

TABLE 49.—Battle casualties of the Medical Department, officers and enlisted men: <sup>1</sup> Wounded and injured in action, <sup>2</sup> 7 December 1941–31 December 1946

Area and Group	Total		Died of wounds and injuries		Evacuated to the United States						Returned to duty in theater	
					Total			Died of wounds		Returned to duty (number)		
	Number	Annual rate per 1,000 <sup>3</sup>	Number	Percent of wounded in action	Number	Percent of wounded in action	Annual rate per 1,000 <sup>3</sup>	Number	Percent of evacuation		Number	Percent of wounded in action
<i>Total overseas</i>												
Total Army-----	592, 170	61. 1	26, 225	4. 43	182, 749	30. 86	18. 9	84	0. 05	182, 665	383, 196	64. 71
Officers-----	38, 504	48. 5	2, 109	5. 48	12, 648	32. 85	15. 9	11	. 09	12, 637	23, 747	61. 67
Enlisted-----	553, 666	62. 3	24, 116	4. 36	170, 101	30. 72	19. 1	73	. 04	170, 028	359, 449	64. 92
Medical Department-----	15, 977	19. 9	723	4. 53	4, 909	30. 73	6. 1	0	0	4, 909	10, 345	64. 75
Officers-----	703	4. 9	43	6. 12	246	34. 99	1. 7	0	0	246	414	58. 89
Enlisted-----	15, 274	23. 2	680	4. 45	4, 663	30. 53	7. 1	0	0	4, 663	9, 931	65. 02
<i>Regional</i>												
Alaska:												
Total Army-----	933	3. 7	16	1. 71	179	19. 19	. 7	0	0	179	738	79. 10
Officers-----	91	5. 9	2	2. 20	36	39. 56	2. 3	0	0	36	53	58. 24
Enlisted-----	842	3. 6	14	1. 66	143	16. 98	. 6	0	0	143	685	81. 35
Medical Department-----	45	3. 6	1	2. 22	3	6. 67	. 2	0	0	3	41	91. 11
Officers-----	3	1. 6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	100. 00
Enlisted-----	42	3. 9	1	2. 36	3	7. 14	. 3	0	0	3	38	. 48
Caribbean and South Atlantic:												
Total Army-----	9	. 0	2	22. 22	1	11. 11	. 0	0	0	1	6	66. 67
Officers-----	3	. 1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	100. 00
Enlisted-----	6	. 0	2	33. 33	1	16. 67	. 0	0	0	1	3	50. 00
Medical Department-----	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Officers-----	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Enlisted-----	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
European theater:												
Total Army-----	381, 350	111. 2	16, 264	4. 26	125, 417	32. 89	36. 6	0	0	125, 417	239, 669	62. 85
Officers-----	23, 808	81. 3	1, 287	5. 41	8, 238	34. 60	28. 1	0	0	8, 238	14, 283	59. 99

