

BILLIE J. RANDOLPH

Dr. Billie J. Randolph, PhD, PT (Colonel, U.S Army Retired) serves as the Deputy Director of the Extremity Trauma and Amputation Center of Excellence, a joint effort between the Department of Defense and Department of Veterans Affairs to serve as the Nation's premier center for promoting excellence in the care and research related to traumatic extremity injuries and amputations. Prior to assuming her current role in July 2012, Dr. Randolph served a four year appointment as the Deputy Chief Consultant (DCC), Prosthetic & Sensory Aids Service, Veterans Health Administration. As DCC, Dr. Randolph provided vision, policy, and clinical expertise in the fabrication and procurement of state-of-the-art technology in assistive devices, prosthetics, orthotics, implants, and sensory aids available to Veterans.

Dr. Randolph is a native of Richmond, Kentucky. She earned a Bachelor of Health Science Degree in Physical Therapy from the University of Kentucky, a Master of Science Degree in Public Health from the University of Hawaii, and a Doctor of Philosophy Degree in Sports Medicine and Health Education from the University of Virginia.

Dr. Randolph received a direct commission and entered military service in 1978. She is a graduate of the Army Combined Arms Services Staff School, the Command and General Staff College, the Army War College, and the Federal Executive Institute. She served in clinical assignments at Ft. Knox, Kentucky, Ft. Stewart, Georgia, Tripler Army Medical Center, Schofield Barracks, Hawaii, Ft. Leavenworth, Kansas, Ft. Campbell, Kentucky, and Walter Reed Army Medical Center.

Following completion of her Doctoral Degree from the University of Virginia, she returned to Walter Reed Army Medical Center in 1998, where she served as Chief, Physical Therapy and as Physical Therapy Consultant to the North Atlantic Regional Medical Command. In addition, she served as White House therapist from 2002-2004. She served as commander of the Fort Meade Medical Department Activity from July 2004 to July 2006, responsible for the health care of 140,000 beneficiaries throughout Maryland and Pennsylvania, eight ambulatory care clinics, and an ambulatory surgical center. She retired from the Army in January 2007.

Dr. Randolph's awards and decorations include the Legion of Merit with oak leaf cluster, the Meritorious Service Medal with four oak leaf clusters, the Army Commendation Medal with one oak leaf cluster, and the Army Achievement Medal with one oak leaf cluster. She holds the Army Surgeon General's "A" professional designator, the Order of Military Medical Merit, and the Expert Field Medical Badge. She is a board certified specialist in Orthopedic Physical Therapy, a Certified Athletic Trainer, and a Certified Strength and Conditioning Specialist.