

# **MAJOR JOHN DALOMBA**

Maj John DaLomba is 59 MDW Patient Squadron Section Commander, Joint Base San Antonio-Lackland, Texas. He is responsible for providing administrative support and oversight for 55 wounded, ill or injured Airmen through their recovery, rehabilitation and reintegration. He oversees a staff of seven personnel and regularly consults with the Air Force Medical Operations Agency, the Air Force Wounded Warrior Program and the Department of Veterans Affairs.

Maj DaLomba has 16 years of experience as an occupational therapist. He entered active duty by direct commission in 2002. He has served as a clinical provider in a number of locations and deployed in support of Operation IRAQI FREEDOM in 2005. Maj DaLomba is licensed as an occupational therapist in the states of Florida and Massachusetts. He is board certified by the National Board for Certification in Occupational Therapy and the Hand Therapy Certification Commission. Maj DaLomba is a member of the American Occupational Therapy Association and the American Society of Hand Therapists. He and his wife, Elaina, have three boys, ages 13, 12 and 6.

## **EDUCATION**

- 1992 Bachelor of Arts degree in anthropology, University of Florida, Gainesville, FL
- 1997 Master of Science degree in occupational therapy, Tufts University, Medford, MA
- 2002 Distinguished graduate, Commissioned Officer Training, Maxwell AFB, AL
- 2004 Squadron Officer School, by correspondence
- 2006 Squadron Officer School, Maxwell AFB, AL
- 2009 Air Command and Staff College, by correspondence

## **ASSIGNMENTS**

1. May - June 2002, student, Commissioned Officer Training, Maxwell AFB, AL
2. June 2002 - July 2005, staff occupational therapist, Lackland AFB, TX
3. July 2005 - August 2008, occupational therapy element leader, Scott AFB, IL
4. August 2008 - August 2010, early intervention element chief, RAF Lakenheath, UK
5. August 2010 - July 2011, Director of Staff, 48 MDG, RAF Lakenheath UK
6. July 2011 - April 2012, occupational therapy element leader, JBSA-Lackland, TX
7. April 2012 - present, 59 MDW Patient Squadron Section Commander, JBSA-Lackland, TX

## **MAJOR AWARDS AND DECORATIONS**

Meritorious Service Medal with one oak leaf cluster  
Air Force Commendation Medal  
National Defense Service Medal  
Iraq Campaign Medal  
Global War on Terrorism Service Medal

## **EFFECTIVE DATES OF PROMOTION**

Captain 14 February 2002

Major 7 February 2008  
(Current as of November 2013)