Enlisted.....	357, 542	114. 0	14, 977	4. 19	117, 179	32. 77	37. 4	0	0	117, 179	225, 386	63. 04
Medical Department.....	10, 016	33. 5	452	4. 51	3, 208	32. 03	10. 7	0	0	3, 208	6, 356	63. 46
Officers.....	391	7. 4	28	7. 16	140	35. 81	2. 7	0	0	140	223	57. 03
Enlisted.....	9, 625	39. 0	424	4. 41	3, 068	31. 88	12. 4	0	0	3, 068	6, 133	63. 72
Mediterranean theater:												
Total Army.....	111, 125	75. 7	3, 993	3. 59	26, 279	23. 65	17. 9	0	0	26, 279	80, 853	72. 76
Officers.....	7, 770	57. 8	342	4. 40	2, 127	27. 37	15. 8	0	0	2, 127	5, 301	68. 22
Enlisted.....	103, 355	77. 1	3, 651	3. 53	24, 152	23. 37	18. 0	0	0	24, 152	75, 552	73. 10
Medical Department.....	2, 753	25. 5	83	3. 01	693	25. 17	6. 4	0	0	693	1, 957	71. 09
Officers.....	129	6. 4	4	3. 10	44	34. 11	2. 2	0	0	44	81	62. 79
Enlisted.....	2, 624	27. 9	79	3. 01	649	24. 73	6. 9	0	0	649	1, 876	71. 49
Africa-Middle East:												
Total Army.....	536	14. 5	17	3. 17	117	21. 83	3. 2	0	0	117	402	75. 00
Officers.....	196	55. 0	6	3. 06	48	24. 49	13. 5	0	0	48	142	72. 45
Enlisted.....	340	10. 5	11	3. 24	69	20. 29	2. 1	0	0	69	260	76. 47
Medical Department.....	3	. 7	1	33. 33	2	66. 67	. 5	0	0	2	1	33. 33
Officers.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Enlisted.....	3	. 9	1	33. 33	2	66. 67	. 6	0	0	2	1	33. 33
China-Burma-India:												
Total Army.....	2, 597	6. 9	192	7. 39	617	23. 76	1. 6	0	0	617	1, 788	68. 85
Officers.....	407	9. 3	42	10. 32	105	25. 80	2. 4	0	0	105	260	63. 88
Enlisted.....	2, 190	6. 6	150	6. 85	512	23. 38	1. 5	0	0	512	1, 528	69. 77
Medical Department.....	54	1. 6	4	7. 41	9	16. 67	. 3	0	0	9	41	75. 93
Officers.....	6	. 9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	100. 00
Enlisted.....	48	1. 7	4	8. 33	9	18. 75	. 3	0	0	9	35	72. 92
Pacific:												
Total Army.....	95, 021	36. 3	5, 707	6. 01	29, 923	31. 49	11. 4	0	0	29, 923	59, 391	62. 50
Officers.....	6, 076	30. 9	422	6. 95	2, 045	33. 66	10. 4	0	0	2, 045	3, 609	59. 40
Enlisted.....	88, 945	36. 7	5, 285	5. 94	27, 878	31. 34	11. 5	0	0	27, 878	55, 782	62. 72
Medical Department.....	3, 100	13. 5	183	5. 90	990	31. 94	4. 3	0	0	990	1, 927	62. 76
Officers.....	173	4. 6	11	6. 36	61	35. 26	1. 6	0	0	61	101	58. 38
Enlisted.....	2, 927	15. 3	172	5. 88	929	31. 94	4. 9	0	0	929	1, 826	62. 38
U.S. Army Strategic Air Forces:												
Total Army.....	407	5. 3	13	3. 19	102	25. 06	1. 3	0	0	102	292	71. 74
Officers.....	129	12. 5	7	5. 43	33	25. 58	3. 2	0	0	33	89	68. 99
Enlisted.....	278	4. 1	6	2. 16	69	24. 82	1. 0	0	0	69	203	73. 02

See footnotes at end of table.

TABLE 49.—Battle casualties of the Medical Department, officers and enlisted men:<sup>1</sup> Wounded and injured in action,<sup>2</sup> 7 December 1941–31 December 1946—Continued

Area and Group	Total		Died of wounds and injuries		Evacuated to the United States						Returned to duty in theater	
					Total			Died of wounds		Returned to duty (number)		
	Number	Annual rate per 1,000 <sup>3</sup>	Number	Percent of wounded in action	Number	Percent of wounded in action	Annual rate per 1,000 <sup>3</sup>	Number	Percent of evacuation		Number	Percent of wounded in action
U.S. Army Strategic Air Forces--Continued												
Medical Department-----	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Officers-----	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Enlisted-----	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
En route:												
Total Army-----	100	( <sup>4</sup> )	13	13. 00	30	30. 00	( <sup>4</sup> )	0	0	30	57	57. 00
Officers-----	12	( <sup>4</sup> )	0	0	5	41. 67	( <sup>4</sup> )	0	0	5	7	58. 33
Enlisted-----	88	( <sup>4</sup> )	13	14. 77	25	28. 41	( <sup>4</sup> )	0	0	25	50	56. 82
Medical Department-----	6	( <sup>4</sup> )	0	0	4	66. 67	( <sup>4</sup> )	0	0	4	2	33. 33
Officers-----	1	( <sup>4</sup> )	0	0	1	100. 00	( <sup>4</sup> )	0	0	1	0	0
Enlisted-----	5	( <sup>4</sup> )	0	0	3	60. 00	( <sup>4</sup> )	0	0	3	2	40. 00
Theater unknown:												
Total Army-----	92		8	8. 70	84	91. 30		0	0	0	0	0
Officers-----	12		1	8. 33	11	91. 67		0	0	0	0	0
Enlisted-----	80		7	8. 75	73	91. 25		0	0	0	0	0
Medical Department-----	0		0	0	0	0		0	0	0	0	0
Officers-----	0		0	0	0	0		0	0	0	0	0
Enlisted-----	0		0	0	0	0		0	0	0	0	0

<sup>1</sup> For basic data, see footnote 1, table 48.<sup>2</sup> Comprehends "only those wounded or injured in action personnel requiring hospitalization, except that those who died of wounds or injuries after reaching some type of medical treatment facility but before reaching a hospital are also included."<sup>3</sup> Rate per 1,000 of median strength.<sup>4</sup> Information not readily available.