# ANDREA L HICKMAN, DO

#### **Current Address:**

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#### SUMMARY

Skilled and diverse Board Certified Family Practice Physician with five years as staff physician in Military Treatment Facilities providing comprehensive health care, global health and deployment medicine to military members and their families. Currently a provider for the Veteran's Hospital Administration, completing disability exams and providing direct primary care. Unique experiences mentoring Afghan medical clinics, and as Chief of Medical Staff for 10 physicians in a 10 bed hospital with outpatient clinic serving over 9,000 military members in deployed location.

### **EDUCATION**

**Des Moines University School of Osteopathic Medicine,** Des Moines, IA

Aug 2003-June 2007

Degree: Doctor of Osteopathy, May 2007

**Iowa State University**, Ames, IA

Aug 1999-May 2003

Degree: Bachelor of Science 2003

Major: Microbiology

#### **POST-GRADUATE TRAINING**

University of Nebraska Medical Center, Omaha, NE

June 2007-Jul 2010

Residency in Family Medicine

#### LICENSURE AND CERTIFICATION

**Iowa State License** 

#### PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Offutt Air Force Base, Omaha, NE

June 2007-July 2010

Residency in Family Medicine

Incirlik Air Base Wing, Turkey

July 2010-Aug 2011

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Staff physician in Primary Health Clinic Sexual Assault Forensic Examiner Medical Director Accutane Program Drug Demand Reduction Consultant Smoking Cessation Course provider New Parent Support Group coordinator Vasectomy and minor surgery provider

#### Spangdahlem Air Base Wing, Germany

Aug 2011-July 2015

Staff physician in Primary Health Clinic, PCMH model
Medical Director/Instructor ACLS program
Emergency Care Function and Ambulance Services Director
Vasectomy program coordinator, minor surgeries and osteopathic manipulation
Field Response team chief

### Camp Leatherneck, Afghanistan

July 2012- Jan 2013

Medical Training and Advisory Group Team Lead, NATO Training Mission, Afghanistan
Consulted 4 Afghan clinics with 45 medical staff, collaborated with NATO forces for 2014 transition
Coordinated Afghan Combat Medic weekly curriculum and conducted 3 mass casualty exercises

#### Al Udeid Air Base, Qatar

Dec 2013-Aug 2014

Chief of Medical Staff, 379<sup>th</sup> Expeditionary Medical Group, 122 personnel, 38 staff physicians Oversight of 10 bed Military Treatment Facility, with 122 admissions and over 10K outpatient visits Sexual Assault Forensic Examiner

Medical Contingency Response Plan team lead, 3 mass casualty exercises Liaison to Qatari hospitals and clinics for USAF

# **Iowa Air National Guard**

July 2015-Present

Family Practice Provider

#### Department of Veterans Affairs, Central Iowa Health Care System

Oct 2015-Oct 2016

Compensations and Pensions evaluating physician

LEAD program candidate

### Department of Veterans Affairs, Central Iowa Health Care System

Oct 2016-Present

Primary care provider, comprehensive

LEAD program candidate

Preventative Ethics board member

### **Unity Point Health Care System**

Mar 2016-Present

Urgent Care provider, prn

**Henry County Health Center** 

June 2016-Present

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#### **HONORS AND AWARDS**

2013 United States Air Forces Europe Clinical Excellence Award	2013
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2014 MHS Female Physician Leader Award (nominee)	2014
Air Force Meritorious Service Medal	2015
Air Force Commendation Medal x2	2010, 2014
Army Commendation Medal	2012
International Security Assistance Force Medal	2012
North Atlantic Treaty Organization Medal	2012
Global War on Terror Medal	2007

#### **PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS**

American Academy of Family Physicians American Osteopathic Association United States Academy of Family Physicians

# **COMMUNITY SERVICE**

Sponsorship of Afghan national and his family of 4 to the US through the Special Immigration Visa offered for Afghan nationals who assisted NATO forces during Operation Enduring Freedom. Linguist assisted during tour in Afghanistan's Helmand province in 2012, and followed until relocation of family to Iowa in June 2015. Continued support of family, to include establishment of housing, job acquisition, driver's education, and health and dental needs met, including prenatal care.

United States Committee on Refugees and Immigration Veteran's Stand Down September 2016

# **REFERENCES**

Available upon request