

Welcome to the April CARE Meeting

Topic: *Awareness Month*





Exceptional Family Member Program



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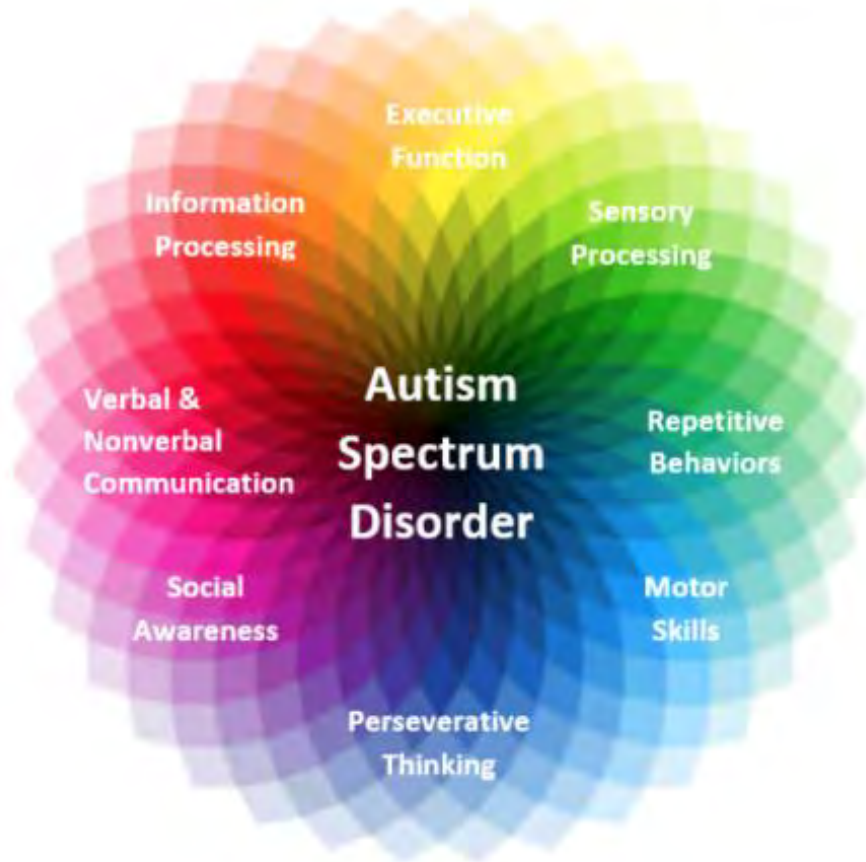




EFMP

Autism Awareness Month

What is Autism



Autism affects an estimated

1 in 54 children

in the U.S.





EFMP Autism Awareness Month

EFMP Events/Trainings

- ⌘ Spotlight ABA providers each Thursday of the month via EFMP Facebook Group.
- ⌘ ABA Centers highlighted:
 - ⌘ INVO Behavior and Therapy Services
 - ⌘ Goal Point Behavioral
 - ⌘ ZOE Center for ABA and Developmental Services
 - ⌘ Autism Learning Center
 - ⌘ Ready to Learn ABA, LLC

Community Events/Trainings

- ⌘ <https://www.autismspeaks.org/events>
- ⌘ Offers events and training options.





School Liaison Officers

School Support Services

A Driving Force for Student Success

Ethan Branch and Marcus DuBose
School Liaison Officers

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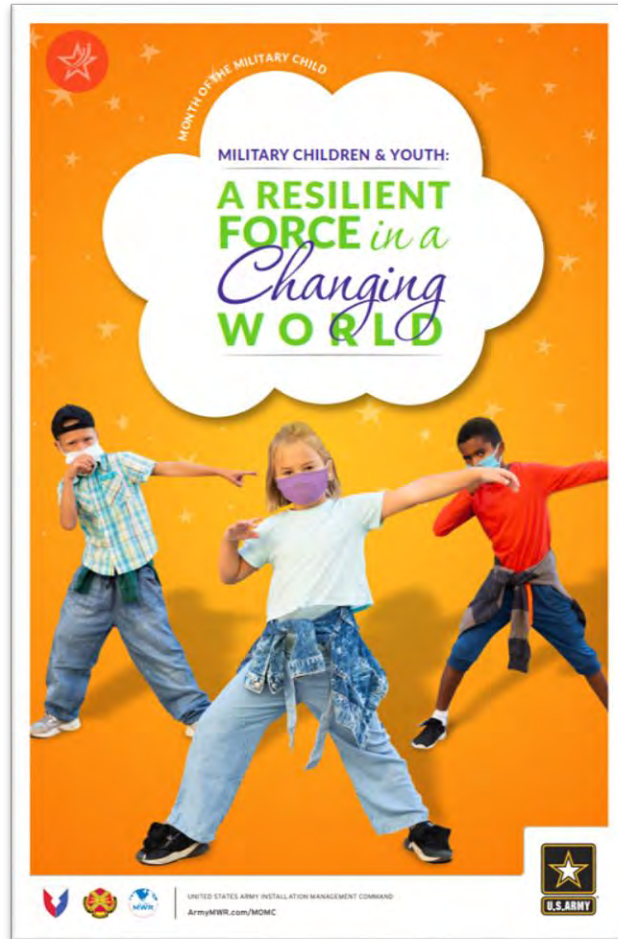
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CYS Month of the Military Child



Fort Benning CYS invites you to celebrate “Military Children & Youth: A Resilient Force in a Changing World”

Established in 1986, the designation of April as the Month of the Military Child (MOMC) acknowledges the significant role military children/youth play in our communities.





