



CAPT Kevin T. Prince, DC, USN Commanding Officer

Captain Kevin T. Prince is a native of Jacksonville, Florida. He earned his Bachelor of Science degree in Biology from Morehouse College, Atlanta, Georgia 1985 and his Doctor of Dental Medicine from the University of Florida in Gainesville 1992. In 2006, he received his Masters of Public Health through a Joint Program between Eastern Virginia Medical School and Old Dominion University.

Prince was commissioned as a Lieutenant in the Navy Dental Corps in June 1992 and was assigned to the Naval Dental Center, Parris Island, South Carolina from August 1992 to August 1993. He then reported as dental department head on board USS LaSalle (AGF 3) serving as the dental officer for Commander 6th Fleet, Gaeta, Italy.

From April 1995 to July 1997, he served as staff dental officer, Naval Dental Center, Mid-Atlantic Norfolk where he directed the Acute Dental Care Clinic. Prince was promoted to Lieutenant Commander and completed an Advanced Clinical Program Residency in General Dentistry at the Naval Dental Center Mid-Atlantic. A second operational assignment brought him on board USS Dwight D. Eisenhower (CVN 69) as Assistant Dental Department Head from June 1998 to June 2000, completing two MED deployments.

Prince transferred from the USS Dwight D. Eisenhower (CVN 69) to Okinawa, Japan reporting as the assistant dental officer, 3rd Force Service Support Group (FSSG), 3d Dental Battalion (DENBN), 11th Dental Company from July 2000 to June 2003. He was selected by the Commanding Officer, 3d DENBN, 3rd FSSG, to serve as the principal-investigator for a DOD sanctioned Anthrax Study, in conjunction with the Naval Institute of Dental and Biomedical Research. In July 2003, he returned stateside to Naval Dental Center, Mid-Atlantic as branch director for the Western Dental Clinics which included Norfolk Naval Shipyard Clinic (NNSY), Supervisor of Shipbuilding Clinic (Newport News), and Yorktown Weapons Station Clinic (Yorktown, VA) from August 2003 to August 2006. Prince was promoted to Commander and in August 2006, he reported on board USS George H. W. Bush (CVN 77) as the first dental department head for the Pre-Commissioning Unit.

Prince reported to the Bureau of Medicine and Surgery in August 2008, serving as the plans and policy officer for the Chief of the Navy Dental Corps from 2008 to 2010. Following that tour he served as the Healthcare Operations Chief and Regional Dental Officer for Navy Medicine, National Capital Area Region (NMNCA) from 2010 to 2013. Prince promoted to the rank of Captain during this tour at the Region. In June of 2013, Prince was selected as Officer in Charge for the Pentagon Tri-Service Dental Clinic and served from June 2013 to June 2014. Prince was selected and served as Director for Dental Services, Walter Reed National Military Medical Center from June 2014 to June 2017. He assumed the position as Executive Officer, Naval Health Clinic Hawaii June 2017 to October 2019. Captain Prince assumed his current position of Commanding Officer at Naval Health Clinic Charleston in October 2019.

Prince's personal awards include the Defense Meritorious Service Medal; Meritorious Service Medal (three awards); Joint Service Commendation Medal; Navy Commendation Medal (three awards); Navy and Marine Corps Achievement Medal; Surface Warfare Medical Department Officer (SWMDO) Pin and a number of other service medal and ribbons.