

**Emergency Numbers**

Vic🚒n Advocates Hotline 24/7	(808) 624-7233
Family Court Temporary Restraining Order	(808) 538-5959
Ft Sha🚒r MPs	(808) 438-7114
Schofield Barracks MPs	(808) 655-5555
Domes🚒 Violence Ac🚒n Center (DVAC)	(808) 531-3771
PACT Ohia Shelter	(808) 526-2200
Hale Ohana (24 hour support)	(808) 959-8864
Child and Family Service DV Shelters 24/7	(808) 841-0822
Sex Abuse Treatment Center	(808) 524-7273
Na🚒nal Domes🚒 Violence Hotline	1-800-799-7233
ACCESS (Crises Hotline)	(808) 832-3100
Child Protective Services	(808) 832-5300

**Legal Assistance**

Department of the Prosecu🚒ng A🚒rney	(808) 768-7400
Domes🚒 Violence Ac🚒n Center (DVAC)	(808) 531-3771
Legal Aid Society of Hawaii	(808) 536-4302
Schofield Barracks Legal Office	(808) 655-8607
Volunteer Legal Services of Hawaii	(808) 528-7046

**Counseling and Support**

FAP Schofield Barracks	(808) 433-8579
FAP Tripler	(808) 433-6606
Behavioral Health Tripler	(808) 433-2737
Child and Family Behavioral Health Services Tripler	(808) 433-6418
Behavioral Health Schofield Barracks	(808) 433-8601
Child and Family Behavioral Health Services SB	1-888-683-2778
Military One Source	1-800-342-9647
Family Peace Center	(808) 832-0855
Catholic Chari🚒s Hawaii	(808) 521-4357
Samaritan Counseling Center Hawaii	(808) 545-2740
CFS / Developing Op🚒ns to Violence	(808) 532-5100

**Other Assistance**

New Parent Support Program	(808) 787-4227
Bilingual Access Line	(808) 526-9724
Child Support Enforcement Agency	(808) 692-8265
PACT Visita🚒n Center	(808) 847-0015

You have  
the right to know



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[www.hawaii.armymwr.com/programs/family-advocacy-program](http://www.hawaii.armymwr.com/programs/family-advocacy-program)  
[www.militaryonesource.mil](http://www.militaryonesource.mil)

Family  
Advocacy  
Program



Keeping You Safe



Tripler Army Medical Center  
Desmond T. Doss Health Clinic at Schofield Barracks

# Our Mission

The Army Family Advocacy Program (FAP) works to prevent domestic violence by offering resources, education, support, intervention and treatment. FAP provides risk assessments, counseling, case management and victim advocacy services to military families dealing with situations of domestic abuse and/or child abuse in order to ensure safety for all individuals and to promote healthy relationships through collaboration with Military Treatment Facilities, Community Services, and Commands.

## Goal

The goal of the clinical response to family maltreatment is to determine if abuse has occurred, ensure the safety of all, develop a treatment plan designed to reduce the risk of continued maltreatment, and rehabilitate the family when appropriate, while ensuring an end to violence.

## What is Domestic Violence?

- Domestic Violence includes physical, emotional and psychological abuse perpetrated by one partner against the other partner in order to gain and/or maintain power and control in the relationship
- Domestic violence is against the law in Hawaii. No one has the right to physically, sexually or psychologically abuse you.
- The most dangerous time in the relationship is when you decide to leave. When you decide to leave we encourage you to discuss your plan for leaving safely with one of our trained staff.
- Domestic Violence occurs in every culture, socio-economic and age group. It affects anyone regardless of educational and religious backgrounds and occurs in same gender as well as heterosexual relationships.

## The Cycle of Violence

- At first your partner may not be violent.
- As other forms of abuse increase, physical violence becomes more likely.
- Abusers use these tactics to keep power and control.
- They blame their partners for family problems.
- Your partner may insist you cause the violence.

# Plan for your life

- Our FAP staff can assist you with many of your questions and needs.
- If you decide to leave or stay in the relationship we are here to assist you in carrying out your decision with your safety as our first priority.
- With Domestic Violence you have the option of unrestricted or restricted reporting. Unrestricted reporting is where Command and Law Enforcement will be notified and you can access all services. Restricted reporting is where Command and Law Enforcement are NOT notified and you can access all our services (not available if children witness or involved with the incident).
- Our trained and supportive staff can assist you with safety planning, careful consideration of your options and help make referrals to advocates, community and Military resources and treatment services.
- If you need an interpreter, please ask us.

## Know your rights/ Did you know?

- That your ID card belongs to the DOD and only the DOD can remove the card from your possession.
- As a dependent spouse, if you are no longer living on Post and physically separated from the soldier, you may be entitled to monthly spousal support.
- If a soldier is a victim of domestic violence he/she may not need to pay spousal support.
- You may be entitled to transitional compensation (monthly payments) for a limited time, as well as health insurance if the soldier is Chaptered for or convicted in a Court-Martial for domestic violence.
- If you are still married but living apart you are still entitled to all dependent privileges.
- You can request an early return of dependents (ERD) where the Army pays for your flight and shipping of belongings to your home of record.
- A Victim Advocate at (808)624-SAFE (7233) is available 24/7 to safety plan and support you.

## Services Offered

- Assessment of Domestic Violence and Child Abuse
- Individual, Couples, and Family Counseling
- Information and Referral
- Case Management Services

## What are the Characteristics of an Abusive Relationship?

- Are you afraid of your partner?
  - Does your partner control your finances?
  - Does your partner accuse you of having affairs?
  - Does your partner threaten to kill you if you leave the relationship?
  - Has your partner ever physically hurt you or threatened to physically hurt you or someone you care about?
  - Does your partner often put you down, call you names, undermine your self esteem and confidence?
  - Does your partner ever force you into sexual activities that make you feel uncomfortable?
  - Does your partner try to control where you go, who you are with and what you do?
  - Does your partner threaten to kill him/herself if you leave the relationship?
  - Do you constantly worry about your partner's moods and alter your behavior to deal with them?
  - Have you stopped seeing family and friends to avoid your partner's jealousy or anger?
- If you answer yes to some or all of these questions, you may be in an abusive relationship.**
- We encourage you to call our Hotline (808)624-SAFE (7233) to discuss your options and your safety.
- Remember that you are not to blame for your partner's abusive behavior.
- You do not have to do it alone.

## Safety Planning

- If you decide to leave, make a plan on how to get out and where you will go.
- Keep your phone, wallet, important documents, and car keys in a place where you can leave quickly.
- Teach your children to call 911 and run and get help.
- If things escalate to an argument move to a place that is low risk such as living rooms where there are exits.
- Leave extra cash and clothes with a friend.
- Inform your close social supports what is going on and establish a safeword.



IT'S NOT YOUR FAULT