CAC Services for Military Installations

RFP Tips

Access the Data
Locate your CAC on NCA’s interactive map to see where the nearest military installation with Family Advocacy Program services is located. If your CAC is within driving distance of a military installation, even if that installation itself is not in your service area, you may be serving military families because most military families live off-base in surrounding communities. Check out our report on what the most recent census results on how CACs work with military partners and assess how your CAC compares to the national results.

Connect with military partners
For CACs, Family Advocacy Program (FAP) is a natural partner. FAP is a congressionally mandated program that facilitates a comprehensive coordinated community response to prevent and respond to reports of child abuse and neglect and domestic abuse in military families. Making an introduction to the FAP office in your area is a great place to start. FAP would also be an appropriate program to approach for a letter of support for your grant application. Learn more about FAP's role in cases of suspected child abuse in our webinar. And, learn more about other programs involved in military child abuse response on our fact sheets. For Air Force, Army, Marine Corps, and Navy.

Make the most of NCA Engage
Visit the military partnerships page on the NCA Engage Learning Center to access our resources for supporting CAC-military partnerships, including fact sheets, reports, webinars, and more. Be sure to join the military partnerships community on NCA Engage, too. Here you can connect with other CACs serving military families to ask questions and share resources.

Connect with other CACs
Reach out to other CACs in your area that collaborate with military partners. Since military families live in many communities surrounding an installation, military partners may work with more than one CAC. If there is a CAC in your area with relationships at the installation, they may be able to connect you to the right contacts to expand CAC access for military families in your community.

Chat with us
Contact NCA’s Coordinator for Services to Military Families, Heather Provencher, to discuss ideas for strengthening services to military families at your CAC. For questions about the RFP or grant application, please contact the grants team.