



# The Fort Detrick Weeklies

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**FORT DETRICK IS CURRENTLY AT FPCON BRAVO.  
FOREST GLEN ANNEX IS CURRENTLY FPCON BRAVO.**

**If you have any article submissions, you would like considered for the Fort Detrick website please send them to [usarmy.detrick.usag.mbx.pao@army.mil](mailto:usarmy.detrick.usag.mbx.pao@army.mil).**

**USAG Fort Detrick on social media - You can follow USAG Fort Detrick on social media for daily updates and information. On Facebook go to [www.facebook.com/DetrickUSAG](http://www.facebook.com/DetrickUSAG).**

**Attention Fort Detrick:** To ensure the safety of our security staff at our access gates during periods of inclement weather please follow the access control procedures below. During peak hours (0600-0900 & 1200-1330) personnel will conduct ID checks with handheld scanners. During all non-peak hours please use the available pedestal scanners.

Your cooperation is appreciated. For questions, please contact Chief Ariel Vanderhout at [ariel.m.vanderhout.civ@army.mil](mailto:ariel.m.vanderhout.civ@army.mil) or 301-619-2003.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS AND EVENTS

- **To view our job openings, please visit USAJOBS or click on the link below:**  
<https://www.usajobs.gov/Search/Results?l=Fort%20Detrick%2C%20Maryland&d=AR&a=ARBA&p=1&s=agency>

- **Barquist Army Health Clinic Updates:**

### Reduced Hours and Clinic Closures:

- 27 FEB: Barquist Closed (1200-1600) – training afternoon
- 20 MAR: Barquist Closed (1200-1600) – training afternoon
- 17 APR: Barquist Closed (1200-1600) – training afternoon
- 22 MAY: DONSA – no Sick Call
- 25 MAY: Memorial Day – Clinic closed
- 19 JUN: Juneteenth Holiday – Clinic closed
- 26 JUN: Barquist Closed (1200-1600) – training afternoon
- 14 JUL: Barquist AHC Change of Command – Closed (1200-1600)

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## Upcoming Events:

- Nicotine Cessation Program – Call 301-619-8783

## Basic Life Saving Training Dates: March 12, April 16, May 14

Enrollment deadline is 2 weeks before the course date. Please ensure BLS Eligibility Form is completed & emailed to the POC prior to course entry. Please contact Ms. Burns for availability, registration, and questions.

Priority is given to Barquist staff. Additional slots are only available to Active Duty Service Members and DOD Civilians. POC: Maylis Burns, (301) 619 – 2275, [maylis.n.burns.civ@health.mil](mailto:maylis.n.burns.civ@health.mil)

## Construction Projects Updates:

- **The Fitness Track and Infield is closed for renovation and set to reopen June 2026.**  
Traffic change at Forest Glen Building 156 off Stephen Sitter Ave. is scheduled for demolition 02/04/2026 through the end of April.
- **Lane Closures at Nallin Farm Gate** In the beginning phase, both lanes of the inbound side will be closed and redirected to a single lane normally designated as an outbound lane. Once inbound lane barriers are replaced, both outbound lanes will close, and vehicles will be redirected to a single lane normally designated as an inbound lane. These improvements are essential to ensure the long-term safety and reliability of Nallin Farm Gate for the traveling public. This project is estimated to take several months to complete. We understand that lane closures can cause inconvenience, and we apologize for any disruption this may cause. We are committed to delivering a high-quality project that will benefit the Fort Detrick community for years to come.



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## TRAININGS:

### Local Hazards Briefing

**Location:** Bldg. 1520, Classroom #5C

**Class Hours:** 2-3:30 p.m.

**Dates:**

<b>30 MAR 26</b>		
<b>29 APR 26</b>	<b>18 MAY 26</b>	<b>23 JUN 26</b>
<b>27 JUL 26</b>	<b>24 AUG 26</b>	<b>28 SEP 26</b>
<b>26 OCT 26</b>	<b>16 NOV 26</b>	<b>15 DEC 26</b>

**Description:** Local Hazards Briefing meets the intent of DoDI standard 6055.04 and AR 385-10, 24 July 2023, Chapter 13, Section 13-18. The course fulfills a requirement of the Army Traffic Safety Training Program (ATSTP) and is mandatory for all new civilian and military personnel. This briefing orients all newcomers to the local driving hazards, laws, and regulations of the surrounding areas.

