



Lieutenant Colonel (ret) Ida B Goodwine

LTC Goodwine, served in the United States Army Reserves for over 34 years (August 1977 to March 2012). She joined the military to serve her country and her fellow soldiers. She served in various leadership positions during her career.

She graduated from basic training at Fort McCullen Alabama in Sept 1977, and was assigned to the 307th General Hospital as a Behavioral Science Specialist and also served as a Training Non-Commission Officer. After receiving a direct commission to 2LT in March 1986, she was assigned as a Social Work Officer.

In 1990, as a CPT she transferred to 344th Combat Support Hospital Fort Totten, New York. She held various positions of increased responsibility, such as Officer-in-Charge (OIC) of Behavioral Health Services, Affirmative Action Officer, Counselor, OIC for Neuro-psy Service, and Executive Officer.

As the Social Work Officer OIC, LTC Goodwine served in an advisory capacity to the unit commander on behavioral health issues to promote unit readiness and emotional well-being of service members. As executive Officer, advised the Hospital Commander on issues pertaining to health care delivery and the welfare and morale of over 500 soldiers and civilians.

LTC Goodwine was mobilized twice during her Military career: 2004-2005 to Wurzburg, Germany, she functioned as a Staff Officer and provided Behavioral Health and Family Advocacy. 2010-2011 she was deployed to Camp Shelby Mississippi and provided Behavioral Health/ Traumatic Brain Injury support. Both deployments supported overseas contingency operations.

LTC Goodwine attended several military schools, including; Army Medical Officer Basic and Advanced Course, Combined Arms and Staff School, Department of Defense Equal Opportunity Management Institute, Behavioral Health Short Course, Traumatic Brain Injury/Behavioral Health Short course.

LTC Goodwine received numerous awards and decorations, including; The Army Commendation Medal, Army Achievement Medal, Army Good Conduct Medal, National Defense Ribbon, Global War on Terrorism Medal, Army Force Reserve Medal W/30year Device , Army Service Medal (2nd award) , Army Reserve Component Achievement Medal (with 8 Oak Leaf Clusters), Overseas Service Medal, Armed Forces Reserves Medal W/M Device (2nd Award).

LTC Goodwine is a graduate of Columbia University School of Social Work; she earned her BA from Hunter College NY, NY.

LTC Goodwine, is retired Director of Field Operations for the Administration of Children's Services, Queens Field Office. Additional duties included, providing field instruction for New York State Metropolitan area Social Work Schools, Chaired and served on the Rockaway Children's Committee.

LTC Goodwine believes in community service. She is a member of; National Association of Black Military Women, National Alliance of Mental Illness (NAMI), Member of Greater Allen AME Church in Jamaica Queens, engaged in discipleship curriculum, serving on various clubs and ministries provide outreach activities to members and community at large.