

# 920<sup>th</sup> Rescue Wing

*One Air Force, Same Fight... An Unrivaled Wingman*



## Airmen & Family Readiness Briefing

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**Patrick Airmen & Family  
Readiness Center**

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[www.gopatrickfl.com](http://www.gopatrickfl.com)



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## Airmen & Family Readiness

- Our Mission
- Core Services
- Resources





# *The Reserve Triad*

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**Strong, Viable Reserve  
Requires These Pillars to Work**



**Family**



**Reservist**



**Employer**



# ***920<sup>th</sup> Airman & Family Readiness***

## **■ Our Mission:**

- Provide a critical lifeline and assistance to Reservists and their families**
- Supporting AFRC mission of continued ability to efficiently produce, develop and deliver combat-ready Airmen, where and when needed, to ensure we remain the world's most preeminent Air and Space power.**



# *It's All About The Mission*

## *Individual and Family Preparedness*

*(24/7/365)*

- **Mobilization and Deployment Support**
- **Crisis Assistance**
- **Information and Referral**
- *Not just for Deployments Anymore (TDYs, Natural Disasters)*



# ***Deployment Support***

## **BE PREPARED**

- **Make sure loved ones have list of contacts (*unit POCs, A&FR Office names/numbers, Red Cross, etc*)**
- **Virtual Record of Emergency Data (vRED) Current**
- **First Sergeant in unit for emergencies (*make sure loved ones has their number*)**
- **Family care plans (*see First Sergeants*)**



# *Deployment Support*

## FINANCIALLY

- **Verify both you and spouse have access to money while you are gone**
- **Password to MyPay**  
**<https://mypay.dfas.mil/mypay.aspx>**
- **Make sure you have checks**
- **Leave a copy of orders and last LES**
- **Verify and update SGLI (*beneficiary*) if necessary**
- ***Ensure all family members have an ID card***



# ***Deployment Support***

## **OTHER ISSUES**

- **Update or get a will**
- **Obtain Power of Attorneys (Special)**
- **Check expiration date on family members ID cards and enrollment in DEERS (VERY IMPORTANT)**
- **Location of important documents**



# *Deployment Support for Single Members*

- Designate person to handle finances if needed
- Contact utilities (cable, phone, electric, landlord, etc)
- Arrange for pick-up/forwarding of mail
- Have someone check house/apartment during absence
- Pet Care ([www.netpets.org](http://www.netpets.org))
- Arrange vehicle storage/insurance adjustment
- Tell a family member/friend how to contact you



# Deployment Support

## Sustainment Support

- Support with daily concerns such as finances, employment, relationships, parenting, accessing services
- Resource for families
- PLAY Pass
- Skype/email
- Deployed family events
- Air Force Aid Society Programs (at applicable locations)





# ***Deployment Support***

## **Reunion and Reintegration**

- **Address readjustment concerns (emotions, communication, relationship, children, employer)**
- **Unit Consultations/Briefings**
- **Individual/Family Concerns**
- **Return & Reunion CDs**
- **Welcome Back Events**





# *Miscellaneous Items*

- **Contact school/teacher - ask for updates on children**
- **Custody request on file at schools/daycare (if applicable)**
- **Books at Airman & Family Readiness Center) to help children/couples deal with deployment and separation issues**
- **Special medication needed**
- **Service Members Civil Relief Act (SCRA)**
  - **Formerly Soldiers' & Sailors Civil Relief Act**
  - **Fact Sheet on Military One Source website**
- **Make sure vehicle is in good working order**



# ***Crisis Assistance***

## **EMERGENCY PREPARATION**

- **Keep some funds outside local area**
- **Keep some cash on hand**
- **Maintain proper insurance coverage**
- **Inventory household goods**
- **Have an evacuation plan (include your pets)**
- **Know how to turn off utilities**
- **Know resources for assistance**



# ***Resources***

## **Crisis/Emergency Resources**

- **Military OneSource [militaryonesource.com](http://militaryonesource.com)**
- **Air Force Aid Society [afas.org](http://afas.org)**
- **United Way [national.unitedway.org](http://national.unitedway.org)**
- **FEMA [fema.gov](http://fema.gov)**
- **American Red Cross [redcross.org](http://redcross.org)**
- **Air Force Aid Society [afas.org](http://afas.org)**
- **VFW [unmetneeds.com](http://unmetneeds.com)**
- **USA Cares [usacares.org](http://usacares.org)**



# ***Military OneSource***

**Real help. Anytime, anywhere. It's Free!**  
**No question is too small, no issue is too big.**

- **24/7/365**
- **Customized response by qualified staff**
- **Personal support, referrals, articles, workshops, booklets**
- **Face-to-face counseling available at no cost**
- **militaryonesource.com**
- **800-342-9647 Overseas: \*800-3429-6477 (access codes online)**



## *Our Goal*

**Strong Families...Strong Force  
...Strong Communities**





# *Closing*

- **You are the cornerstone of mission success!**
- **Each and every one of you is important!**
- **We salute you .....and thank you!!!!**