#### Relocation Assistance

Provides information and assistance to military personnel and their families who are involved in or anticipating a PCS move.

- Sheppard START
- Smooth Move
- eSponsorship Training
- Current info on Military Installations
- Loan Closet

### **Transition Assistance**

Provides separating/retiring military personnel and their families the skills and knowledge for a successful transition to civilian life.

- Mandatory Pre-separation Counseling
- ♦ 5-day TAP Workshop
- VA Benefits Information
- ◆ CAPSTONE
- Resource Center

# School Liaison Officer

- Public, private & homeschooling information
- Support for inbound/outbound transfers
- School transition services
- Available to discuss your issues or concerns

# Installation Voter Assistance Office

- Register to vote
- Request an absentee ballot
- Change of address of voting

# Airman & Family Readiness Center

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# We also provide:

- Enhanced Training Day Briefings
- ♦ FTAC/O1-O2 PFR Briefings
- ♦ Airman's Attic
- Discovery Resource Center/Free WiFi



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# Who Can Use the Airman & Family Readiness Center?

The A&FRC ensures resources are available to support Active Duty and their families, DoD civilians, retirees and our single Airman The A&FRC designs, develops and conducts family programs according to base and community requirements and capabilities.

# What Types of Resources Are Available?

The A&FRC offers a variety of services and activities to promote personal and family resiliency skills. A variety of classes and special events are hosted annually.

# Air Force Aid Society

Provides emergency financial assistance to Air Force Members, both active duty and retired and their families through interest-free loans or grants. Emergency assistance include:

- Emergency travel due to death/critical illness in the family
- Rent/Food/Utility Bills/Car Repairs
- Medical/Dental Expenses

#### **Community Enhancement Programs**

- Education loans/grants
- Bundles for Babies/OB Orientation
- Childcare for PCS/Give Parents a Break

#### Volunteer Resources

- Information available for on and off base volunteer opportunities
- Volunteer hour tracking

# AF Wounded Warrior Support

 Provides care, service and assistance before and after separation or retirement

# Casualty Assistance & Survivor Benefits

- ◆ Casualty Assistance to Active Duty, retired personnel, and their families
- ♦ Survivor Benefits, SGLI & v/Red briefings

# **Employment Assistance**

Helps enhance the marketability and employability of spouses and active duty members through individual career counseling and classes to include:

- ♦ Job Search Assistance
- Resume Writing/Reviews
- Interviewing Techniques/Mock Interviews
- USAJobs/Civilian Resume Writing

# Personal & Work Life Education

Enhances the well-being of families and strengthens their adaption to the unique demands of Air Force Life.

- ♦ Heart Link/NATO Link
- ♦ Four Lenses/True Colors
- ◆ 1-2-3 Magic
- 5 Languages of Appreciation in the Workplace
- Study Skills/Test Anxiety
- USAF ARMOR: Unified Strategy of Action for Airman Resilience & Maintenance of Operational Readiness

# Exceptional Family Member Support (EFMP-FS)

- Support Group Meeting/Family Activities
- ♦ Educational Classes/STOMP Training
- Respite Care
- ♦ Information & Referral

## Personal and Family Readiness

Provides mobility and deployment assistance to help single and married personnel and families meet pre-deployment, sustainment, reintegration and post-deployment challenges.

The program includes:

- Pre-deployment Briefings
- Reintegration Briefings
- Hearts Apart Support Group
- ◆ Key Spouse Program
  - ~Initial/Quarterly Training
- Emergency Family Assistance Center (EFAC)

#### Personal Financial Readiness

Offers information, education and counseling on a variety of financial topics and classes to include:

- Budgeting
- Saving & Investing
- Debt Management/Consumer Rights
- ♦ Thrift Savings Plan (TSP)
- Credit Management/Major Purchases