



**LTC Thomas C. Collette, currently serves as the Commander, 421<sup>st</sup> Multifunctional Medical Battalion in Baumholder, Germany.**

LTC Collette, is a 70H, Medical Plans and Operations Officer. He has served primarily in operational units planning, preparing, and deploying in support of overseas contingency operations in Iraq and Afghanistan as well as in support of Defense Support to Civil Authorities missions during the whole-of-government response to the COVID-19 Pandemic.

Lieutenant Colonel Collette earned a Masters of Business Administration and a Masters of Healthcare Administration from Baylor University. He is a graduate of the US Army Command and General Staff College.

LTC Collette has served in a variety of roles to include Platoon Leader (172<sup>nd</sup> SBCT), Company Executive Officer (172<sup>nd</sup> SBCT), Chief Operations Officer (10<sup>th</sup> SB), Deputy Chief of Training and Exercises (30<sup>th</sup> MEDCOM), Brigade Medical Officer (170<sup>th</sup> IBCT), Company Commander (HHC, 30<sup>th</sup> MED BDE), 70H Course Instructor (MED CoE), Chief, Command and Staff Branch (MED CoE), Hospital Center Executive Officer (627<sup>th</sup> HC), and as a Capability Developer and Operations Officer with in the Medical Capability Development and Integration Directorate (AFC). He has deployed overseas three times and has supported DSCA Operations across the United States.

He has received multiple awards to include the Bronze Star Medal with two oak leaf clusters, Meritorious Service Medal with two oak leaf clusters, the Army Commendation Medal with four oak leaf clusters, the Humanitarian Service Medal and Armed Forces Service Medal. He is married to his wife Diane, a Lieutenant Colonel in the Army Veterinary Corps. Together they have four children, Dylan (10), McKenna (8), Nora (5), and Jameson (4).