**Who Should Attend?** All newly assigned Fort Detrick civilian and military personnel.

**Course Manager:** Mr. Humberto Rivera (301) 619-3295, [usarmy.detrick.usag.list.installation-safety-management-office@army.mil](mailto:usarmy.detrick.usag.list.installation-safety-management-office@army.mil)

**Installation Safety Office Main Number:** (301) 619-7318

**NOTES:** Individuals who require special services or accommodation due to a disability should advise this office immediately (wheelchair access, interpreter, etc). **NOTES:** Individuals who require special services or accommodation due to a disability should advise this office immediately (wheelchair access, interpreter, etc.)

### FY 26 TARP Face to Face Training – All sessions at 1 p.m. Building 1520 Auditorium.

\*Note\* Training starts promptly at 1 p.m. allowing a 5 min grace. If you arrive after that time, the rosters will NOT be available for signing and you will NOT be credited for attendance.

**CY 2026 Dates:**

March 17	April 14	May 19	June 16	July 21	Aug 18	Sept 22
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## Upcoming Basic Skills Education Program Dates

# BASIC SKILLS EDUCATION PROGRAM (BSEP)

### @FORT DETRICK EDUCATION CENTER

#### Reasons to Enroll

- ❖ Increase General Technical (GT) score for Military Occupation Specialty (MOS) reclassification
- ❖ Establish for commissioning programs
- ❖ Prerequisite for attendance in career development courses, such as Non-Commissioned Officer Education System (NCOES)
- ❖ Improve basic skills for college courses
- ❖ Increase chances for promotion

#### UPCOMING BSEP DATES:

- ❖ March 9– 27, 2026
- ❖ April 27 – May 15, 2026
- ❖ August 3 – 21, 2026
- ❖ September 21 – October 9, 2026
- ❖ November 2 – 20, 2026

To REGISTER for classes, please contact our BSEP instructor: Ms. Angela Sutsakhan@301-619-2854 or [angela.s.sutsakhanctr@army.mil](mailto:angela.s.sutsakhanctr@army.mil)



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## ARMY EMERGENCY RELIEF OFFICIAL NONPROFIT OF THE U.S. ARMY

*Empowering Soldiers, Enhancing Lives*  
**2026 Annual Campaign**  
*Kick-off • 2 March 2026 • 1 PM*  
*1529 Freedman Drive - Community Activities Center*

301-619-3455

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## Family Advocacy Program Brief


Did you know that each unit is **REQUIRED** to have an **annual** Family Advocacy Program Briefing?



To schedule your Annual Unit Briefing, contact:

Victim Advocate: **240-409-4371**  
[natalie.n.saunders2.ctr@army.mil](mailto:natalie.n.saunders2.ctr@army.mil)



 **USAMEDDAC Fort George G. Meade**  
Combat Ready Care...This We'll Defend



## Barquist Army Health Clinic BLS Schedule

- 15 January 2026
- 12 February 2026
- 12 March 2026
- 16 April 2026
- 14 May 2025

Enrollment deadline is 2 weeks before the course date.  
Please ensure BLS Eligibility Form is completed & emailed to the POC prior to course entry

POC is **Maylis Burns**  
[maylis.n.burns.civ@health.mil](mailto:maylis.n.burns.civ@health.mil)  
301-619-2275

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## Quit Nicotine Your Way

*Barquist Army Health Clinic Patients Only*



\*Join Us In-Person or Virtually – Support That Fits Your Schedule. Weekly group sessions – flexible, confidential, and proven effective.\*

**Schedule an appointment with your provider to get started or use the QR Code to sign up.**



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**NEWCOMERS  
COMMUNITY  
ORIENTATION  
AND  
INFORMATION  
EXCHANGE!!!**



## **WELCOME NEWCOMERS!!!**

Auditorium, 1520 Freedman Drive, USAG Fort Detrick

Sign-in begins at 1000hrs, event begins at 1030hrs

January 21, 2026	June 17, 2026
February 18, 2026	July 15, 2026
April 15, 2026	August 19, 2026
May 20, 2026	September 16, 2026

New Soldiers, civilian employees, and your Families!  
USAG Fort Detrick has partnered with many state and county agencies, as well as local organizations, to provide information on their programs, activities, and upcoming events. All will have representatives so you can personally meet the individuals assisting you and your Family while here at Fort Detrick!

