

# *United States Air Force Reserve*

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*Integrity – Service - Excellence*

## *Yellow Ribbon Program*

*Participant Eligibility*



*1 Oct 2012*

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# Welcome!

- Yellow Ribbon
- Eligibility
- Eligible Guests
- Event Types
- Event Attendance
- Event Agenda
- Regional Events



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*What is Yellow Ribbon?*

# Guard & Reserve Initiative



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*Fly, Fight and Win...*



# 90 Days on Active Duty in Support of Deployment & Separated from Family

*Accumulated in 12 months*





# Who can I bring with me?





Member's Can Bring Two Guests from the  
Following Categories:

Family

Spouse  
OR

Sibling  
OR

Parent  
OR

Grandparent

Children

All DEERS

Eligible

Children

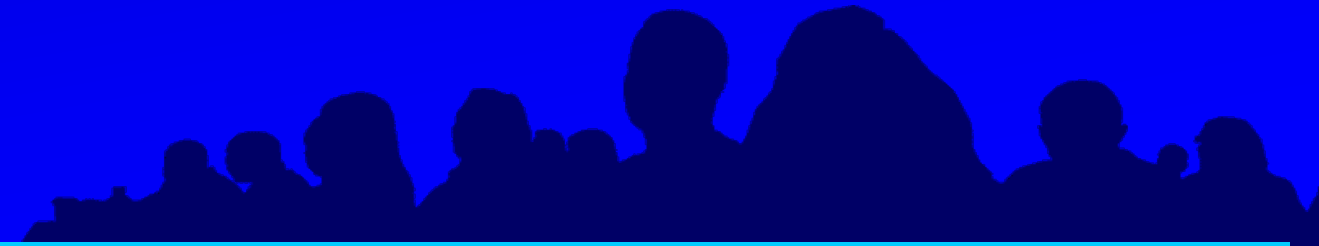
= 1 Guest

DI

Designated

In

Writing





## What is a Family Member?

Spouse

Sibling

Grandparent

Parent





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## *Eligible Guests – Children*

# DEERS Eligible Children *(Age: newborn to 20)*

Children

Step-Children

*Live with Member the Majority of the Year*

Grandchildren or others

*Legal Guardians & DEERS Eligible*







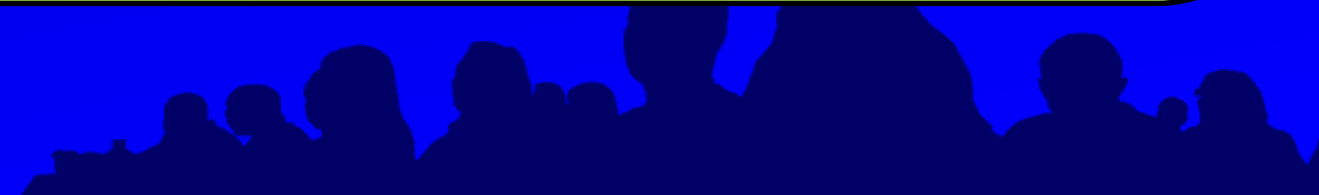
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*Eligible Guests – Children*

**DEERS Eligible Children**     *Ages 21 and 22*

Still Eligible for YR as Child, but

Must be Full Time Student



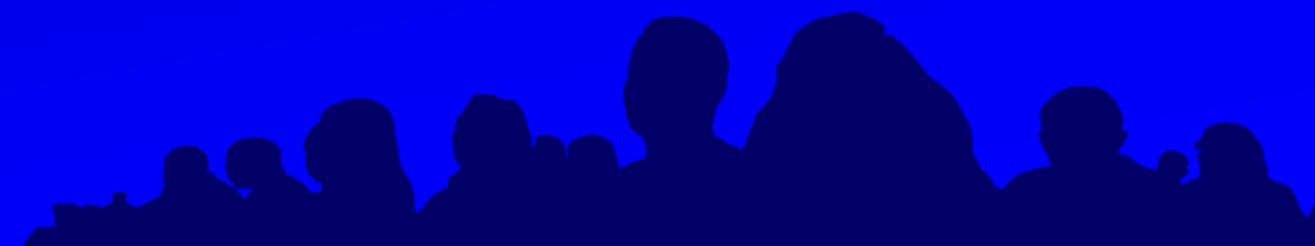


## DEFINITION:

An individual 18 and older

Does **NOT** meet the family member definition.

Designated in Writing





## So, Who Can Be a DI?

Fiancée

Room-mate

Best Friend

Adult Children

Co-Worker

Extended Family

Boy/Girl Friend

Etc...

