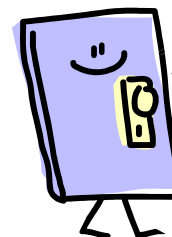


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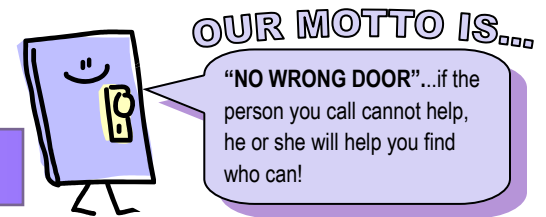
"NO WRONG DOOR"...if the person you call cannot help, he or she will help you find who can!

## THIS SIDE —ANCHORAGE/MAT-SU AREA—PRIMARILY ACTIVE DUTY

<p><b>JBER School Liaisons</b>                  Brian Griggs, ER/Anch                  Don Cole, Mat-Su                  Adele Daniels, Ft Rich                  Jena Bienia, Elmen. &amp;                  questions on MFLCs in                  schools-Anch/MatSu</p>	<p>Local Task Force  <b>240-3265</b>                  384-7500                  384-1505                  384-2369</p>	<p><a href="mailto:Brian.griggs@elmendorf.af.mil">Brian.griggs@elmendorf.af.mil</a>   <a href="mailto:donald.cole@elmendorf.af.mil">donald.cole@elmendorf.af.mil</a>  <a href="mailto:adele.daniels@elmendorf.af.mil">adele.daniels@elmendorf.af.mil</a>  <a href="mailto:jena.bienia@elmendorf.af.mil">jena.bienia@elmendorf.af.mil</a></p>	<p><b>CONTACT: BRIAN GRIGGS (at left) IF YOU WANT A CUSTOMIZED PRESENTATION FOR YOUR GROUP OR AGENCY FROM THE MILITARY EDUCATION DEPLOYMENT TASK FORCE.</b>                  Serves as the School Liaison Officer for the installation promoting, coordinating and improving education policies, programs, standards, activities and opportunities for military children (all branches). Primary advisor to the Commander and principal staff on all matters relating to school. Provides individual and family consultation services, education, referrals and follow-up. Works with educators, counselors and school officials regarding phases of deployment.</p>
<p><b>JBER-Richardson Army Community Services (ACS)</b></p>	<p>384-1517</p>	<p>Website:  <a href="http://www.elmendorf-richardson.com">http://www.elmendorf-richardson.com</a></p>	<p>Many family services available by phone and in person; Family Advocacy, Army Emergency Relief, WIC Services, Exceptional Family Member Program (EFMP) and other support services</p>
<p><b>JBER- Richardson Family Life Chaplain</b></p>	<p>384-5433                  384-6666</p>		
<p><b>JBER- Richardson Survivor Outreach Services (SOS)</b>                  Valerie O'Hare</p>	<p>384-0272                  384-0282 f</p>	<p><a href="mailto:Valerie.ohare@us.army.mil">Valerie.ohare@us.army.mil</a></p>	<p>SOS demonstrates the Army's commitment to Families of the Fallen. The Mission of SOS is to provide enhanced services to these Families. SOS will allow the Army to better identify the needs of Families touched by the loss of a Soldier. The SOS program will provide long term support to Families, provide benefits counseling, financial counseling, resources and referral services, staff will conduct face to face interviews with Survivors, conduct support groups, briefings, to the community and leadership; and provide life skills and supportive counseling.</p>
<p><b>JBER Military and Family Life Consultant (rotational)</b></p>	<p>382-0592 or                  0597 or                  8909 or                  0594/2799</p>	<p><a href="mailto:Mflc.ft.richardson@gmail.com">Mflc.ft.richardson@gmail.com</a></p>	<p>Confidential, short term, <i>non-medical (non-emergency)</i>, solution-based counseling for families and service members (children with parents present), limited to 12 sessions per issue; able to refer for specialized or longer term counseling services when necessary; no paper trail or reporting to service member superiors, but abide by "duty to warn" (threat of harm to self or others)</p>
<p><b>JBER-Richardson Parent 2 Parent (P2P)</b>                  Wendy Newman</p>	<p>726-1484</p>	<p><a href="mailto:Ptop.richardson@military.org">Ptop.richardson@military.org</a></p>	<p>"Empowering Parents to be their child's best educational advocate" The Fort Richardson P2P Program provides informative and interactive workshops to groups or organizations in our local community on topics relating to transition and the military-connected child</p>
<p><b>JBER-Elmendorf Military and Family Readiness Center</b></p>	<p>552-4943</p>	<p><a href="http://www.elmendorf-richardson.com">http://www.elmendorf-richardson.com</a></p>	<p><i>Many</i> family services available by phone and in person; Air Force Aid, Relocation Assistance, Financial Readiness and other support services (called the "Log Cabin" by many people)</p>

