaler  
USN Hospital Jacksonville, FL

Maj Bryant Johanson  
USAF Academy, 10th MDG

Dr. Robert Jones  
DHA J5, Strategy Management Division

Jacob Kestler  
Brooke Army Medical Center, FT Sam Houston

Mathew Frazier  
Carl R. Darnall Army Medical Center, FT Cavazos

Daniel Lister  
Carl R. Darnall Army Medical Center, FT Cavazos

Erin East  
Womack Army Medical Center, FT Liberty

Ashley Smith  
Womack Army Medical Center, FT Liberty

Christopher Brown  
Carl R. Darnall Army Medical Center, FT Cavazos

LCDR Andrew Hamm  
USN Hospital Beaufort, SC



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## ***CPI CERTIFICATIONS: LEAN LEADERS (cont.)***

Jarrette Mathis  
Womack Army Medical Center, FT Liberty

Jennifer Beeman  
Womack Army Medical Center, FT Liberty

Shannon Grovenger  
Womack Army Medical Center, FT Liberty

Andrea Watling  
DHA Office of the Inspector General

Bhavini Patel  
Womack Army Medical Center, FT Liberty

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- **DHA Networks: [dha.ncr.j-1-8.mbx.ncr-hr-market-awards@health.mil](mailto:dha.ncr.j-1-8.mbx.ncr-hr-market-awards@health.mil)  
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