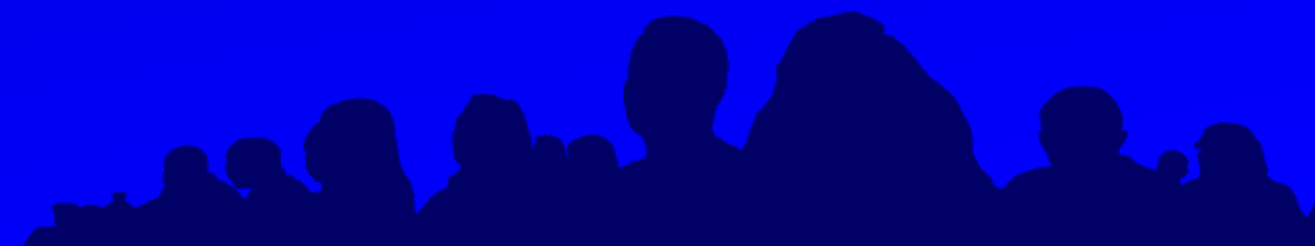


The member must:

Elect in writing  
prior to departure  
the Designated Individual(s)  
for the  
dates of the  
deployment cycle



Does not  
Increase the  
Allowable  
Number of  
Guests





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*Eligible Guests*

Now Let's Review...



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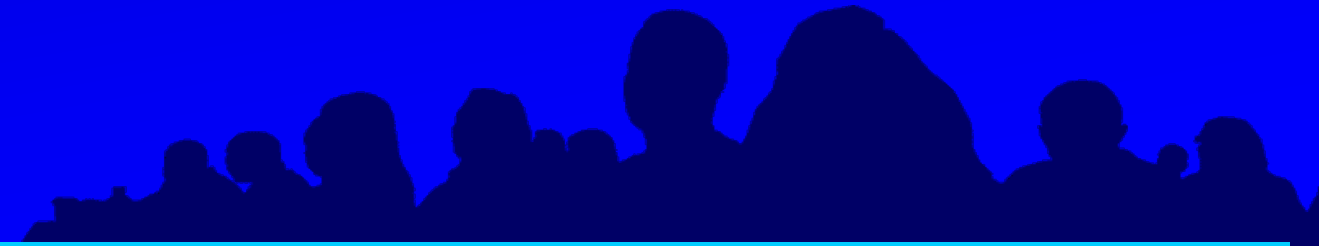
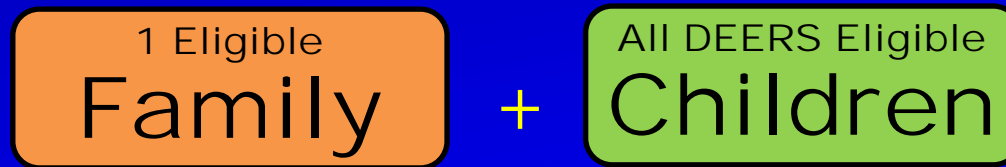


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*Eligible Guests*

# Married With Children

Your Spouse and Your DEERS Eligible Children  
*2 Guests Total*



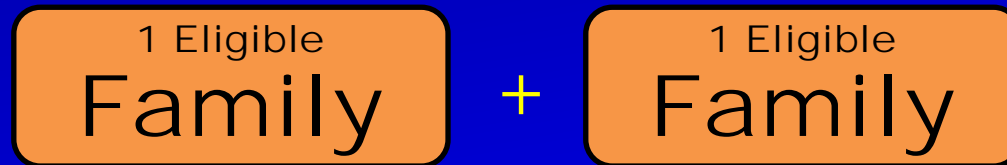
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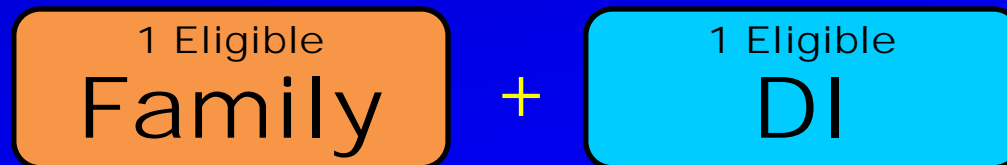
# Married Without Children

