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Airman & Family Readiness Center

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2019

Transition Assistance Program

TAP

Call the Airman & Family Readiness Center at 987-2667 for reservation(s).

Pre-Separation Briefing

Thursdays
0900-1200

Capstone Event

Thursdays
1300-1600

Benefits Delivery at Discharge (BDD)

1000-1300

Jan 7,14	Jul 8,22
Feb 4,11	Aug 5,19
Mar 4,18	Sep 9,23
Apr 1,15	Oct 7,21
May 6,20	Nov 4,18
Jun 3,17	Dec 2,16

GPS (Goals-Plans-Success) 5-Day Workshop

January 7-11
 January 14-18
 February 4-8
 February 11-15
 March 4-8
 March 18-22
 April 1-5
 April 15-19
 May 6-10
 May 20-24
June 3-7 "Senior TAP"
 June 17-21

July 8-12
 July 22-26
 August 5-9
 August 19-23
 September 9-13
 September 23-27
 October 7-11
 October 21-25
 November 4-8
 November 18-22
 December 2-6
 December 16-20

Disabled American Veterans (DAV)
by Appointment on Mondays

Entrepreneurship Boots 2 Business

January 28-29
 March 25-26
 May 13-14
 July 29-30
 September 16-17
 November 25-26

Accessing Higher Education

January 17-18
 March 14-15
 May 16-17
 July 18-19
 September 19-20
 November 14-15

Career Exploration and Planning

January 24-25
 March 21-22
 May 30-31
 July 15-16
 September 5-6
 November 11-12

Veteran's Opportunity to Work (VOW) Act

On Nov 21, 2011, the president signed the Veterans Opportunity to Work (VOW) Act which made service member participation in the Transition Assistance Program mandatory. TAP components are made available by all military departments and the U.S. Coast Guard. The current mandatory components include: Pre-Separation Counseling, GPS (Goals-Plans-Success) 5-Day Workshop and a Capstone Event.

***Pre-Separation Counseling:**

The 1st stop in the Transition process! You are required to attend Pre-Separation Counseling before you are eligible to sign up for five-day GPS (Goals- Plans-Success) workshop. Three-hour briefing ensures all separating members are informed of the transition services and benefits available to assist them and their spouses with the transition to civilian life.

***GPS (Goals–Plans–Success):**

Five-day workshop includes: Overview, Resilient Transitions, Military Occupational Crosswalk, Personal & Financial Readiness, Department of Labor Employment Workshop and VA Benefits I & II.

***Capstone Event:**

During a one-on-one appointment, an A&FRC counselor will verify your Career Readiness Standards are complete. DoD requirements include: Individual Transition Plan (ITP), 12 Month Post-Military Budget, Verification of eBenefits Registration, Military Occupational Code Crosswalk/Gap Analysis, Credentialing Plan (if applicable), Resume, Self-Assessment, Department of Labor "Gold Card" and Verification of College Enrollment (if applicable).

Benefits Delivery at Discharge (BDD) & Disabled American Veterans (DAV):

Valuable information, resources and assistance in filing service-connected disability claims.

Entrepreneurship Track "Boots 2 Business" 2-Day Track:

Airmen pursuing self-employment in the private or non-profit sector will learn about the challenges faced by entrepreneurs, the benefits and realities of entrepreneurship, and the steps toward business ownership. Upon completion of the Entrepreneurship Track, service members will have developed the initial components of their business plan. After completing an option eight-week online course, Airmen and veterans will be connected with a small business owner to mentor and guide them through their business start-up.

Accessing Higher Education 2-Day Track:

Service members pursuing college education will receive guidance to prepare for the college application process. Education Track addresses such topics as identifying educational goals, education funding, and researching and comparing institutions. Upon completion of the Education Track, service members will be prepared to submit and application to an academic institution, schedule a session with a counselor from the institution, and connect with Student Veterans Organization on campus. Service member will be able to meet with education counselors for individualized preparation as desired.

Career Exploration and Planning 2-Day Track:

Interactive workshop shows participants how to narrow their career focus by establishing achievable career goals and development strategies. Workshop facilitators guide participants through a variety of career considerations including labor market projections, education, apprenticeships, certifications, and licensure requirements.