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*United States Army*  
Battalion Command Sergeant Major

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Command Sergeant Major Alain Ayan is the Battalion Command Sergeant Major of the 16th Special Troops Battalion, 16th Sustainment Brigade.

He enlisted in the United States Army on July 9th, 1997. He attended Basic Training at Fort Leonard Wood, Missouri and completed Combat Medical Specialist Military Occupational Skills Advanced Individual Training at Joint Base San Antonio, Texas. CSM Ayan's assignments include: HHC3-505th Parachute Infantry Regiment, 82nd Airborne Division, Fort Bragg, North Carolina; D co 232nd Medical Battalion, Joint Base San Antonio, Texas; HHC 2-504th Parachute Infantry Regiment, 82nd Airborne Division, Fort Bragg, North Carolina; Charlie Company 307th Brigade Support Battalion, 82nd Airborne Division, Fort Bragg, North Carolina; United States Army Health Clinic Schofield Barracks, Hawaii; 18th MEDCOM (DS), Fort Shafter, Hawaii; 121 Combat Support Hospital, Yongsan, Korea; Carl R. Darnall Army Medical Center, Fort Hood, Texas; 1st Armor Division Surgeon Section, Fort Bliss, Texas; Landstuhl Regional Medical Center, Landstuhl Germany; CSM Ayan currently serves as the CSM for 16th Special Troops Battalion, Baulmholder Germany



CSM Ayan has served in various leadership positions, including Section NCO, Treatment Squad Leader, Instructor/Writer, Platoon Sergeant, Brigade Healthcare NCO, Company First Sergeant, Soldier Centered Medical Home NCOIC, G3 Plans NCOIC, Chief Medical NCO Division Surgeon Section, Chief Medical NCO of Medical Treatment Facility. CSM Ayan's deployments include HHC3-505th Parachute Infantry Regiment, Forward Operating Base Salerno Afghanistan. HHC 3-505th Parachute Infantry Regiment, Forward Operating Base Saint Michael Iraq. HHC 2-504th Parachute Infantry Regiment, Al Asad Airbase Iraq. HHC 504th Parachute Infantry Regiment, Camp Ramadi Iraq. Charlie Company 307th Brigade Support Battalion, Forward Operating Base Warrior Afghanistan.

CSM Ayan's education includes Basic Leader Course, Advanced Leader Course, Senior Leader Course, U.S. Army Sergeants Major Academy, Basic Airborne School, Field Hygiene and Sanitation Course, Instructor Training Course, Tactical Combat Medical Care Course, Combative Level I, Master Resilience Trainer Course, First Sergeant Course, Basic Healthcare Administrator Course and The Medical Excellence Course. CSM Ayan's education also includes a Bachelor of Arts and Workforce Development from the U.S. Army Command and General Staff College.

His awards and decorations include the Bronze Star Medal (1OLC), Meritorious Service Medal (5OLC), Army Commendation Medal (5OLC), Army Achievement Medal (3OLC,) Good Conduct Medal (8th award), National Defense Service Medal, Afghanistan Campaign Medal with two bronze stars, Iraq Campaign Medal with three bronze stars, Global War on Terrorism Expeditionary Medal, Global War on Terrorism Service Medal, Noncommissioned Officer Professional Development Ribbon with numeral 4, Army Service Ribbon, Overseas Service Ribbon with numeral 3, NATO ISAF Medal, Valorous Unit Award, Meritorious Unit Citation, Navy Unit Citation, Combat Medic Badge, Expert Field Medical Badge, and Parachutist Badge.