Your Spouse and 1 Other Eligible Guest

*Still 2 Guests Total*



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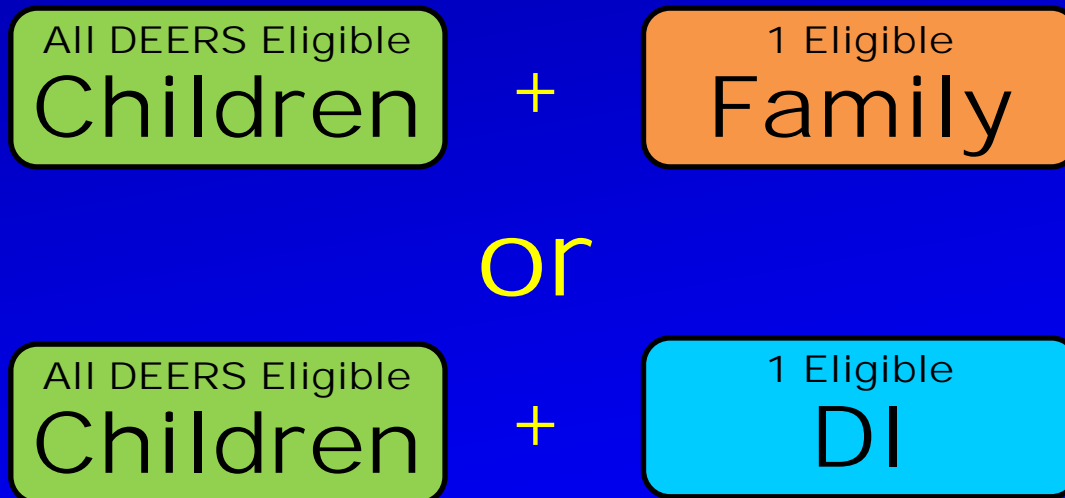




# Single With Children

Your DEERS Eligible Children plus 1

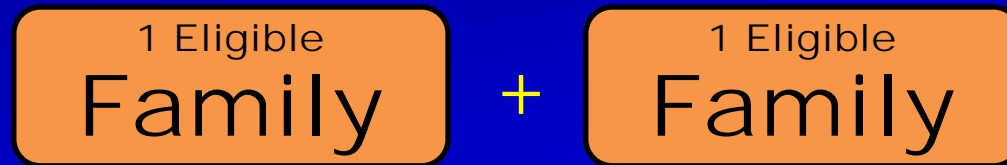
*Still 2 Guests Total*



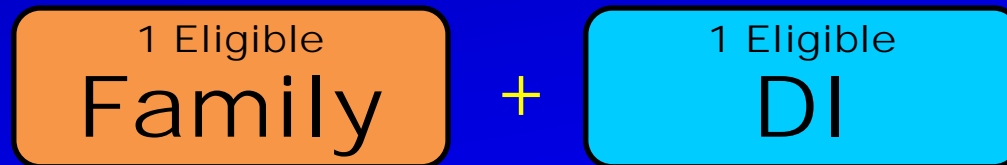


# Single With NO Children

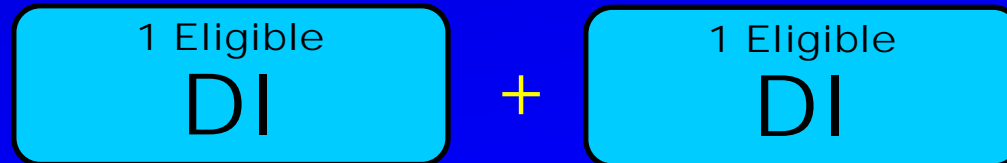
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or



or





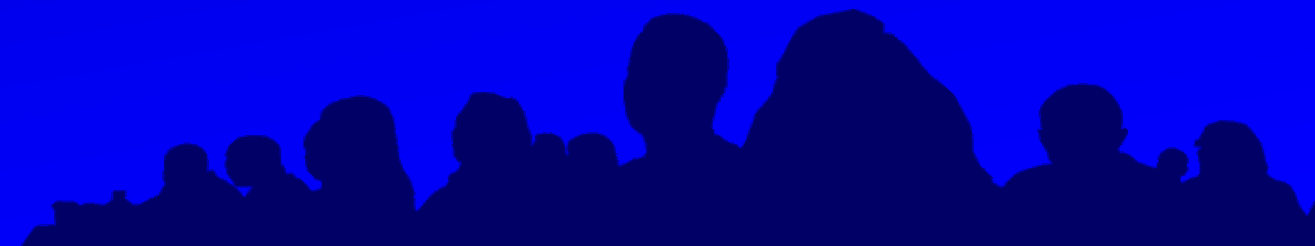
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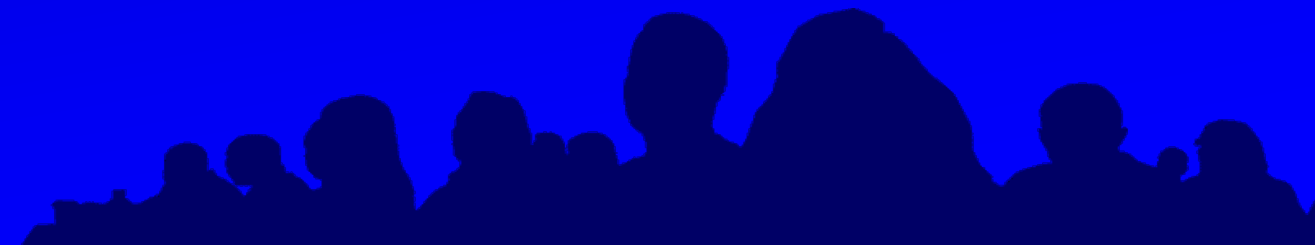
If not.....