**ARMY COMMUNITY SERVICE IS ADA COMPLIANT**

For more information, or to register, call 301-619-6364 or visit:

<https://armyeitaas.sharepoint-mil/IMCCOM-ID-S-USAG-Detrick/SitePages/Newcomers-Orientation.aspx>



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## FORT DETRICK'S **SHAMROCK 5K RUN/WALK**

**Odom Fitness Center • \$6.00**  
Same day registration is available until 7:30 am at the Shamrock 5K

**MARCH 14TH**  
**8:00 AM**

- Come run with us through Fort Detrick's roads and grounds! This run will promote the strength, fitness, and the general health of our Fort Detrick community!
- A one mile family route will be available!
- Trophies will be awarded to the 1st and 2nd place male and female winners!
- Ticket holders that are over 21 will have the option to enjoy a festive beer at the end of the race! There will also be a tasty non-alcoholic green beverage available!

**DRESS IN  
YOUR FINEST  
KELLY GREEN!**





**Join us for this wonderful bonding experience!**

For more information and registration, please call the Odom Fitness Center at 301-619-2498

**SCAN HERE TO REGISTER NOW!**








[www.detrick.armymwr.com](http://www.detrick.armymwr.com)  
[www.facebook.com/DetrickMWR](https://www.facebook.com/DetrickMWR)  
[www.instagram.com/ftdetrickMWR](https://www.instagram.com/ftdetrickMWR)

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## Stress Management Class

For Active Duty, Family Members, Civilians, and Contractors

Military life comes with unique challenges deployments, relocations, high-stakes responsibilities, and balancing family and duty. This interactive class is designed to help service members and their families recognize stress triggers, develop practical coping strategies, and strengthen resilience for everyday life and mission success



### What You Will Learn

- ✓ Stress & the body
- ✓ Types of Stress
- ✓ Healthy Stress Management

**Location:**  
Building 1520, Classroom 1,  
Freedman Drive,  
Fort Detrick, &  
MS Teams



Scan this QR Code to register

**301-619-7171/3774**

PLEASE CALL TO REGISTER NLT 2 DAYS PRIOR TO ANY EVENT

### DATES

- ✓ Mar 9, 2026
- ✓ May 4, 2026
- ✓ Jul 6, 2026

#DetrickMWR  
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[www.facebook.com/DetrickMWR](https://www.facebook.com/DetrickMWR)



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## 2026 Medical Museum Events

The National Museum of Health and Medicine is open Wednesday - Sunday, from 10 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.

For tour programs, call: (301) 319-3312

Please request ADA accommodations at least two weeks in advance at (301) 319-3303 or by scanning the QR code below:



NATIONAL MUSEUM OF HEALTH AND MEDICINE

2500 Linden Lane, Silver Spring, MD 20910  
(301) 319-3300  
[medicalmuseum.health.mil](http://medicalmuseum.health.mil)  
f i X @medicalmuseum

### Lecture Series

2 p.m.

- JANUARY 11** | Fighting Ebola: 10 Years Since the West African Epidemic
- MAY 3** | The Body's Keepers: A Social History of Kidney Failure and Its Treatments
- AUGUST 2** | Think It Over, Soldier: Combating Venereal Disease During the World Wars
- NOVEMBER 15** | So Others May Live: Army Aeromedical Evacuation Operations in the Republic of Vietnam, 1962-1973

### Family Friendly

- MARCH 21** | Brain Awareness Day | 10 a.m. to 12 p.m.
- APRIL 25** | Veterinary Medicine Day | 10 a.m. to 12 p.m.
- JUNE 13** | Bugapalooza | 10 a.m. to 12 p.m.
- SEPTEMBER 19** | Teddy Bear Clinic | 9:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.
- OCTOBER 24** | Scout Day | 10 a.m. to 12 p.m.

### Public Tours

2 p.m.

- FEBRUARY 15** | Presidents Day Tour
- MAY 24** | Memorial Day Tour
- NOVEMBER 11** | Veterans Day Tour

### Virtual Events

- MARCH 26** | Brain Awareness Program: Sleep and TBI
- MAY 7** | Nurses Week Program

Some of our events may be available virtually. Check our website and social media channels, @medicalmuseum, for updates.

