

Mobilization and Deployment Readiness

services include mobility and deployment assistance to help single, married, DoD personnel and families meet pre-deployment, sustainment, reintegration, and post-deployment challenges. Assistance is provided prior to deployments exceeding four weeks to assist members in establishing an extended absence financial plan as part of personal readiness preparation.

- ***Emergency Family Assistance Center's*** primary mission is to integrate services that will address the practical and emotional needs of families of potential DoD casualties and DoD personnel affected by disaster.
- ***Repatriation*** assistance provides essential services during the repatriation operation, and local assistance/aide when families reach their safe haven/final destination.

Air Force Families Forever is a long-term aftercare program providing outreach to family members who have lost an Airman.

Casualty Assistance provides prompt reporting, dignified and humane notification, and efficient, thorough and compassionate assistance to family members.

- ***Survivor Benefit Plan*** information is provided to retirees and spouses. The SBP is an insurance plan that will pay your surviving spouse a monthly payment (annuity) to help make up for the loss of your retirement income.
- ***SGLI/FSGLI/TSGLI/VGLI*** information provided to retirees and spouses of all branches of the Armed Forces.

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WHAT IS THE AIRMAN & FAMILY READINESS CENTER?

The Airman & Family Readiness Center supports individuals, families, and leadership with programs and services to strengthen communities, encourage self-sufficiency, enhance mission readiness and ease adaptation to the Air Force way of life. Services are provided to military members of all branches of service and all components, DOD employees and their families.

Relocation Assistance services provide relocation information, education, and skills development for customers.

Family Services Loan Closet provides temporary household items during relocation and under special circumstances. Bldg 202, 882-2893.

Discovery Resource Center (DRC) has a computer lab with wifi and LAN capabilities; Fax and printing capabilities; a library of books available for checkout.

Information & Referral (I&R) services assist individuals and families by helping them identify and clarify needs, determine appropriate forms of assistance and provide linkage to resources.

Voting Assistance Program ensures service members and their eligible family members are aware of their right to vote and have the tools to successfully do so from anywhere in the world. The A&FRC can assist members in registering to vote, requesting absentee ballots and more!

Transition Assistance Program (TAP) provides retiring, separating, and demobilizing members

the necessary skills and relevant knowledge needed for a successful transition to the next life stage. Family members are highly encouraged to attend all TAP appointments and workshops!

Employment / Career Support assists those seeking short or long-term employment, education/training, and career exploration and goal setting.

Volunteer Resource collaborates with base and community agencies to make sure military personnel, civilians, retirees, & family members connect with volunteer opportunities. Find us on Facebook @ Eglin A&FRC Volunteer Resource Services

Personal Financial Readiness provides information, education, and personal financial counseling to help military personnel, retirees, civilians and/or family members. This program helps all obtain financial health, security, and readiness.

Emergency Financial Aid provides emergency financial aid for basic living expenses (food, shelter, utilities, etc.), emergency maintenance of primary vehicle, medical/dental care and emergency travel. AFAS makes community programs possible. Assistance for Army, Navy, Marines or Coast Guard is also available.



Personal & Work Life services assist with force and family readiness to include education and consultation designed to enhance social competence for individuals, couples, and families, and build resilience skills that assist in navigating a mobile, military lifestyle.

Crisis Intervention assists individuals and groups in crisis through, short-term intervention and referrals for further assistance.

Key Spouse is a formal commander's program to support military spouses and enhance family readiness, resiliency and build a strong squadron community especially during PCS moves and deployments. All KS are volunteers appointed by the Commander and trained by the A&FRC.

Exceptional Family Member Program – Family Support (EFMP-FS) coaches military families with special needs, to increase their skills, connections and resources they need to effectively advocate for the family member with unique needs. The EFMP-FS goal is to special needs families to gain confidence and strength to improve and sustain their quality of life.

Air Force Wounded Warrior (AFW2) is the Air Force military severely injured program to assist combat-related ill/injured Airmen and their families in receiving world-class personnel services and support, extended transition assistance, and five-year case management follow-up.