

First Sergeant James A. Reed Jr. Fort Riley Dental Health Activity



First Sergeant James A. Reed Jr. enlisted in the United States Air Force Reserve on March 28, 2002 assigned to the 910th Airlift Wing, Youngstown ARB, Ohio as a Dental Technician. He transferred to the 433rd Airlift Wing at Kelly-Lackland Joint Base San Antonio, TX in May 2003. He was selected for and served as an active duty recruiter from March 2004 until April 2007. On May 7, 2007 he enlisted in the United States Army as a 68E, Dental assistant. He attended AIT at Sheppard AFB and Joint Base San Antonio.

His military education includes Basic Leaders Course, Advanced Leaders Course, Senior Leaders Course, Master Leader Course, Battle Staff NCO Course, Master Resilience Trainer, Unit Movement Officer, Information Assurance Cert. Program, Air Movement Operations Officer, SHARP Course, Property Book Utilization Supply Enhancement Program, NBC Defense, Unit Prevention Leaders Course, Equal Opportunity Leaders Course, and Army Recruiter.

His assignments include Youngstown Ohio, San Antonio Texas recruiting station, Laredo Texas recruiting station, Fort Campbell DENTAC OMFS NCOIC, Fort Wainwright DENTAC OMFS NCOIC, Fort Bragg 257th DCAS/ 44th Medical BDE PLT SGT and Brigade Operations SGT, Kandahar Afghanistan Role III NCOIC/ LNO, Bagram Hospital Afghanistan LNO, Kabul JTF HQs Afghanistan LNO, Kuwait Area Dental Support Detachment SGT, Baumholder DCC Senior Dental NCO, RHC-E SARC, and Dental Health Activity-Rheinland Pfalz First Sergeant.

His military awards and decorations include The Army Meritorious Service Medal (2nd award), The Army Commendation Medal (6th award); The Army Achievement Medal (8th award); Air Force Outstanding Unit Award, Air Force Outstanding Expeditionary Award, Good Conduct Medal (6th award); National Defense Ribbon; Afghanistan

Campaign Medal-Combat Service, Global War of Terrorism expeditionary Medal, Global War of Terrorism Service Medal; Global War of Terrorism Expeditionary Medal Bronze Service Star, Humanitarian Service Medal, Military Outstanding Volunteer Service Medal, Non-Commissioned Officer Professional Development Ribbon (3rd Award); Army Service Ribbon; Overseas Ribbon (4th award), NATO Medal w/ ISAF, Air Force Honor Graduate Ribbon, Air Force Training Ribbon, Drivers/ Mechanic Badge (Wheeled) and Basic Army Recruiter's Badge.