



DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR FORCE
HEADQUARTERS UNITED STATES AIR FORCE
WASHINGTON DC

23 February 2011

MEMORANDUM FOR U.S. ARMY DENTAL CORPS

FROM: HQ USAF/SG
1780 Air Force Pentagon, Rm 4E114
Washington, DC 20330-1780

SUBJECT: U.S. Army Dental Corps 100th Birthday

On behalf of the Air Force Medical Service we wish the Army Dental Corps Happy 100th Birthday. Since its beginning on March 3, 1911, the Army Dental Corps has maintained the highest professional standards to restore and protect the oral health of all service members. The Army Dental Corps has also advanced the science of dentistry by supporting the research and development of innovative procedures and materials to meet the oral health care needs of their patients.

Since 1949, the men and women of the Air Force Medical Service have been proud to serve alongside the Army Dental Corps to provide world class oral healthcare to our service members and families, both at home and abroad. Current research reveals how much oral health is an integral part of overall general health and quality of life.

The members of the Army Dental Corps can be proud of the professional accomplishments over this past century. Your dedication to preserve the strength of our armed forces during simultaneous wars has kept our nation secure. I congratulate the Army Dental Corps on all outstanding achievements, and for serving our nation well. On behalf of the Air Force Medical Service, I offer sincere hope for continued success.

Respectfully,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Charles B. Green", written over a printed name.

CHARLES B. GREEN
Lieutenant General, USAF, MC, CFS
Surgeon General