



SENIOR MASTER SERGEANT KAYLEIGH M. MCAVINEY

SMSgt Kayleigh M. McAviney serves as the Operations Superintendent for the Air Force's Warrant Officer Training School (Provisional) under the Jeanne M. Holm Center for Accessions and Citizen Development Maxwell Air Force Base, Alabama. In this role, she is responsible for course development, execution of daily operations, and the training and scheduling for Warrant Officer Training School instructor cadre and candidates. Warrant Officer Training School is equipped to produce up to 300 candidates annually for personnel prepared to integrate technical and specialized expertise across the competition continuum.

Sergeant McAviney enlisted in the Air Force in August 2006 and began Aerospace Service Medical Technician School, completing both phases in April 2007. She was later selected for Independent Duty Medical Technician School and graduated in May 2012. After training completion, she was assigned to both the 92d and 93d Air Refueling Squadrons where she served as an Independent Duty Medical Technician. She was then selected for a special duty assignment at the 23d Special Tactics Squadron as their sole enlisted provider and was later vectored to be a Military Training Instructor. Prior to her current position, the senior master sergeant was the First Sergeant Academy Instructor for the Ira C. Eaker Center for Leadership Development, Maxwell-Gunter Air Force Base, Alabama.



Sergeant McAviney has deployed seven times, supporting Operation ENDURING FREEDOM, Operation SPARTAN SHIELD, Operation INHERENT RESOLVE, Operation FREEDOM SENTINEL and Army Central Command taskings. She has a diverse background in inpatient medical and surgical services, immunizations, specialty and outpatient clinics, mishap response and investigation, aeromedical and casualty evacuation, tactical combat casualty care, and medical contingency planning.

EDUCATION

- 2006 Basic Military Training, Joint Base (JB) San Antonio-Lackland, Texas
- 2007 Aerospace Medical Service Apprentice Course Phase I, Sheppard Air Force Base (AFB), Texas
- 2007 Aerospace Medical Service Apprentice Course Phase II, JB San Antonio-Lackland, Texas
- 2010 Airman Leadership School, Nellis AFB, Nev.
- 2012 Independent Duty Medical Technician School, JB San Antonio-Fort Sam Houston, Texas
- 2015 United States Air Force Pararescue Paramedic School, Kirtland AFB, N.M.
- 2015 Noncommissioned Officer Academy (Course 15), by correspondence
- 2017 Senior Enlisted Joint Professional Military Education I, Suffolk, VA., by correspondence
- 2017 Military Training Instructor School, JB San Antonio-Lackland, Texas
- 2018 Noncommissioned Officer Academy, JB San Antonio-Lackland, Texas
- 2019 Senior Non-Commissioned Officer Academy (Course 14), by correspondence
- 2020 Senior Enlisted Joint Professional Military Education II, Suffolk, VA., by correspondence
- 2020 Associate Degree, Practical Nursing, Community College of the Air Force, Maxwell-Gunter AFB, Ala.





2021 Air Force First Sergeant Academy, Maxwell-Gunter AFB, Ala.

2023 Senior Noncommissioned Officer Academy, Maxwell-Gunter AFB, Ala.

ASSIGNMENTS OR CAREER CHRONOLOGY

1. August 2006 – October 2006, Trainee, Basic Military Training, Joint Base (JB) San Antonio-Lackland, Texas
2. October 2006 – January 2007, Student, Aerospace Medical Service Apprentice Course, Sheppard AFB, Texas
3. January 2007 – April 2007, Student, Aerospace Medical Service Apprentice Course, JB San Antonio-Lackland, Texas
4. April 2007 – January 2012, Aerospace Medical Service Technician, 99th Inpatient Squadron, Nellis AFB, Nevada (July 2008 – October 2008, Third Country National Augmentee, Al Udeid Air Base (AB), Qatar; December 2010 – July 2011, Medical Technician 352d Combat Support Hospital, Afghanistan)
5. August 2012 – March 2015, Independent Duty Medical Technician, 92d & 93d Air Refueling Squadrons, Fairchild AFB, Wash. (October 2014 – January 2015, April 2013 – August 2013, January 2014 – February 2014, Independent Duty Medical Technician, 22d Expeditionary Air Refueling Squadron, Transit Center Manas, Kyrgyzstan)
6. March 2015 – July 2017, Flight Chief of Medical Operations, 23d Special Tactics Squadron, Hurlburt Field AFB, Fla.
7. July 2017 – June 2019, Military Training Instructor, 322d Training Squadron, JB San Antonio-Lackland, Texas
8. June 2019 – July 2021, Flight Chief, Operational Medicine Clinic, 366th Operational Medical Readiness Squadron, Mountain Home AFB, Idaho (December 2020 – September 2021, Flight Chief Medical Operations, 386th Expeditionary Medical Group, Al Jaber AB, Kuwait)
9. September 2021 – February 2023, First Sergeant, 335th Fighter Generation Squadron, Seymour Johnson AFB, N.C. (April 2022 – October 2022, First Sergeant, Muwaffaq Salti AB, Jordan)
10. February 2023 – August 2023, First Sergeant, 333d Fighter Generation Squadron, Seymour Johnson AFB, N.C.
11. August 2023 - April 2024, First Sergeant Academy Instructor, Maxwell-Gunter AFB, Ala.
12. April 2024 – Present, Operations Superintendent, Warrant Officer Training School (Provisional), Maxwell AFB, Ala.

MAJOR AWARDS AND DECORATIONS

Meritorious Service Medal with four oak leaf clusters

Air and Space Force Commendation Medal with three oak leaf clusters

Army Commendation Medal

Air and Space Force Achievement Medal with oak leaf cluster

Army Achievement Medal

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS

2010 99th Inpatient Squadron, Airman of the Year

2011 Afghanistan Task Force Med-East, Service Member of the Year

2012 Fairchild AFB. Athlete of the Year

2016 720th Special Tactics Group, Lance P. Sijan Award

2016 720th Special Tactics Group, Noncommissioned Officer of the Year

2016 720th Special Tactics Group, Air Force Medical Service Medic of the Year

2016 720th Special Tactics Group, CMSgt Lutz Air Commando Medic of the Year

2017 Military Training Instructor School Commandant Award

2018 Air Education Training Command, Arthur S. Flemming Award

2018 322d Training Squadron, Military Training Instructor of the Year

2018 322d Training Squadron, Noncommissioned Officer of the Year

2018 322d Training Squadron, Military Training Instructor Association Presidential Award

2020 366th Medical Group, Air Force Medical Service Clinical Excellence Senior Noncommissioned Officer of the Year

2021 Air Force First Sergeant Academy Commandant Award

2021 4th Maintenance Group, Brigadier General Wilma Vaught Visionary Leadership Award





BIOGRAPHY



UNITED STATES AIR FORCE

EFFECTIVE DATES OF PROMOTION

Airman First Class Aug. 22, 2006

Senior Airman Dec. 22, 2008

Staff Sergeant March, 2011

Technical Sergeant Nov. 1, 2016

Master Sergeant Feb. 1, 2020

Senior Master Sergeant Dec. 1, 2023

(Current as of May 2024)