Please call your  
Yellow Ribbon  
Wing Representative





# How Many Events Can I Attend?





# A Total of 3 Regional:

1 Pre Deployment

2 Post Deployment

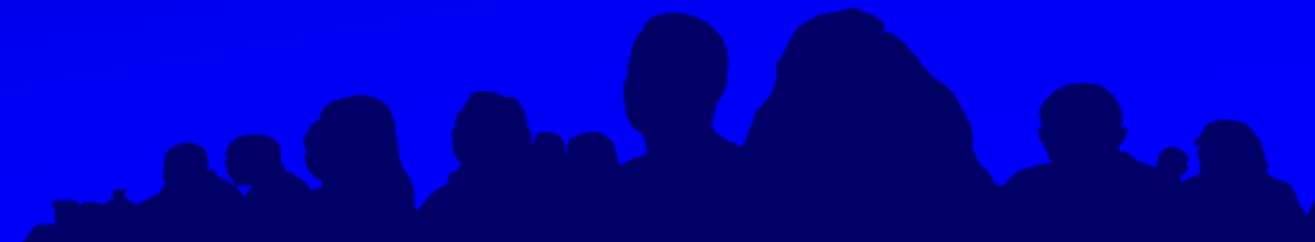




# Pre Deployment

## Member & Eligible Guests

*120 Days Prior to Deployment*





# 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> Post Deployment

## Members & Eligible Guests







## When?

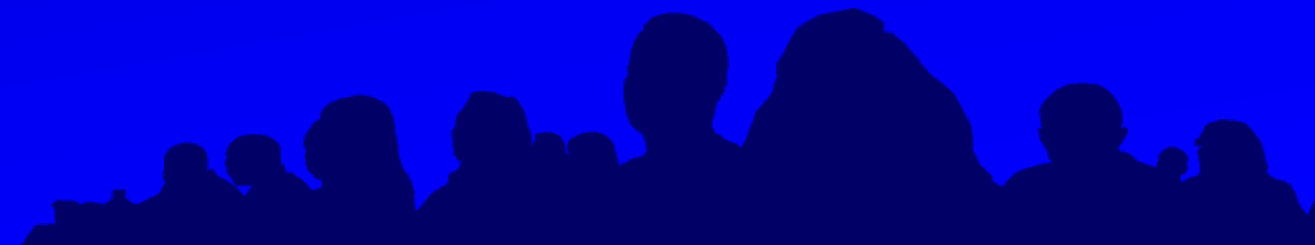
Within 180 Days of return  
from deployment

*You must not be on orders or in leave status  
prior to attending 1<sup>st</sup> event*





There are also  
additional events...





## During Deployment Events

- Eligible Guests Only
- Held at Local Wing





# 3<sup>rd</sup> Post Deployment Events

*AKA: 90 Day Post Events*

- Military Members Only
- Held at Local Wing





# Member Entitlements

Paid RPA

*Or 1610*

Per Diem

Travel

Hotel Room

*Only the Member can use the GTC!*



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*Event Attendance*

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# Eligible Guest Entitlements

*Individual Travel Authorization*

## ITA

*Unless Active Duty  
Or Federal Employee  
Then 1610*

## Travel

*Airline Tickets Centrally Billed*

## Actual Expenses

*Additional Room Waiver*



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VA

Marriage Enrichment

Financial Management

PHAP

TRICARE

GI Bill

ESGR

A Different Kind Of Courage

Key Spouse

Resiliency

MFLC

Single Issues

Stress Management

MOS

Suicide Prevention



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# Free Childcare

Newborn to 12

Educational Activities for 13 to 17







We look forward  
to seeing you  
at our next  
YR event! 😊

