



Captain Joan Renee Queen
Medical Service Corps, United States Navy

A native of Baltimore, Maryland, Captain Queen graduated from the Institute of Notre Dame, Baltimore, Maryland and received a bachelor of arts degree from the University of Maryland Baltimore County in Health, Science and Policy concentrating in Health Care Administration. She received a master's degree in Health Science from the Johns Hopkins University School of Hygiene and Public Health in Health Care Administration and Planning. She received a direct commission into the Medical Service Corps, United States Naval Reserve in September 1983 at the rank of Lieutenant Junior Grade and then attended Officer Indoctrination School in Newport, Rhode Island in October 1983.

In November 1983 she reported to her first duty assignment at the Naval Hospital, Portsmouth, Virginia in the Patient Administration Department. She was promoted to the rank of Lieutenant in September 1984. She was the Assistant Head of the Patient Administration Department prior to detaching from the hospital. In March 1986, she received orders to the Naval Medical Command, Mid-Atlantic Region as the Head of the Office of Medical and Dental Affairs and she also handled all Patient Administration concerns for the region. She was augmented to the regular Navy in November 1987. In August 1989, she reported to the Bureau of Medicine and Surgery as the Head of the Non-naval Health Care Program Branch. She was selected for Lieutenant Commander in July 1990 and promoted 1 September 1991. In October 1991 she received orders to the Naval Medical Clinic, Annapolis, Maryland and reported there on 16 October 1991 as the Director for Administration. In June 1995 she reported to the Bureau of Medicine and Surgery as the Administrative Officer to the Deputy Surgeon General. She also served as the Assistant to the Chief of Staff. She was selected for promotion to Commander in May 1996 and promoted 1 August 1997. In June 1998 she reported to the Naval Hospital, Camp Lejeune, North Carolina as the Director for Administration and the Executive Officer of the Fleet Hospital.

As the Executive Officer of the Fleet Hospital Camp Lejeune from June 1998–January 2002, Captain Queen participated in two operational readiness evaluations and the Joint Forces Command, Atlantic Exercise Roving Sands/Purple Caduceus 2000 with Naval Hospital and Fleet Hospital, Camp Lejeune from, 14–25 June 2000. She also completed the Fleet Hospital Operations Indoctrination and Orientation Course and four Fleet Hospital Operations Field Training Courses.

She was selected for promotion to Captain in May 2001 and promoted 4 June 2002. In June 2002 she reported to the U. S. Naval Hospital, Naples, Italy as the Executive Officer. In May 2004 she reported to the National Naval Medical Center, Bethesda, Maryland as the Director for Administration. In July 2006 she reported to the Naval Health Clinic, Quantico, Virginia as the Commanding Officer. In December 2007 she reported to the Bureau of Medicine and Surgery as the Executive Assistant to the Deputy Surgeon General of the Navy. In July 2010 she reported to the Naval Hospital, Beaufort, South Carolina as the Commanding Officer. In October 2011 she took on the additional duty as the Commanding Officer, Naval Support Facility, Beaufort.

Captain Queen's military awards include the Legion of Merit with two gold stars, the Meritorious Service Medal with three gold stars and the Navy Commendation Medal with one gold star.

Captain Queen is a Fellow, and a credentialed Healthcare Administrator in the American Academy of Medical Administrators, a member of the American College of Health Care Executives, and a Golden Life member of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Incorporated.