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RESOURCES ON THIS SIDE – **partial STATE, STATE OR REGION** –FOR ANY BRANCHES OF SERVICE



<p><b>AK National Guard Child &amp; Youth Program [and AK NG Family Program POC]</b> (JFSAP team member) Joan Boltz, State Youth Coord.**</p>	<p>JFSAP State-wide Team Scheduling; <b>428-6663</b> <b>428-6670</b> 1.888.917.3608</p>	<p><a href="mailto:joan.boltz@us.army.mil">joan.boltz@us.army.mil</a></p>	<p><b>CONTACT: JOAN BOLTZ (at left)</b> TO SCHEDULE A PRESENTATION ON SERVICES FOR MILITARY FAMILIES <b>STATEWIDE</b>, INCLUDING RURAL LOCATIONS. <b>Overall Child &amp; Youth Mission:</b> “To support the social, emotional and academic needs of the National Guard children and youth” Help youth cope with stress and look for ways to grow during the deployment cycle; provide accurate and useful information to the youth of the AK National Guard <i>and other service branches</i>. <b>AKNG Family Program</b>, support, deployment cycle training, information and referral, all facets of needs, etc. for ANY BRANCH of service <a href="http://www.jointservicesupport.org">www.jointservicesupport.org</a></p>
<p><b>Army One Source—AK Brenda Newburn,</b> Community Support Coordinator</p>	<p>384-0804</p>	<p><a href="mailto:Csc.ftrichardson@gmail.com">Csc.ftrichardson@gmail.com</a></p>	<p>This position aims to provide support services to all Military Service Members, regardless of branch; these services can cover a wide range of topics, and include resource referrals both on and off the installation. The five primary areas are Behavioral, Health, Faith-based, Finances and Legal.</p>
<p><b>AK National Guard Military &amp; Family Life Consultant (JFSAP Team member) **</b></p>	<p>428-6662 382-1795</p>	<p>Military Family Life Consultants: <a href="mailto:Mflc.jfsap.ft.rich@gmail.com">Mflc.jfsap.ft.rich@gmail.com</a></p>	<p>Confidential, short term, <i>non-medical (non-emergency)</i>, solution-based counseling for families and service members (children with parents present), limited to 12 sessions per issue; able to refer for specialized or longer term counseling services if necessary; no paper trail or reporting to service member superiors, but abide by “duty to warn” (threat of harm to self or others) [One of two consultants assigned <i>permanently</i> to the Guard for the state—branch of service not an issue]</p>
<p><b>Operation: Military Kids (JFSAP Team member)</b> Candi Dierenfield, State Program Director and State 4-H Military Liaison**</p>	<p>907-377-4130</p>	<p><a href="mailto:cldierenfield@alaska.edu">cldierenfield@alaska.edu</a></p>	<p>OMK is the U.S. Army's collaborative effort with America's communities to support the children and youth impacted by deployment—through camps, special events and program support; Families and youth, as well as educators, can access information about OMK programs, either through this link: <a href="http://www.operationmilitarykids.org/public/home.aspx">http://www.operationmilitarykids.org/public/home.aspx</a> , by contacting their State 4-H Military Liaison</p>
<p><b>Army Reserve Family Programs</b> Pam Johnson, Program Coord.**</p>	<p>384-7826 240-8993</p>	<p><a href="mailto:pam.johnson4@us.army.mil">pam.johnson4@us.army.mil</a></p>	<p>Provide Army Reserve component families with resource and referral information; assist with and coordinate training for families for all phases of the deployment cycle</p>
<p><b>Alaska National Guard Survivor Outreach Services (SOS)</b> Rick Cavens, Lea Anne McWhorter Survivor Outreach Coords. **</p>	<p>428-6066 w 428-6259 w</p>	<p><a href="mailto:Richard.cavens@us.army.mil">Richard.cavens@us.army.mil</a> <a href="mailto:lea.a.mcwhorter.ctr@us.army.mil">lea.a.mcwhorter.ctr@us.army.mil</a></p>	<p>SOS Coordinator demonstrates the military's commitment to Families of the Fallen; offers information and support with continued military benefits and entitlements, acts as an advocate for survivors, provides basic budget and financial resources, and mental health counseling where they live (can serve more than one branch of service)</p>
<p><b>Military OneSource MOS &amp; JFSAP Consultant, Alaska**</b></p>	<p>428-6293 w <b>1-800-342-9647</b></p>	<p>Position is vacant at this time...</p>	<p>“You name it. We can help.” Counseling, money matters, children and youth, Deployment, Spouse employment. Provided at no cost by the Department of Defense to active duty, Guard, Reserve and their family members.</p>

\*\*Designates some services statewide or over a regional area of the state