



Maj. Mary S. Doellman, DO Otolaryngology Head and Neck Surgeon

General Leonard Wood Army Community Hospital

# **Medical School:**

Lake Erie College of Osteopathic Medicine, Erie, Pa.

#### Internship:

Tripler Army Medical Center, Honolulu, Hawaii

### **Residency:**

San Antonio Military Medical Center, San Antonio, Texas

### **Specialties:**

Otolaryngology Head and Neck Surgery—also known as an Ears, Nose and Throat (ENT) surgeon

#### Office Location:

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# Reasons to see Maj. Mary Doellman:

- •Nearly a decade of specialty surgical experience in ENT Head and Neck surgical care
- Maj. Doellman is also a military spouse who understands the needs of both military and family members
- •Excellent surgeon, great with children

### What was your motivation to become an Otolaryngologist?

Maj. Mary Doellman: "I taught myself guitar in high school. I'm not very good—but I'm good enough. Good enough to get into medical school because I realized that folk singing wasn't going to pay the bills!

Otolaryngology was my back-up plan—not really—but that was always the joke because medical terms kind of rhyme—like "biology" and "surgery"—so writing songs that rhyme would be easy. In all honesty it's a perfect combination of everything in medicine I enjoy: surgery, clinic and pediatrics."

What do you like most about your job?

Maj. Mary Doellman: "I really enjoy caring for children. I'm a doodler so I draw on their bed sheet before surgery—unicorns, cats, dogs, dragons."

## Where did you grow up?

Maj. Mary Doellman: "I grew up near Savannah, Georgia."

# What is your favorite thing to do when you're not working?

Maj. Mary Doellman: "I got into cooking and I think that's probably just the surgeon in me because you get to work with your hands and make something new. Everybody wants to come over if you cook a lot. I also shot skeet and trap competitively in high school on the State 4H team. Great practice for surgical hand & eye coordination skills!"



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