
Army Family Covenant Benefits for Service Members, DoD Civilians and their Families.

Mission Level I: Deployed Service members or Department of the Army Civilians (DACs) (includes 30 days before and 60 days after return)

- Respite Care:
 - 16 hours per child, per month during Service member's/DAC's deployment. Respite care begins 30 days before and ends 60 days, after Soldier is deployed.
- Fee reduction in Child Care and Youth Programs:
 - Fee Elimination, CYS Registration Fees: Waiver of CYS annual registration or re-registration fees for all children/Families registering for Child and Youth Services.
 - Waiver of fees for four instructional classes per child/youth.
- Fee Reduction, Regularly scheduled Full/Part Day Care:
 - 20% reduction to CYS fees for employed spouses/guardians of deployed OEF/OIF Service members/DoD Civilians. Note: 20% reduction applies to the 1st child; multiple child discounts will be 25% for each subsequent child.
- Fee Reduction, Hourly care will be provided at \$2/hr, per child
 - Waiver of fees for two CYS Team or Individual Sports per child/youth.

Mission Level II: Unaccompanied Permanent or temporary change of station TDY (90-179 days)

- Respite Care:
 - 16 hours per child, per month provided during designated assignment.
- Fee reduction in Child Care and Youth Programs:
 - Fee Elimination, CYS Registration Fees: Waiver of CYS annual registration or re-registration fees for all children/Families registering for Child and Youth Services.
 - Waiver of fees for two instructional classes per child/youth.
- Fee Reduction, Hourly care will be provided at \$2/hr, per child
 - Waiver of fees for one CYS team or Individual Sports per child/youth.

Mission Level III: Rear Detachment Cadre

- Respite Care:
 - 5 hours per child, per month during designated assignment.
- Fee reduction in Child Care and Youth Programs:
 - Fee Elimination, CYS Registration Fees: Waiver of CYS annual registration or re-registration fees for all children/Families registering for Child and Youth Services.

- Waiver of fees for two instructional classes per child/youth.
- Fee Reduction, Hourly care will be provided at \$2/hr, per child
 - Waiver of fees for one CYS team or Individual Sports per child/youth.

Families of Wounded Warriors:

- Respite Care:
 - 16 hours per child, per month during designated period. Unlimited no cost hourly care for medical appointments as approved by the Warrior in Transition Unit (WTU) Commander or the Army Wounded Warrior representative.
- Fee reduction in Child Care and Youth Programs:
 - Fee Elimination, CYS Registration Fees: Waiver of CYS annual registration or re-registration fees for all children/Families registering for Child and Youth Services.
 - Waiver of fees for 4 classes per child/youth.
- Fee Reduction, Regularly scheduled Full/Part Day Care:
 - Reduction to fee Cat. 1 of CYS rates for regularly scheduled full/part time care as approved by the WTU Commander or case manager.
- Fee Reduction, Hourly care will be provided at \$2/hr, per child
 - Waiver of fees for two CYS teams or individual sports per child/youth.

Families of Fallen Soldiers:

- Respite Care:
 - Forty no cost child care hours for the immediate Family of a deceased Service member for the beginning with notification and continuing for four weeks after burial. Additional hours may be provided at the Commander's discretion.
 - 16 hours of respite care per child, per month during the designated eligible period.
 - Group child care at no cost for Memorial services for all attendees.
- Fee reduction in Child Care and Youth Programs:
 - Fee Elimination, CYS Registration Fees: Waiver of CYS annual registration or re-registration fees for all children/Families registering for Child and Youth Services.
 - Waiver of fees for 4 classes per child/youth.
- Fee Reduction, Hourly care will be provided at \$2/hr, per child
 - Waiver of fees for two CYS teams or individual sports per child/youth.
- Provide child care to support Wounded Warriors:
 - Provides child care services for children of Wounded Warriors, Families of the Severely Disabled and Fallen Service members with their child care needs at low or no cost receiving care in CYS programs.
 - Includes children/youth of assigned Warriors in Transition (WT) caregivers who are non-ID card holders.

- Supplements, does not duplicate, child care services provided as part of WT Action Plan.

To take advantage of these terrific opportunities, Families must register with Child and Youth Services. Call the Central Enrollment Office, located at Bldg 1900 Reece Road, or 301-677-1105/1156/1149 for a registration appointment or more information.