Young Lives, Big Stories Contest



- ☐ Contest gives Army-connected children and youth (ages 3 through grade 12) the chance to tell their story about what it means to be a military kid through pictures or written words
- ☐ Children and youth have the opportunity to win great prizes, such as a tablet, iPad or X-Box
- ☐ All submissions must be related to the question: **"What does it mean to you to be a military child or youth?"**
- ☐ Visit ArmyMWR.com/YLBS to enter





Operation Megaphone



- ☐ 22-24 April - CYS is partnering with BGCA to offer the first virtual Military Teen Summit in accordance with Operation Megaphone
- ☐ Army youth will have an opportunity to discuss relevant issues with military youth from other services
- ☐ For more information contact the CYS Teen Center at (706) 545-3070





Purple Up!



☐ Purple Up! Week: 18-24 April 2021

☐ Purple is the color that symbolizes all of the branches of the military

☐ Wearing the color purple is a visible way to show support and thank military youth for their strength and sacrifices





Youth Sports Volunteer Coaches

We Need You!



FORT BENNING CHILD & YOUTH SERVICES

Volunteer Coaches

Support Fort Benning Youth
Earn Valuable Volunteer Hours
Certification and Member Benefits from National Alliance for Youth Sports (NAYS)
Waived Sports Fees for Your Child
Have Fun!





CONTACT YOUTH SPORTS & FITNESS AT
706-545-1853 FOR DETAILS!





Youth Sports Instructional Programs




Youth Sports presents

INSTRUCTIONAL PROGRAMS

DANCE AND CHEER
For ages 7 and up

ACTING CLASSES *Open to all ages*
with the Springer Opera House
Storytelling through Ecosystem, Acting 101, Improvisation 101,
and Creative Movement with Metaphors.



Price for each class varies, register today over WebTrac, for more information on class dates, times and location visit benning.armymwr.com. We hope to see your child dance and act!



A young girl with dark braids is resting her head on the shoulder of a man in a military uniform. An American flag is pinned to the man's chest. The background is a soft-focus outdoor scene with greenery. A teal and purple curved graphic element is on the left side of the image.

PASTORAL INSTITUTE

- EMPOWERING PEOPLE TO LOVE, SERVE, AND LIVE MEANINGFUL LIVES -

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THE PASTORAL INSTITUTE helps inspire and empower people to love, serve, and live meaningfully.

MISSION

The Pastoral Institute cares for the emotional, relational and spiritual needs of people.

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Counseling Services

For **forty-seven years** the Pastoral Institute has served **families, individuals, children, and businesses** in **Columbus.**

We help revive relationships, equip parents, and empower them to live a balanced life through confidential faith affirming counseling.

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A photograph of four diverse children (two girls and two boys) lying on their stomachs in a grassy field with yellow wildflowers. They are all smiling and looking towards the camera. The background is a soft-focus view of trees and a bright sky. The image has a warm, golden-hour lighting.

Empowering Our Community

Approximately **130** companies participate in our
Employee Assistance Program

which provides over **5,000** counseling sessions annually.

26 churches participated in our **Covenant Congregation Program**.
More than **900** visits are provided through Covenant Congregation Program.

Pastoral Institute provides over **20,000** counseling sessions each year.

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Sexual Harassment/Assault Response & Prevention

Building 38, 2d Floor, Suites 11-14
7191 Richardson Circle
Fort Benning, Georgia 31905



Sexual Harassment/Assault Response & Prevention

Unit SHARP POCs

SHARP POCs	OFFICE	CELL
MCoE		
SHARP Program Manager	706-545-2305	706-304-7965
MCoE Lead SARC	706-545-3780	706-505-9019
194th AR BDE		
SARC	706-544-3754	706-728-7596
SHARP VA	706-544-5267	706-676-0421
198th IN BDE		
SARC	706-544-1970	706-326-4690
SHARP VA	706-544-8816	706-326-4690
199th IN BDE		
SARC	706-545-7875	706-604-4236
SHARP VA	706-545-7875	706-604-4236
316th CAV BDE		
SARC	706-626-6622	706-304-5148
SHARP VA	706-626-6629	706-304-9832
ARTB		
SARC	706-545-3101	706-464-7711
SHARP VA	706-545-3101	706-464-7711
BMACH		
SARC	762-408-1622	706-604-9363
SHARP VA	762-822-2245	762-408-1553
Garrison		
SARC	706-545-6649	706-366-0225
75RGR		
SARC	706-545-7038	253-389-5432
SHARP VA	706-545-2457	706-580-9941





SHARPSM

SEXUAL HARASSMENT/ASSAULT RESPONSE & PREVENTION

Sexual Assault Awareness & Prevention Month (SAAPM)