Dates are subject to change. Visit [medicalmuseum.health.mil](http://medicalmuseum.health.mil) for updates. (Current as of December 2025)

Background Image: Large format histology slide of a femur with osteosarcoma. AFIP 1407778

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COME AND LEARN MORE ABOUT

**GREEN TO GOLD**

<https://www.goarmy.com/rotc>

## GO FROM SOLDIER TO ARMY OFFICER.

Green to Gold is a program designed for current active-duty enlisted Soldiers to earn a four-year bachelor's degree or a master's degree and make the switch to the Officership path of the Army.

11:30AM BLDG 1520 Classroom 1

**March 10**

**May 18**

**August 31**

**October 19**

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## Save the Date!

### Drug Prevention and Overdose Response Education

Guest Speaker: Frederick County Health  
Department

Date: 3 March 2026

Time: 1000

Building 1520, Auditorium



Training will count towards Substance Misuse Prevention training credit.  
Contact: [morgan.c.lawson4.civ@army.mil](mailto:morgan.c.lawson4.civ@army.mil). Registration is not required.

#### **A note from the Fort Detrick Directorate of Emergency Services:**

With the increased popularity of drones used by hobbyist and others as a source of counter surveillance, this is a friendly reminder that flying drones above Fort Detrick is strictly prohibited. As part of our commitment to maintaining the safety and security of the installation, unauthorized drone activity is not permitted in our airspace. If you observe a drone flying above Fort Detrick, please report it immediately to the Fort Detrick Police at 301-619-7114. Your vigilance helps ensure the continued security of our installation and the mission we support.

Thank you for your cooperation and attention.

Below are a few photos of common drones including photography drones, single and multi-rotor drones and fixed wing drones.

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## FINANCIAL READINESS PROGRAM

# Build a Strong Financial Future

Take control of your financial future with our trusted and comprehensive financial planning services.



### Financial Readiness Program (FRP)

- **FRP:** offers education, counseling and support services to assist active and retired Soldiers, their Families and DA civilians with their financial affairs. FRP services trends.
- **FRP Services:** are geared toward building financial resiliency, living within means and financial planning for the future.
- **Mission:** to reduce indebtedness, prevent financial vulnerability, increase knowledge on personal finance, and to build wealth and financial resiliency through an array of personal finance classes and one-on-one counseling.
- **Vision:** a community of Soldiers and Families who are financially stable, resilient, living within their means, and building wealth for their future.



We welcome Family members and DA Civilians to attend all of our classes/ seminars



#### Services Include:

- Individual financial counseling
- Debt Liquidation assistance
- Emergency Financial Assistance
- Credit Report reviews
- Couples financial counseling



#### Classes & Seminars offered:

- Thrift Savings Plan (TSP)
- Budget Development & Record Keeping
- Consumer Credit
- Saving and Investing
- Planning for Retirement
- Car Buying
- Home Buying Process

**Upcoming Classes**  
 25 Feb – Marriage and Money @ 10am  
 12 Mar – Home Buying @ 2pm  
 25 Mar – Home Buying @ 10am  
 For additional information or to register call 301-619-3455.

### Take the first step towards a secure financial future.

Contact us today for a personal financial counseling session, the financial readiness course schedule or if you need emergency financial assistance:



**Fort Detrick**  
Army Community Service  
Financial Readiness

1520 Freedman Drive, Suite 125  
+301-619-3455  
[usarmy.detrick.usag.mbx.acs-frp@army.mil](mailto:usarmy.detrick.usag.mbx.acs-frp@army.mil)

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**FORT DETRICK SAAPM 2026**

**SHARP VOLLEYBALL TOURNAMENT**

**ODOM FITNESS CENTER**

**APRIL 9, 2026**

**1000 - 1300 HRS**

**SERVE. PROTECT. PREVENT.**  
STAND TOGETHER FOR A SAFER COMMUNITY!

OPEN TO ALL SOLDIERS & CIVILIANS • TEAMS OF 6 • PRIZES & MORE!

