



MADIGAN HEALTHCARE SYSTEM TACOMA, WASHINGTON



Colonel Dallas W. Homas, M.D. **COMMANDER**

Colonel Dallas W. Homas, M.D., assumed command of Madigan Healthcare System on March 10, 2011. His previous assignment was the Chief of Clinical Operations, Western Regional Medical Command, Joint Base Lewis-McChord, Washington.

After high school graduation in Lorain, Ohio, he went on to graduate from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, New York, in 1983, and was commissioned a Second Lieutenant. In 1987, he graduated from the Uniformed Services University of the Health Sciences in Bethesda, Maryland, and received his M.D. and commission into the Medical Corps. His post-graduate training includes General Surgery and Plastic Surgery Residencies at Fitzsimons Army Medical Center, Aurora, Colorado, plus a Hand Surgery Fellowship at Walter Reed Army Medical Center, Washington D.C. He is board certified from the American Board of Plastic Surgery and was previously board certified from the American Board of Surgery, and the American Board of Plastic Surgery—Subspecialty of Surgery of the Hand. Colonel Homas is also a graduate of the U.S. Army Command and General Staff College and the U.S. Army War College.

Colonel Homas has deployed to Afghanistan in support of Operation Enduring Freedom, serving as the Combined/Joint Task Force-76 Command Surgeon and to Iraq in support of Operation Iraqi Freedom, serving as the Multi-National Forces and Corps—Iraq Command Surgeon. His other assignments as an Army physician include: Emergency Room Physician, Seoul, Korea; Plastic Surgeon, Fitzsimons Army Medical Center, Aurora, Colorado; Plastic and Hand Surgeon, Kimbrough Ambulatory Care Center, Fort Meade, Maryland; Plastic and Hand Surgeon and Chief, Plastic and Hand Surgery, Tripler Army Medical Center, Honolulu, Hawaii; Deputy Commander Pacific Regional Medical Command, Deputy Commander for Readiness, and Director of Clinical Operations at Tripler Army Medical Center in Honolulu, Hawaii; Division Surgeon, 25th Infantry Division (Light), Schofield Barracks, Hawaii; Commander, Wuerzburg Medical Activity, Wuerzburg, Germany; and Corps Surgeon, I (First) Corps at Joint Base Lewis-McChord, Washington. He has also served as the Consultant to the Surgeon General in Plastic Surgery.

His awards and decorations include the Legion of Merit, with Oak Leaf Cluster; Bronze Star Medal, with Oak Leaf Cluster; Meritorious Service Medal, with three Oak Leaf Clusters; Joint Service Commendation Medal, with Oak Leaf Cluster; Army Commendation Medal; Army Achievement Medal, with two Oak Leaf Clusters; Iraq Campaign Medal, with bronze star device; Global War on Terrorism Service Medal; Global War on Terrorism Expeditionary Medal; National Defense Service Medal, with bronze star device; Overseas Service Ribbon, Sixth Award; Joint Meritorious Unit Award; and the Navy/Marine Corps Unit Commendation Medal. Colonel Homas has earned the Expert Field Medic Badge, the Parachutist Badge and the Air Assault Badge as the distinguished honor graduate. He is also an inductee into the Order of Military Medical Merit.