2021 Army Theme:

***“Building Cohesive Teams through Character, Trust & Resilience.
Protecting Our People Protects Our Mission.”***

Date	Time(s)	Event	Location	Unit
01 Apr	0830-1000	Teal Ribbon Kick-Off / Cup of Awareness	MWH, Bldg 4, Room 1400	MCoE
01-30 Apr	Multiple	Stomp Out Sexual Assault	8801 11 th Airborne Division Rd., Bldg 3215	198 IN BDE
01-30 Apr	Multiple	Clothesline Project	6506 Indianhead Rd, Bldg 2510	199 IN BDE
01-30 Apr	Multiple	People First Wellness Challenge	Virtual	USAG
02 Apr	1200-1500	Karaoke Cafe'	BMACH Atrium, Bldg 9250	BMACH
07 Apr	TBD	Color Our World with Awareness Poster Contest	Virtual	194 AR BDE
08 Apr	1130-1300	SHARP Outreach Display	Kefurt Gym – 8710 Watkins Ave., Bldg 9001	1SFAB
09 Apr	0900-1100	Chalk the Walk	Starting/Finish point: 5241 23 rd IN Regiment St., Sandhill, Bldg 3410	197 IN BDE
15 Apr	1130-1300	SHARP Awareness Display	AAFES PX Entrance	316 CAV BDE
16 Apr	0730-1100	5k Ruck/Walk, Guest Speaker: Kyle Bair, Center at 909	Start/Finish Point: 8835 Watkins Rd, Bldg 9195	1SFAB
23 Apr	0900-1100	SAAPM Challenge/Malvesti Obstacle Course	Camp Rogers	ARTB
23 Apr	1200-1300	Denim Day/Teal Walk for Awareness	BMACH Perimeter	BMACH
30 Apr	0800 & 1300	CG's Golf Scramble	Fort Benning Golf Course	75 th RGT



**Contact your brigade SARC/SHARP VA or the MCoE
SHARP Program Office for additional information:**

706-545-2305 or 706-566-1345





SPOUSE LEADERSHIP SEMINAR

FORT BENNING

Army Community Service will host the Spouse Leadership Seminar on **11-13 MAY 21**. All Spouses are welcome to attend! Seats are limited. So, register early!

Registration Begins: 19 April

Registration Ends: 30 April

For more information contact:

Leslie Smith 706-545-2989

Army Community Service Specialist



SOLDIER FAMILY READINESS GROUPS (SFRG'S)

Soldier Family Readiness Groups are back on track and we are in high gear with training opportunities!

- SFRG Foundations
- SFRG Informal Funds/Custodian
- SFRG Family Readiness Liaison
- SFRG Leader
- SFRG Key Caller

SFRG Trainings are conducted on Thursday mornings: 1000-1200

POC: Leslie Smith 706-545-2989

Registration is requested.

CARE Panel Members

Directorate of Emergency Services

Phone: (706) 545 - 5222 / 5223





Directorate of Emergency Services

Fort Benning Traffic Enforcement

- Housing Area Traffic Enforcement
 - Patton Village Traffic Survey 7 – 27 MAR 21
- March Enforcement (26 Feb – 25 Mar 21)
 - Total Traffic Stops - 161
 - Total Citations – 86 (1408/CVB)
 - Housing Areas – 22
 - Other – 64
 - Verbal Warnings – 95
 - Magistrate tickets – 63 (PV – 5, MV – 6, BH - 2, IV – 2, CV – 4, MP - 3, Housing Total - 22)





Fort Benning Access Control Point #5 (Sand Hill)

- Current Gate Hours: Monday through Friday 0500 to 1700 hrs
- Driving Time from I185 to Patton Village: 3 min 21 sec
- HQs DA Approved DASG authorized manning vs Soldier Support
- Facebook Survey: Would you prefer the Sand Hill ACP be open:
 - 1) Later during weekdays
 - 2) Earlier during weekdays
 - 3) Weekends
 - 4) No Change



Martin Army Community Hospital



FACT SHEET FOR RECIPIENTS AND CAREGIVERS

EMERGENCY USE AUTHORIZATION (EUA) OF THE PFIZER-BIONTECH COVID-19 VACCINE TO PREVENT CORONAVIRUS DISEASE 2019 (COVID-19) IN INDIVIDUALS 16 YEARS OF AGE AND OLDER

You are being offered the Pfizer-BioNTech COVID-19 Vaccine to prevent Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19) caused by SARS-CoV-2. This Fact Sheet contains information to help you understand the risks and benefits of the Pfizer-BioNTech COVID-19 Vaccine, which you may receive because there is currently a pandemic of COVID-19.

The Pfizer-BioNTech COVID-19 Vaccine is a vaccine and may prevent you from getting COVID-19. There is no U.S. Food and Drug Administration (FDA) approved vaccine to prevent COVID-19.

Read this Fact Sheet for information about the Pfizer-BioNTech COVID-19 Vaccine. Talk to the vaccination provider if you have questions. It is your choice to receive the Pfizer-BioNTech COVID-19 Vaccine.

The Pfizer-BioNTech COVID-19 Vaccine is administered as a 2-dose series, 3 weeks apart, into the muscle.

The Pfizer-BioNTech COVID-19 Vaccine may not protect everyone.

This Fact Sheet may have been updated. For the most recent Fact Sheet, please see www.cvdvaccine.com.

WHAT YOU NEED TO KNOW BEFORE YOU GET THIS VACCINE?

WHAT IS COVID-19?

COVID-19 disease is caused by a coronavirus called SARS-CoV-2. This type of coronavirus has not been seen before. You can get COVID-19 through contact with another person who has the virus. It is predominantly a respiratory illness that can affect other organs. People with COVID-19 have had a wide range of symptoms reported, ranging from mild symptoms to severe illness. Symptoms may appear 2 to 14 days after exposure to the virus. Symptoms may include: fever or chills; cough; shortness of breath; fatigue; muscle or body aches; headache; new loss of taste or smell; sore throat; congestion or runny nose; nausea or vomiting; diarrhea.