Come out and join us for some exercise, camaraderie and to support Sexual Assault Awareness and Prevention Month is. For more information, call 301-619-2837 or 7387

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★★ SAAPM 2026 ★★

# SHARP

## TRAIN THE TRAINER (T3)

### TRAINING OPPORTUNITY

#### TRAINING DATES & TIMES

<b>APRIL 2<sup>ND</sup>, 2026</b>	<b>APRIL 7<sup>TH</sup>, 2026</b>	<b>APRIL 16<sup>TH</sup>, 2026</b>
🕒 0800 - 1100	🕒 0800 - 1100	🕒 1300 - 1600
<b>APRIL 21<sup>ST</sup>, 2026</b>	<b>APRIL 30<sup>TH</sup>, 2026</b>	
🕒 1300 - 1600	🕒 0800 - 1100	

#### 📍 LOCATION:

**201 BEASLEY DR., BLDG 243 RM 105**

FOR FURTHER DETAILS & **SIGN UP**, CONTACT:

<b>Ms. Ella I. Greene</b>	OR	<b>Mr. Christopher Chatman</b>
✉ <a href="mailto:Ella.greene4.civ@army.mil">Ella.greene4.civ@army.mil</a>		✉ <a href="mailto:Christopher.e.chatman.civ@army.mil">Christopher.e.chatman.civ@army.mil</a>

LEAD. EDUCATE. PREVENT.

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**STAND UP, STEP IN, SPEAK OUT!**

# SAAPM SHARP CHALLENGE

**Teal Toss: Step Forward**



"Name one safe "Step Forward" action you can take if you see a situation starting to feel unsafe."

**Step Forward Shootout**



**The SHARPshooter**



**Football Toss**

**Blurred Lines: Choose Your Path**



**Beer Goggles Maze**

**Test Your Skills • Learn**



**Mini Hoop Challenge**

**APRIL 22ND, 2026**  
On Blue & Gray Field  
1100-1300 hrs  
**Test Your Skills • Learn • Have Fun!**

Who: Unit 5-person team (no SHARP personnel can compete)

Show up and compete! Wear running shoe and appropriate exercise attire.

For more information or to register please contact 301-619-2837 or [ella.greene4.civ@army.mil](mailto:ella.greene4.civ@army.mil)

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## FORT DETRICK DENIM DAY

SAAPM 2026 | Wear denim to show support for survivors and challenge victim-blaming myths

WEDNESDAY  
APRIL 29, 2026

### Why Denim Day?

Denim Day is an internationally recognized SAAPM observance. It began after a 1999 Italian Supreme Court decision overturned a rape conviction based on the victim's clothing, sparking protests in which people wore jeans in solidarity.

#### Show your support by:

- Wear professional, appropriate denim.
- Add a teal accent (pin, ribbon, lanyard).
- Challenge myths - reinforce dignity and respect.
- Share #DenimDay (as allowed).

### Dress Guidance (Army)

Participation is voluntary. Per Army guidance, commanders and appropriate authorities may authorize Soldiers to wear jeans for Denim Day in accordance with AR 670-1.

#### If you wear denim:

- No rips, tears, cut-offs, or heavy fading.
- Wear at the waist (not below).
- Professional top + duty-appropriate closed-toe footwear.
- Follow supervisor/chain guidance.

**WEAR DENIM • SHOW SUPPORT • LEAD WITH RESPECT**

A visible stand against sexual violence and the myths that fuel it.

### Fort Detrick: How to Participate

#### Where/When:

All day - Wednesday, April 29, 2026  
Fort Detrick (workplace approved).

#### Local policy:

Follow the Fort Detrick Installation SHARP Command Policy and supervisor/chain guidance. Wear workplace-appropriate denim.

### Need Help or Info?

#### DoD Safe Helpline

**877-995-5247**  
SafeHelpline.org

Unit SARC/VA • SHARP Office • Chaplain  
Immediate danger: 911 / Military Police

Sources: Army Denim Day Memo (11 Feb 2025) • DenimDay.org • Fort Detrick Policies & Memos • DoD SAPRO Safe Helpline

**NOTE:** Weekly announcements will be sent out every Thursday. If you have an announcement you would like to include, please send the information to [usarmy.detrick.usag.mbx.pao@army.mil](mailto:usarmy.detrick.usag.mbx.pao@army.mil) or call 301-619-2018.



