

Information from the Hospital Admission Cards created 6/7/2014
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of the Army (1944-1945).
Information for the year 1944

Service Number	20402383
Rank	Enlisted Man
Arm of Service	Infantry, Parachute Troops
Age	21
Race	White
Length of Service	45
Month of Admission	May
Year of Admission	1944
Last Treatment Facility	General hospital
Circumstances Surrounding Injury	Non-battle injury occurring while on obstacle course ; (conditioning course, infiltration course, etc.)
Type of Case	Injury, non-battle
Type of Admission	New
Type of Diagnosis	Sole diagnosis, no history of prior disease, injury; or battle casualty
Line of Duty	In line of duty
1st Diagnosis	Wound(s), contused (includes bruises)
1st Anatomical Location	Leg
1st Operation	
2nd Diagnosis	
2nd Anatomical Location	
2nd Operation	
3rd Diagnosis	
Causative Agent	Parachute Jump, Rough Landing (any mishap)
Final Result:	130th Station Hospital or 217th Gen Hospital
Disposition	Duty
Cause of Disposition	Not death nor discharge (incl cases remaining in hosp at end of 1944)
Month of Disposition	May
Year of Disposition	1944
Total Days (non-effective)	003
Hospital Days	003
Current Days /Gen Hosp	003
Place of Final Cure	217th Gen Hosp
Sample Size	20%

Source: This information was obtained from the Hospital Admission Card data file (1944-1945) created by the Office of the Surgeon General Department of the Army. In 1970 the National Research Council first compiled this for statistical purposes using the EMTs (Emergency Medical Tags) and other Office of the Surgeon General Office Records during WWII.