WHAT IS THE PFIZER-BIONTECH COVID-19 VACCINE?

The Pfizer-BioNTech COVID-19 Vaccine is an unapproved vaccine that may prevent COVID-19. There is no FDA-approved vaccine to prevent COVID-19.

The FDA has authorized the emergency use of the Pfizer-BioNTech COVID-19 Vaccine to prevent COVID-19 in individuals 16 years of age and older under an Emergency Use Authorization (EUA).

For more information on EUA, see the “What is an Emergency Use Authorization (EUA)?” section at the end of this Fact Sheet.

WHAT SHOULD YOU MENTION TO YOUR VACCINATION PROVIDER BEFORE YOU GET THE PFIZER-BIONTECH COVID-19 VACCINE?

Tell the vaccination provider about all of your medical conditions, including if you:

- have any allergies
- have a fever
- have a bleeding disorder or are on a blood thinner
- are immunocompromised or are on a medicine that affects your immune system
- are pregnant or plan to become pregnant
- are breastfeeding
- have received another COVID-19 vaccine

WHO SHOULD GET THE PFIZER-BIONTECH COVID-19 VACCINE?

FDA has authorized the emergency use of the Pfizer-BioNTech COVID-19 Vaccine in individuals 16 years of age and older.

WHO SHOULD NOT GET THE PFIZER-BIONTECH COVID-19 VACCINE?

You should not get the Pfizer-BioNTech COVID-19 Vaccine if you:

- had a severe allergic reaction after a previous dose of this vaccine
- had a severe allergic reaction to any ingredient of this vaccine

WHAT ARE THE INGREDIENTS IN THE PFIZER-BIONTECH COVID-19 VACCINE?

The Pfizer BioNTech COVID-19 Vaccine includes the following ingredients: mRNA, lipids ((4-hydroxybutyl)azanediyl)bis(hexane-6,1-diyl)bis(2-hexyldecanoate), 2 [[(polyethylene glycol)-2000]-N,N-ditetradecylacetamide, 1,2-Distearoyl-sn-glycero-3-phosphocholine, and cholesterol), potassium chloride, monobasic potassium phosphate, sodium chloride, dibasic sodium phosphate dihydrate, and sucrose.

HOW IS THE PFIZER-BIONTECH COVID-19 VACCINE GIVEN?

The Pfizer-BioNTech COVID-19 Vaccine will be given to you as an injection into the muscle.

The Pfizer-BioNTech COVID-19 Vaccine vaccination series is 2 doses given 3 weeks apart.

If you receive one dose of the Pfizer-BioNTech COVID-19 Vaccine, you should receive a second dose of this same vaccine 3 weeks later to complete the vaccination series.

HAS THE PFIZER-BIONTECH COVID-19 VACCINE BEEN USED BEFORE?

The Pfizer-BioNTech COVID-19 Vaccine is an unapproved vaccine. In clinical trials, approximately 20,000 individuals 16 years of age and older have received at least 1 dose of the Pfizer-BioNTech COVID-19 Vaccine.

WHAT ARE THE BENEFITS OF THE PFIZER-BIONTECH COVID-19 VACCINE?

In an ongoing clinical trial, the Pfizer-BioNTech COVID-19 Vaccine has been shown to prevent COVID-19 following 2 doses given 3 weeks apart. The duration of protection against COVID-19 is currently unknown.

WHAT ARE THE RISKS OF THE PFIZER-BIONTECH COVID-19 VACCINE?

Side effects that have been reported with the Pfizer-BioNTech COVID-19 Vaccine include:

- injection site pain
- tiredness
- headache
- muscle pain
- chills
- joint pain
- fever
- injection site swelling
- injection site redness
- nausea
- feeling unwell
- swollen lymph nodes (lymphadenopathy)

There is a remote chance that the Pfizer-BioNTech COVID-19 Vaccine could cause a severe allergic reaction. A severe allergic reaction would usually occur within a few minutes to one hour after getting a dose of the Pfizer-BioNTech COVID-19 Vaccine. Signs of a severe allergic reaction can include:

- Difficulty breathing
- Swelling of your face and throat
- A fast heartbeat
- A bad rash all over your body
- Dizziness and weakness

These may not be all the possible side effects of the Pfizer-BioNTech COVID-19 Vaccine. Serious and unexpected side effects may occur. Pfizer-BioNTech COVID-19 Vaccine is still being studied in clinical trials.

WHAT SHOULD I DO ABOUT SIDE EFFECTS?

If you experience a severe allergic reaction, call 9-1-1, or go to the nearest hospital.

Call the vaccination provider or your healthcare provider if you have any side effects that bother you or do not go away.

Report vaccine side effects to **FDA/CDC Vaccine Adverse Event Reporting System (VAERS)**. The VAERS toll-free number is 1-800-822-7967 or report online to <https://vaers.hhs.gov/reportevent.html>. Please include "Pfizer-BioNTech COVID-19 Vaccine EUA" in the first line of box #18 of the report form.

In addition, you can report side effects to Pfizer Inc. at the contact information provided below.

