

KMC Child Safety Update

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Situation

- Incidents involving threats to our children have been reported in the Kaiserslautern Military Community.
- Reported incidents include: attempted child abduction and molestation.
- The Air Force Office of Special Investigations (AFOSI) and the Army Criminal Investigation Command (CID) are jointly investigating and following up every lead.



Background

PERSON OF INTEREST:

 Air Force OSI and Army CID request Kaiserslautern Military Community assistance to identify a person of interest in an ongoing investigation into the molestation of young girls

DESCRIPTION:

- Individual is described as a white male in his mid-twenties with a military style haircut
- Brown hair and blue eyes
- Last seen wearing Army Combat Uniform pants and a tannish-green t-shirt with tan combat boots
- NOT wearing a blouse or hat



What We Are Doing

JOINT COMMUNITY POLICING:

- Systematic walking patrols around parks & basements
- Bike patrols focusing on housing and school areas
- Coordinating with local Polizei investigators

SCHOOL OUTREACH:

- DoDDS and School-Age Programs/CDC/FCC will include "Stranger Danger" concepts into curriculum
- Lunch & Learn sessions with parents at Ramstein and Vogelweh
- Cross flow information to Army MWR/Child & Youth Services

24-HOUR HOTLINES:

- Joint Task Force TIP Line: 0171-745-5382
- Security Forces Law Enforcement Desks:

Vogelweh DSN 489-6060 or 0631-536-6060

Ramstein DSN 480-2050 or 06371-47-2050



Need Your Help

SPEAK WITH YOUR CHILDREN

- Please talk with your children to determine if anyone has approached them and asked them to go with them
- Ensure children know who they can trust
- Tell children not to engage with strangers whether they are in uniform or not

ACTIVELY SUPERVISE CHILDREN

REMAIN VIGILANT

REPORT SUSPICIOUS ACTIVITIES TO AUTHORITIES

NO DETAIL IS TOO TRIVIAL

Remember ANY information could assist in identifying this person



Share with your Community

WHERE TO FIND OFFICIAL INFORMATION:

- Ramstein Livewire Site http://www.ramstein.af.mil/livewire.asp
- Ramstein Facebook Site: http://www.facebook.com/ramsteinofficial
- USAG-K "Hot Topics": http://www.kaiserslautern.army.mil/

KMC CHILD SUPERVISION POLICY MATRIX:

http://www.ramstein.af.mil/shared/media/document/AFD-120427-025.pdf

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KMC Child Supervision Policy Matrix

This matrix provides standards for the supervision of children within the KMC. Parents are ultimately responsible for the welfare and actions of their children, and failure to exercise those parental responsibilities may constitute child neglect. Parents must use good judgment and consider the physical, emotional and psychological maturity of their child when determining the level of supervision required. Children with a history of ADHD, ADD, Developmental Delay, behavior problems, impulsivity, psychiatric problems or other impairments should not be given the degree of self-management/responsibility indicated in this policy.

PARENTS ARE ULTIMATELY RESPONSIBLE FOR THE SAFETY AND SUPERVISION OF THEIR CHILDREN.

Age of Child	Unattended ¹ in yard or playground?	Walk unattended ¹ to school or bus?	Left unattended ¹ in quarters?	Baby-sit others?
Under 5	No	No	No	No
			(Will NOT be left unattended in a parked car - per	
			RABI 2005 31-204 CHP.4.1.21)	
Age 5 - 6	No	No	No	No
			(Will NOT be left unattended in a parked car - per RABI 2005 31-204 CHP.4.1.21)	
Age 7 - 9	Yes. During daylight hours with access to adult.	Yes, but not across busy streets or more than 1 mile.	No (Will NOT be left unattended in a parked car - per RABI 2005 31-204 CHP.4.1.21)	No
Age 10 - 11	Yes. With access to an adult.	Yes	Yes ² . Up to 3 hours with access to an adult.	No
Age 12 - 13	Yes	Yes	Yes ² . Not over night.	Yes. Not over night.
Age 14 - 15	Yes	Yes	Yes ² . Not to exceed 24 hours.	Yes. Not over night.
Age 16 - 17	Yes	Yes	Yes ² . Not to exceed 3 consecutive days.	Yes. Not to exceed
			Must have periodic checks by adult.	24 hours.

² When left unattended in quarters, children must have access to an adult – parent's phone number, neighbor, etc. Parents must designate a responsible adult to periodically check in on the children. If left overnight, a medical power of attorney is strongly recommended.

¹ A child is considered to be "attended" when in the presence of, or under the protection of (within sight or hearing), an appropriate caregiver. Completion of Red Cross Baby-sitting class and Infant/Child CPR is strongly recommended for every teen before caring for other children.



Questions