# The Fort Detrick Weeklies

U.S. ARMY ANNOUNCEMENTS, EVENTS AND TRAININGS



26 February – 26 March 2026

Please note: The Weeklies are also on <https://home.army.mil/detrick> under "Weeklies"



## JOIN THE FORT DETRICK SAAPM STEP CHALLENGE!



Sexual Assault Awareness & Prevention Month



**WALK FOR AWARENESS. STEP FOR PREVENTION.**

**TRACK YOUR STEPS & SUPPORT AWARENESS!**



**WHEN:**

**28 APRIL 2026**



**GOAL:**

**YOUR BEST EFFORT**



**PRIZES:**

**AWESOME REWARDS FOR TOP STEPPERS!**

**LOG YOUR STEPS & JOIN THE FUN!**

**APRIL 28TH, 2026**

**BLUE & GRAY FIELD 1100-1300 HRS**

**RAISE AWARENESS • GET ACTIVE • MAKE A DIFFERENCE!**

Come out and join us for some fresh air, exercise, and camaraderie in support of Sexual Assault Awareness and Prevention Month. Stop by the information booth to meet your SHARP representatives. For more information, call 301-619-2837 or 7387

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# INSTALLATION SAFETY BULLETIN

SB 26-02-20

## Use of personal protective equipment on installation roadways

***While Running On Post Remember.*** AR 385-10, Para 13-19, The Army Safety and Occupational Health Program, Joggers/runners will observe the following:

➤ Wear **fluorescent** or **reflective** PPE during hours of limited visibility when personnel is exposed to traffic hazards:



➤ I.E. - Marching, running, and jogging troops (not in a formation), road guards.

➤ Stay in **single file** while running on sidewalks or roadways.

➤ When using roadways, **run facing oncoming traffic** and **yield to vehicular traffic** prior to crossing roads.

➤ **\*\*\*Wearing headsets of any type** while on public roads is **PROHIBITED.**

➤ When approaching an intersection, **yield the right-of-way** to all vehicles, then continue once the vehicle has safely passed.



Remember, roadways are designed primarily for traffic. The use of sidewalks, bike paths, PT track and open fields is recommended.

INSTALLATION SAFETY OFFICE  
1520 FREEDMAN DRIVE SUITE 217  
PHONE 301-619-7318  
USARMY.DETRICK.USAG.LIST.ISMO@MAIL.MIL





# ACE Suicide Prevention Face-to-face Training



This training will count towards the Suicide Prevention Education portion of Personal Readiness. Please be advised that you must also take the ASAP Drug and Alcohol Prevention training to obtain full Personal Readiness credit.

16 DEC 2025 @ 1000

26 MAR 2026 @ 1000

23 JUN 2026 @ 1000

22 SEP 2026 @ 1000

REGISTRATION IS REQUIRED

Drug and Alcohol Awareness  
contact:  
[morgan.c.lawson4.civ@army.mil](mailto:morgan.c.lawson4.civ@army.mil)

Suicide Prevention contact:  
[erika.r.bishop2.civ@army.mil](mailto:erika.r.bishop2.civ@army.mil)



If you believe that attending suicide prevention training will be offensive or emotionally stressful, you are encouraged to contact your supervisor to discuss an alternative to the training and contact Erika Bishop.





**ASAP**  
ARMY SUBSTANCE  
ABUSE PROGRAM

# Substance Misuse Prevention

Please ensure you are also completing the annual ACE requirement.

**3 FEBRUARY 2026 @ 1000  
VIRTUAL**

[https://dod.teams.microsoft.us/l/meetup-join/19%3adod%3ameeting\\_d2841c5ed8ca409d8941006eaaaccfa2%40thead.v2/0?context=%7b%22id%22%3a%22fae6d70f-954b-4811-92b6-0530d6f84c43%22%2c%22oid%22%3a%22c7d5f1af-4e2c-4e64-a48f-696cdd0958fc%22%7d](https://dod.teams.microsoft.us/l/meetup-join/19%3adod%3ameeting_d2841c5ed8ca409d8941006eaaaccfa2%40thead.v2/0?context=%7b%22id%22%3a%22fae6d70f-954b-4811-92b6-0530d6f84c43%22%2c%22oid%22%3a%22c7d5f1af-4e2c-4e64-a48f-696cdd0958fc%22%7d)

**3 MARCH @ 1000 F2F  
Building 1520; Auditorium**

Guest Speaker: Overdose Response Coordinator,  
Frederick County Health Department

Trainings are on a first come, first serve basis. Contact: [morgan.c.lawson4.civ@army.mil](mailto:morgan.c.lawson4.civ@army.mil)

# Save the Date!

## Drug Prevention and Overdose Response Education

Guest Speaker: Frederick County Health  
Department

Date: 3 March 2026

Time: 1000

Building 1520, Auditorium



Training will count towards Substance Misuse Prevention training credit.  
Contact: [morgan.c.lawson4.civ@army.mil](mailto:morgan.c.lawson4.civ@army.mil). Registration is not required.