Website	Fax number	Telephone number
www.pfizersafetyreporting.com	1-866-635-8337	1-800-438-1985

WHAT IF I DECIDE NOT TO GET THE PFIZER-BIONTECH COVID-19 VACCINE?

It is your choice to receive or not receive the Pfizer-BioNTech COVID-19 Vaccine. Should you decide not to receive it, it will not change your standard medical care.

ARE OTHER CHOICES AVAILABLE FOR PREVENTING COVID-19 BESIDES PFIZER-BIONTECH COVID-19 VACCINE?

Currently, there is no approved alternative vaccine available for prevention of COVID-19. FDA may allow the emergency use of other vaccines to prevent COVID-19.

CAN I RECEIVE THE PFIZER-BIONTECH COVID-19 VACCINE WITH OTHER VACCINES?

There is no information on the use of the Pfizer-BioNTech COVID-19 Vaccine with other vaccines.

WHAT IF I AM PREGNANT OR BREASTFEEDING?

If you are pregnant or breastfeeding, discuss your options with your healthcare provider.

WILL THE PFIZER-BIONTECH COVID-19 VACCINE GIVE ME COVID-19?

No. The Pfizer-BioNTech COVID-19 Vaccine does not contain SARS-CoV-2 and cannot give you COVID-19.


KEEP YOUR VACCINATION CARD

When you get your first dose, you will get a vaccination card to show you when to return for your second dose of Pfizer-BioNTech COVID-19 Vaccine. Remember to bring your card when you return.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

If you have questions, visit the website or call the telephone number provided below.

To access the most recent Fact Sheets, please scan the QR code provided below.

Global website	Telephone number
www.cvdvaccine.com 	1-877-829-2619 (1-877-VAX-CO19)

HOW CAN I LEARN MORE?

- Ask the vaccination provider.
- Visit CDC at <https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/index.html>.
- Visit FDA at <https://www.fda.gov/emergency-preparedness-and-response/mcm-legal-regulatory-and-policy-framework/emergency-use-authorization>.
- Contact your local or state public health department.

WHERE WILL MY VACCINATION INFORMATION BE RECORDED?

The vaccination provider may include your vaccination information in your state/local jurisdiction's Immunization Information System (IIS) or other designated system. This will ensure that you receive the same vaccine when you return for the second dose. For more information about IISs visit: <https://www.cdc.gov/vaccines/programs/iis/about.html>.

WHAT IS THE COUNTERMEASURES INJURY COMPENSATION PROGRAM?

The Countermeasures Injury Compensation Program (CICP) is a federal program that may help pay for costs of medical care and other specific expenses of certain people who have been seriously injured by certain medicines or vaccines, including this vaccine. Generally, a claim must be submitted to the CICP within one (1) year from the date of receiving the vaccine. To learn more about this program, visit www.hrsa.gov/cicp/ or call 1-855-266-2427.

WHAT IS AN EMERGENCY USE AUTHORIZATION (EUA)?

The United States FDA has made the Pfizer-BioNTech COVID-19 Vaccine available under an emergency access mechanism called an EUA. The EUA is supported by a Secretary of Health and Human Services (HHS) declaration that circumstances exist to justify the emergency use of drugs and biological products during the COVID-19 pandemic.

The Pfizer-BioNTech COVID-19 Vaccine has not undergone the same type of review as an FDA-approved or cleared product. FDA may issue an EUA when certain criteria are met, which includes that there are no adequate, approved, available alternatives. In addition, the FDA decision is based on the totality of scientific evidence available showing that the product may be effective to prevent COVID-19 during the COVID-19

pandemic and that the known and potential benefits of the product outweigh the known and potential risks of the product. All of these criteria must be met to allow for the product to be used in the treatment of patients during the COVID-19 pandemic.

The EUA for the Pfizer-BioNTech COVID-19 Vaccine is in effect for the duration of the COVID-19 EUA declaration justifying emergency use of these products, unless terminated or revoked (after which the products may no longer be used).



Manufactured by
Pfizer Inc., New York, NY 10017

BIONTECH

Manufactured for
BioNTech Manufacturing GmbH
An der Goldgrube 12
55131 Mainz, Germany

LAB-1451-0.7

Revised: December 2020



Barcode Date: 12/2020

Scan to capture that this Fact Sheet was provided to vaccine recipient for the electronic medical records/immunization information systems.

The Villages of Benning



Spring has *Spring*

and moving season has begun!

Refer a friend and receive...

\$300

Friends make the best neighbors

ANNUAL BULK TRASH SCHEDULE

April 12th - 16th

May 10th - 14th

June 7th - 11th

July 12th - 16th

Aug. 9th - 13th

Sept. 6th - 10th

Oct. 11th - 15th

Nov. 8th - 12th

Dec. 6th - 10th

YES!



Furniture and household items are accepted.



Electronic devices that are no longer of use are accepted.



Outdoor or recreational items are accepted.

NO!



Bike or car tires are not accepted.



Paint, oil, and gas cans are not accepted.



Trash, recyclables, and yard waste are not accepted.

