Greetings from the OneOp Family Development team,

April is the Month of the Military Child! Our teams at OneOp work every day to create programming on areas of need for professionals working with military children and youth.

When a parent serves in the military, the whole family is called upon to serve. Each part of a child's life is impacted by the parents' service. Military children often experience life changes and family fluctuations at a higher rate throughout their childhood. Frequent relocations due to Permanent Changes of Station and separation from their parent(s) when deployed or on temporary duty are a few common factors military children face.

There are more than 1.6 million military children. Each child has special strengths but also faces unique challenges as a result of the service of their parents.*

Below are upcoming OneOp opportunities created for providers supporting military children this #MotMC and every month!

TUESDAY, APRIL 14| 11 AM - 12 PM ET
Military Children’s Family Relations

*The well-being of military children depends heavily on the quality of their relationships with
their parents and siblings. This presentation focuses on evidence about the role of military service in shaping children's family relationships and how those relationships connect to their well-being.

This webinar is the fourth session in the **A Close Look at Relationships: Supporting Military Couples** series and is hosted by our Family Transitions team. Visit the event page to see Continuing Education (CE) options available for this session and to RSVP!

**RSVP TO ATTEND**

Our Sesame Street friends continue their **15 year commitment** to supporting military families!

**Sesame Street in Military Families** provides delightfully colorful, carefully crafted resources to care for military children as they grow through every part of their journey.

See all of OneOp's collaborations with Sesame Street [here](#)!

**More from OneOp:**

Join us throughout June for this year’s Academy Series...

On **June 1st**, we are kicking off this year’s **#MFRAcademy**. The 2022 Academy series will equip you with the skills to identify barriers that impact a family’s health and well-being and identify opportunities for social justice advocacy in your work.

Have your stories shared in our Academy Series...

Are you a family service provider or educator who has seen first-hand how social justice issues impact the access and delivery of family services?

**Share YOUR experiences and stories** of successes, challenges, and anything in between related to
Mark your calendar and RSVP for the kick-off event today! Your work experiences will be shared in our #MFRAcademy.

Please forward on this newsletter or our other professional development learning opportunities with anyone within your communities or networks that may be interested in our resources. We hope you can join our upcoming events soon!

Sincerely,

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