



BIOGRAPHY



UNITED STATES AIR FORCE

COLONEL RICHARD N. BRADLEY

Col Richard N. Bradley is the Commander of the 147th Medical Group, Ellington Field Joint Reserve Base, Texas. He is responsible for leading, organizing, training, and equipping the aeromedical, nursing, dental, bio-environmental, and public health activities for the 147th Attack Wing, Texas Air National Guard.

Col Bradley completed his undergraduate education at Santa Clara University and entered the Air Force as a direct accession in May 1998. He has 22 years of service in the Air National Guard. His experience includes direct patient care as an Emergency Physician and as a Critical Care Air Transport Physician and several staff roles at the Medical Group level. Prior to his current position, the colonel was the Air National Guard Assistant to the Commander of the Air Force Medical Operations Agency, Joint Base San Antonio – Lackland, Texas.

In his civilian capacity, he is a Professor of Emergency Medicine at a major medical school in Houston. He has held the positions of Medical Director at a busy level I trauma center, Chief of Emergency Medicine at major county hospital, and the Chief of the Division of EMS and Disaster Medicine at his university. He also has experience as an EMS Medical Director for several agencies, including eight years with the third largest fire department in the country. Col Bradley is a local and federal disaster responder, with deployments including Hurricanes Katrina, Irene, Sandy, Harvey, and Maria, and the Colorado and SR 503 landslides.



EDUCATION

1990 Bachelor's Degree of Combined Sciences, Santa Clara University, Santa Clara, Calif.
1994 Doctorate of Medicine, Georgetown University College of Medicine, Washington, D.C.
1997 Residency in Emergency Medicine, Stanford University, Stanford, Calif.
1997 Commissioned Officer Training, Maxwell Air Force Base, Ala.
1998 Fellowship in Emergency Medical Services, Houston Fire Department-Baylor College of Medicine, Houston, Texas
1999 Squadron Officer School, Maxwell AFB, Ala., by correspondence
2006 Air Command and Staff College, Maxwell AFB, Ala., by correspondence
2009 Aerospace Medicine Primary Course, Brooks City-Base, Texas
2013 Air War College, Maxwell AFB, Ala, by correspondence

ASSIGNMENTS

1. May 1996–June 1998, General Services Physician, 129th Medical Squadron, Moffett Field Naval Air Station, Calif.
2. July 1998–July 2004, General Services Physician, 147th Medical Squadron, Ellington Field Joint Reserve Base, Texas
3. August 2004–January 2009, Chief of Clinical Services, 147th Medical Group, Ellington Field JRB, Texas (March–May 2007, Senior Critical Care Air Transport Physician, Balad Air Base, Iraq)
4. February 2009–September 2015, Flight Surgeon, 147th Medical Group, Ellington JRB, Texas (April–June 2011, March–May 2012, and Apr–May 2013, Critical Care Air Transport Physician, Ramstein Air Base, Germany)

5. September 2015–February 2018, Air National Guard Assistant to the Commander, Air Force Medical Operations Agency, Joint Base San Antonio – Lackland, Texas
6. February 2018–Present, Commander, 147th Medical Group, Ellington Field JRB, Texas

FLIGHT INFORMATION

Rating: Flight Surgeon
Flight hours: More than 130 hours
Aircraft flown: C-17A, KC-135R, C-130H, and RC-26B

MAJOR AWARDS AND DECORATIONS

Meritorious Service Medal with oak leaf cluster
Air Force Commendation Medal
Air Force Achievement Medal

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS

2001 Elected as a Fellow of the American College of Emergency Physicians
2010 Appointed as Chairman of the Resuscitation Sub-Council of the American Red Cross Scientific Advisory Council
2011 University of Texas Medical School at Houston–Dean's Teaching Excellence Award
2016 Clara Barton Honor Award
2016 American Red Cross Presidential Honor Award
2016 Appointed as the Advanced Disaster Life Support Revision Committee Chairman
2018 Elected as a Fellow of the Academy of Emergency Medical Services
2018 Appointed as an Associate Editor for BMC Emergency Medicine
2018 Appointed by the Secretary of Transportation to the National Emergency Medical Services Advisory Council
2019 Appointed as the Chairman of the Texas Medical Association Committee on Emergency Medical Services and Trauma

PUBLICATIONS

Bradley, RN. Healthcare facility preparation for weapons of mass destruction. *Prehospital Emergency Care*;4 (3):261-9.
Bradley, RN. Educating the Public About Stroke. *Disease Management and Healthcare Outcomes*. 11(5):321-5.
Bradley RN, Epstein JL, Christiansen PM. Case report of an acute foreign object airway obstruction resolved by back blows alone. *Heart Lung*. doi: 10.1016/j.hrtlng.2015.07.005.
Naim MY, Burke RV, McNally BF, Song L, Griffis HM, Berg RA, Vellano K, Markenson D, Bradley RN, Rossano JW. Association of Bystander Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation With Overall and Neurologically Favorable Survival After Pediatric Out-of-Hospital Cardiac Arrest in the United States. A Report From the Cardiac Arrest Registry to Enhance Survival Surveillance Registry. *JAMA Pediatr*. 2017 Feb 1;171(2):133-141. doi:10.1001/jamapediatrics.2016.3643
Buckler DG, Burke RV, Naim MY, MacPherson A, Bradley RN, Abella BS, Rossano JW, CARES Surveillance Group. Association of Mechanical Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation Device Use With Cardiac Arrest Outcomes: A Population-Based Study Using the CARES Registry (Cardiac Arrest Registry to Enhance Survival). *Circulation* 2016 Dec 20;134(25):2131-2133. PubMed PMID: 27994028.
Naim MY, Griffis HM, Burke RV, McNally BF, Song L, Berg RA, Nadkarni VM, Vellano K, Bradley RN, Markenson D, Rossano JW. Abstract 19166: Race/Ethnicity and Socioeconomic Factors are Associated With Bystander CPR in Pediatric Out of Hospital Cardiac Arrest: A Study From the Cardiac Arrest Registry to Enhance Survival (CARES). *Circulation*. 2017 November 11; 136(Suppl 1):A19166.

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS AND ASSOCIATIONS

Texas Medical Association
American Medical Association
Texas College of Emergency Physicians
American College of Emergency Physicians
National Association of Emergency Medical Services Physicians

EFFECTIVE DATES OF PROMOTION

Captain July 18, 1995
Major March 5, 2000
Lieutenant Colonel Aug. 24, 2005
Colonel Dec. 18, 2015

(Current as of April 2019)