2021 MOW SEASON

BEGINS MONDAY, APRIL 5TH

MONDAY: CUSTER, AUSTIN LP, MILLER LP, EAMES, SIGERFOOS

TUESDAY: MCGRAW, NORTON, UPATOI

WEDNESDAY: PATTON, PERKINS

THURSDAY: INDIANHEAD, BOUTON, LOWER & UPPER DAVIS

FRIDAY: IRON TRIANGLE, RAINBOW, WHITE ELEPHANTS,
LUMPKIN, MACDONALD

Commissary





PHONE Number	Store Director	Dept.	Ext.	Dept.	Ext.
	Patricia (Patti) King	Customer Service	3325	Produce	3338
	patricia.king@deca.mil	Asst. Store Dir.	3307	Meat	3341
	706-544-3965x 3351	Grocery	3320	Secretary	3305

STORE Hours	Sun: 1000-1900	Wed: 0900-1900
	Mon: 0900-1900	Thur: 0900-1900
	Tue: 0900-1900	Fri: 0900-1900
	Sat: 0900-1900	
	Early Bird Shopping	Suspended at this time

Store Director's Scoop

Coming to your commissary

Look for grab-n-go Dietitian Approved Fueling Stations

Our new grab-n-go Dietitian Approved Fueling Stations are a great alternative to the drive thru or can be used as a quick way to stock office and barrack fridges with quick, on-the-go, snacks and meals.

"Fueling for performance" is a key concern for our military community when it comes to the importance of nutrition and diet on overall readiness. These stations are full of Dietitian Approved snacks and meals that are nutritious and high performance foods.

No time to cook? Check out one of our Dietitian Approved Fueling Stations near the registers in select stores or on the CLICK2GO online shopping portal.

For more information on locations visit our website at www.commissaries.com.

Honoring our "youngest heroes"

April sales highlight Military Child month, ProCamps and more

Springtime, children and fun go together like savings and military commissaries as the Defense Commissary Agency takes the wraps off its April sales promotions.

"Commissaries are proud to join our exchange partners in honoring our youngest heroes during April, the Month of the Military Child," said Marine Sgt. Maj. Michael R. Saucedo, the senior enlisted advisor to the DeCA director. "Whether it's special coloring contests, ProCamps opportunities or exclusive savings on nutritious products to help their development, we are here for our military children."

Don't forget to visit the Reward and Savings section of www.commissaries.com to get the Sales Flyer that gives prices on sale products along with other useful information about food and commissary services. Also check your store for details. Overseas stores may have substitute events for certain promotional programs.

Find out more on our website at www.commissaries.com.

YOUR COMMISSARY ...

It's Worth the Trip!



Month of the Military Child (MOTC) Coloring Contest Rules 2021

Rules:

Parents/Guardians, here's how your child can enter:

1. Eligibility: In order to be eligible for the contest the child must be the dependent of an active duty or reserve member of the military
2. The coloring page must be colored by a child 11 years of age or younger. The child must use image available for download at www.commissaries.com/color.
3. Entries will be accepted at the Commissary Customer Service Office from April 1- 30, 2021. Entries submitted through any other means will not be considered for the contest.
4. Limit one entry per child
5. Entries must include:
 - Name of Commissary/Installation
 - Branch of Service
 - Last Name, First Name of the artist
 - Age of the artist

The winners will have their artwork printed on reusable grocery that will go on sale the following year in April. A grand prize winner from all entries will have their artwork placed on one side of Your Commissary's reusable bag. Two first place winners, one from each of two age groups, up to 6 years old and 7-11 years old, will be acknowledged on the other side of the bag. And six Honorable Mentions will be selected and placed on the bag's gussets (both sides). Additionally, the winners (9 total) will receive a free case of reusable grocery bags.

No purchase necessary to enter or win. Limit one entry per child. By entering, you are granting the Defense Commissary Agency and its partner's full rights to use all materials and information. All entries become the property of the Defense Commissary Agency and will not be acknowledged or returned. A copy of these rules and the coloring page can be found at www.commissaries.com/color.

FOLLOW US



Army & Air Force Exchange Service





YOUR HUB FOR INFORMATION

FORT BENNING PUBLIC AFFAIRS OFFICE

NEWS CONTENT WEBSITES

<https://www.benning.army.mil>
<https://www.army.mil/benning>

SOCIAL MEDIA

-  FortBenningGarrison
-  FortBenningMCoE
-  FortBenningGarrison
-  FortBenning
-  BenningTV

PHOTOGRAPHY

<http://www.fortbenning.smugmug.com>

MEDIA ADVISORIES & PRESS RELEASES

<https://www.benning.army.mil/MCoE/PAO/>





RELIGIOUS SUPPORT OFFICE

Sr. Command Chaplain – **CH (COL) Dawud Agbere**

Office # - (706) 545-2289

dawud.a.agbere.mil@mail.mil

Garrison Chaplain – **CH (LTC) Michael Patterson**

Cell # - (706) 545-3964

michael.w.patterson.mil@mail.mil

Ft. Benning Religious Services

FAITH GROUP	CHAPELS	DTG	CHILDCARE PROVIDED	Notes
CATHOLIC	Main Post	0900 SUN		Fb Search: St. Maurice Fort Benning Main Post Chapel
	The Infantry Chapel Spanish	1430 SUN		
	Daily Mass	1200 Daily		
	Sandhill / Pomeroy Field	1230 SUN		
PROTESTANT	Main Post - Crossroads	1100 SUN	Yes	Fb Search: Fort Benning Crossroads
	The Infantry Chapel Liturgical	0900 SUN	Yes	Fb Search: St. Paul's Cross at Fort Benning
	The Infantry Chapel Traditional	1100 SUN		
	Sightseeing Road Gospel	1045		Fb Search: Fort Benning Gospel Service
	Airborne	0830		Fb Search: Fort Benning Airborne Chapel
	Sandhill / Pomeroy Field - OSUT	Multiple		
MUSLIM	Pomeroy Field - OSUT	1300 SUN		
JEWISH	Main Post – Pomeroy Field - OSUT	1700 FRI		
BUDDHIST	Sandhill / Pomeroy Field - OSUT	1400		
LDS	Sandhill / Pomeroy Field - OSUT	1530		

