

LaPointe Health Clinic

Building 5979, Desert Storm Avenue, Fort Campbell, KY
Hours of Operation: Monday - Friday, 6:30 a.m. -3:30 p.m

LaPointe Health Clinic provides quality health care to active duty Soldiers assigned to Fort Campbell. Bastogne Troop Medical Clinic and A Shau Valley Troop Medical Clinic are located within LaPointe Health Clinic, along with a variety of ancillary services, including physical therapy, immunization, radiology, laboratory, pharmacy.



Appointments

Sick Call Services are conducted at the unit level, Soldiers should report to their assigned medical personnel in accordance with their unit SOP.

For normal appointments, Soldiers assigned to the A'Shau Valley, Bastogne, TMC 5 and SPC Byrd Clinics should contact the Central Appointments line at 931-461-4677 to schedule an appointment.

Soldiers assigned to Aviation Health are to call 270-412-8688 or 412-8625 to schedule an appointment.

Clinical Services

Adult Behavioral Health

412-0090

Hours: Monday - Friday, 6:30 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.

By appointment only, walk-in appointments available at Main Adult Behavioral Health as needed at 22nd and Indiana, Bldg. 2516

Hearing Program Office

412-9110

Hours: Monday - Friday, 6:30 a.m. -3:30 p.m

Provides hearing readiness testing, hearing health education briefings, earplug fittings, hearing aid fittings, diagnostic audiological evaluations.

Kuhn Dental Clinic

412-2787

Hours: Monday - Friday, 7:30 a.m. – 11:30 a.m. and 12:30 p.m. - 4:30 p.m. Sick Call 7:30-9:30 a.m.

Walk-in examination. No appointment necessary 7:30 a.m. – 11 a.m. and 12:30 p.m. – 3 p.m.



Laboratory

412-8929, 412-8915

Hours: Monday – Friday, 6:30 a.m. - 3 p.m.

Nutrition Clinic

412-9109

Hours: Monday – Friday, 8 a.m. – 4 p.m.

Services available include:

- Individual counseling for special dietary needs and medical conditions.
- Active Duty Weight Control Counseling “Weight to Stay Program”
- Cholesterol Education
- Sports Nutrition
- Coordination & participation in health fairs and other wellness activities
- Consultation on readiness issues
- Unit Nutrition Education by request



Optometry Clinic

412-9113

Hours: Monday - Friday, 6:30 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.

Performs routine eye exams and glaucoma tests for active duty personnel.

Pharmacy

412- 7455

Hours: Monday - Friday, 7 a.m. – 4 p.m.



Physical Examination

412-8777, 412-8778

Hours: Monday – Friday, 6:30 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.

Physical exams: periodic, over 40, chapter, retirement, Airborne, Ranger, Special Forces and Green to Gold. Call for more information about appointment times and types.

Physical Therapy

412-8686, 412-8687

Hours: Monday – Wednesday - Friday, 6 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.

Closed for staff meeting and training Thursdays, 6 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.



Radiology

412-8931

Hours: Monday – Friday, 6:30 a.m – 3:30 p.m. The following procedures can be scheduled by the LHC Radiology Section: Fluoroscopy, CT, Ultra-Sound, MRI.

Reception and Medical Records

412-9191

Hours: Monday – Friday, 6:30 a.m. - 3:30 p.m., In/out processing: 9 a.m. – 11:15 a.m. and 12:30 – 3 p.m.

SPC4 Joseph Guy LaPointe, Jr.



The LaPointe Health Clinic was dedicated and named for SPC4 Joseph Guy LaPointe, Jr. (July 2, 1948–June 2, 1969), an Army medic Army who posthumously received the Medal of Honor for his actions during the Vietnam War.

The official citation states:

For conspicuous gallantry and intrepidity in action at the risk of his life above and beyond the call of duty Specialist Four Joseph G. LaPointe, Jr., Headquarters and Headquarters Troop, 2d Squadron, 17th Cavalry, 101st Airborne Division, distinguished himself on 2 June 1969 while serving as a Medical Aidman during a combat helicopter assault mission in Quang Tin Province, Republic of Vietnam.

Specialist LaPointe's patrol was advancing from the landing zone through an adjoining valley when it suddenly encountered heavy automatic-weapons fire from a large enemy force entrenched in well-fortified bunker positions. In the initial hail of fire, two soldiers in the formation vanguard were seriously wounded. Hearing a call for aid from one of the wounded, Specialist LaPointe ran forward through heavy fire to assist his fallen comrades. To reach the wounded men, he was forced to crawl directly in view of an enemy bunker. As members of his unit attempted to provide covering fire, he administered first aid to one man, shielding the other with his body. He was hit by a burst of fire from the bunker while attending the wounded soldier. In spite of his own painful wounds, Specialist LaPointe continued his lifesaving duties until he was again wounded and knocked to the ground. Making strenuous efforts, he moved back again into a shielding position to continue administering first aid. An exploding enemy grenade mortally wounded all three men. Specialist LaPointe's courageous actions at the cost of his life were an inspiration to his comrades. His gallantry and selflessness are in the highest traditions of the military service and reflect great credit on him, his unit, and the U.S. Army.

Specialist Four LaPointe is also the recipient of the Silver Star citation.