Ft. Benning Holocaust Remembrance Observance

1130-1230

7 APRIL 2021

Derby Auditorium

McGinnis-Wickham Hall

Building 4

Guest Speaker: CH (CPT) Karyn Berger



Directorate of Family and Morale, Welfare and Recreation



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BOWLING & ENTERTAINMENT CENTER

MONDAY Special

\$5 2 CHILI DOGS, CHIPS AND A 20 OZ DRINK

BOWLING & ENTERTAINMENT CENTER | 6530 ECKEL AVENUE, BUILDING 2785



KAYAK THE HOOCH

APRIL 3, 8 A.M. - 1P.M.
CHATTAHOOCHIE RIVER

\$30 PER PERSON

Enjoy a leisurely paddle down the Chattahoochee River! No experience is necessary. Ages 12 and up are welcome; participants under 18 must be accompanied by a parent or guardian. This paddle trip includes a guide, gear, equipment, transportation, and a snack.

Call 706-545-7978 to register.



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A poster for a Glow Kickball event. At the top, there are five interlocking rings in blue, yellow, green, pink, and red, each with a glowing ball in the center. A red silhouette of a person is kicking a glowing ball. In the top right corner, there are two logos: the U.S. Army MWR logo and the Child Youth Service logo. The text "GLOW KICKBALL" is written in large, bold, blue letters with a white outline. Below it, in yellow, is "APRIL 9 • 8 - 10 P.M. • BASEBALL COMPLEX". At the bottom left, it says "APRIL IS MONTH OF THE MILITARY CHILD!" and at the bottom right, it says "Play Kickball in the dark and enjoy the fun with a glowing ball. We are inviting our Fort Benning military children ages 11-16 — don't miss this exciting event! Register via WebTrac starting March 22 until April 1 - for more info call 706-545-0522."/>

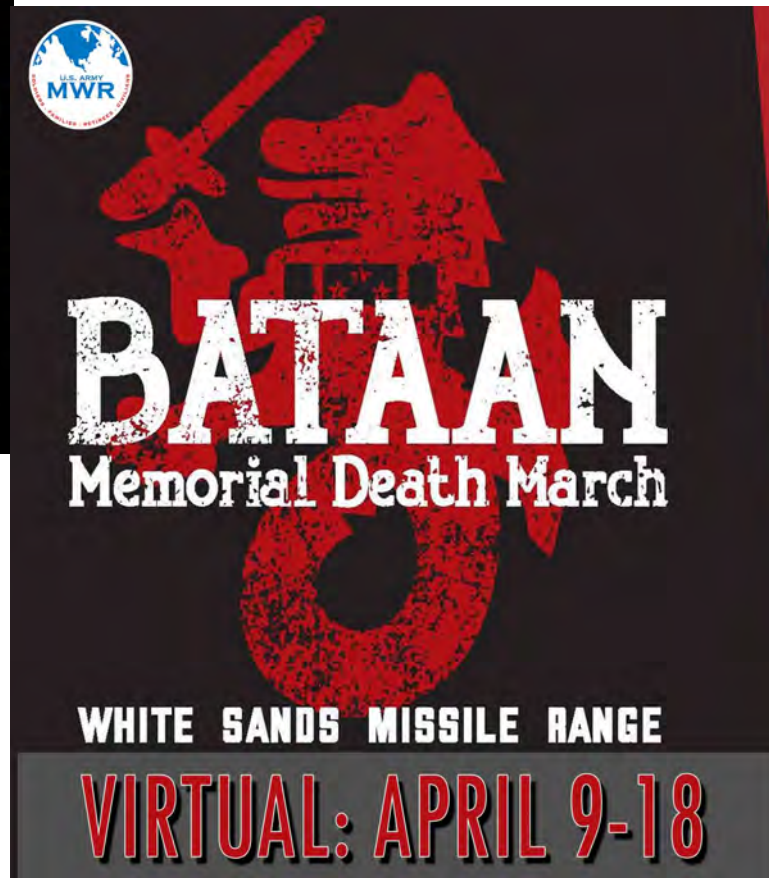
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A poster for the Bataan Memorial Death March. It features a large, stylized red Japanese character "福" (Fuk) in the background. The text "BATAAN Memorial Death March" is written in large, bold, white letters. Below it, in white, is "WHITE SANDS MISSILE RANGE" and "VIRTUAL: APRIL 9-18". In the top left corner, there is a U.S. Army MWR logo.

BATAAN
Memorial Death March

WHITE SANDS MISSILE RANGE

VIRTUAL: APRIL 9-18

REGISTER NOW!

bataanmarch.com/

You must march between April 9-18 and complete in one day.

REGISTRATION IS \$55
+ \$4.80 process fee

First 9500 participants registered before March 22 will receive a full marcher packet!

For more info and the Fort Benning routes, visit benning.armymwr.com

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ONLINE
**SOLDIER
SHOWDOWN**
- II -



FORTNITE

WEEKLY QUALIFIER TOURNAMENTS
MARCH 13, 20, 27

TUNE INTO FINALE STREAM ON TWITCH
APRIL 3 @ TWITCH.TV/ARMYENTERTAINMENT

FOR TOURNAMENT INFO
VISIT WWW.ARMYMWR.COM/ESPORTS



WEEKLY QUALIFIER TOURNAMENTS
APRIL 10, 17, 24

TUNE INTO FINALE STREAM ON TWITCH
MAY 1 @ TWITCH.TV/ARMYENTERTAINMENT

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CALL OF DUTY WARZONE

WEEKLY QUALIFIER TOURNAMENTS
MAY 8, 15, 22

TUNE INTO FINALE STREAM ON TWITCH
JUNE 5 @ TWITCH.TV/ARMYENTERTAINMENT

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PRIZES

- 2-HOUR PRIVATE VIRTUAL GAMING SESSION WITH SELECT COMPLEXITY TALENT
- COMPLEXITY MERCH PACK
- NEXT-GEN CONSOLE CHOSEN BY WINNER



\$25
per person

PAINT AND Sip

WINE GLASSES

April 16, 6:30 p.m.
Fort Benning Golf Course

This Spring themed event has a twist - instead of painting a canvas you'll be painting wine glasses! Each participant will be provided two wine glasses so you can take home a beautiful, new set.

To register, call 706-545-7978. Registration deadline is April 14.

Outside alcohol is not allowed.



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SKEET SHOOT COMPETITION



APRIL 17, 10 A.M.
RECREATIONAL SHOOTING COMPLEX

\$40
PER PERSON

Participants will enjoy shooting 2 rounds of skeet
(total of 50 clays) for a chance to win prizes!

Registration required, call 706-545-6158/77



LIFEGUARD TRAINING

We offer a 2-year lifeguard certification, which includes the American Red Cross Certification, lifeguarding, First Aid, CPR and AED, for MWR patrons ages 15 and older.

A prerequisite skill evaluation will occur on the first day of training. Please bring a swimsuit and towel for each class. Classes are subject to cancellation without notice.

4 days course | 9 a.m. - 5 p.m.

April: 17, 18, 24, 25
May: 15, 16, 22, 23
June: 14, 15, 16, 17, 18
July: 12, 13, 14, 15, 16
August: 14, 15, 21, 22
September: 18, 19, 25, 26

To register call 706-545-1400 or
email annerose.whitehead.naf@mail.mil.



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2-PERSON SCRAMBLE

FORT BENNING GOLF COURSE AT 2 P.M.
MARCH 20 • APRIL 24 • MAY 22

\$40 PER PLAYER
includes green fee,
cart fee and prizes

Register by calling 706-545-0397.
benning.armymwr.com



9 & DINE GOLF PLAY DAY

April 18, 3 — 6 p.m. • Fort Benning Golf Course

\$25 per person
includes cart fee,
greens fee and
dinner.

PLAY SOME GOLF AND HAVE DINNER AFTER!
Enjoy 9 holes of golf and a dinner afterwards.

Not in the mood to golf, you can still enjoy a dinner out for \$10 a person. To register, call 706-545-0397.

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LITTLE GRAND CANYON HIKE **\$10** per person

April 24, 9 a.m. - 1 p.m. • Providence Canyon

This trip includes transportation, park entrance fee & hiking guide. Ages 12 and up are welcome; participants under 18 must be accompanied by a parent or guardian. Call 706-545-7978 to register.



YOUTH SPORTSMEN'S DAY

05.01.21
RECREATIONAL SHOOTING COMPLEX
10AM - 2PM

FREE INTRODUCTORY LESSONS TO ARCHERY, MARKSMANSHIP, HUNTING AND MORE.

Open to all skill levels for youth ages 5-17 with a military/dependent ID. Parental supervision is required.

To register, call 706-545-7978 or visit benning.armymwr.com.



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**2021 GEORGIA
PRE-K LOTTERY**
APRIL 1-30

1. Forms available to download at benning.armymwr.com starting April 1.
2. Sign up April 1 -30! Return your completed form to the emails provided on benning.armymwr.com by 11:59 p.m. on April 30.
3. Live drawing on the CYS Facebook page on May 13 at 10 a.m.
4. If selected, parents must provide all required documents for CYS and the State of Georgia. Before and After School care is available and fees are based on total family income.

For more information, call 706-545-2079.

Please note: Only ONE entry form accepted per child and twins will go on a single entry to ensure concurrent placement. Child must turn 4 on or before September 1, 2021 and is a current resident of Georgia.

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Garrison Commander



COL Matthew Scalia

The next CARE Meeting is Tuesday, 4 May 2021

Topic: *Summer Programs /
Spouse Employment*





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APR-MAY



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- **2 Apr** Training Holiday Good Friday
- **4 Apr** Easter
- **7 Apr** Day's of Remembrance
- **12-15 Apr** Infantry Week (Sniper Competition)
- **16-18 Apr** Best Ranger Competition
- **20 Apr** Monthly Retirement Ceremony
- **21 Apr** McGraw Walking Town Hall
- **25 Apr** ANZAC Day (T)
- **26 Apr** MCoE Independence Day Celebration
- **18 May** Monthly Retirement Ceremony
- **28-31 May** Memorial Day Training/Federal Holiday
- **31 May** NIM Paver Ceremony