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Kimbrough launches Health Connection

FORT GEORGE G. MEADE – Kimbrough Ambulatory Care Center has partnered with Fort Meade to ensure their patients get the information they need in the most direct way possible.

In a new communications partnership, Fort Meade will share the platform the installation uses to reach service members, civilians, retirees and their families. Users will now find a Kimbrough button on the Fort George G. Meade app.

“We are excited to take this opportunity to get on board with the Fort George G Meade app,” said Chul (Chuck) Yang, the KACC public affairs officer. “This is an additional platform to inform and promote health matters for warriors, family members and all those entrusted to our care.”

According to Chad Jones, Fort Meade Public Affairs officer, the app is expandable to provide options that could benefit other Fort Meade tenant partners.

“Every organization on the installation has an audience they need to communicate with,” said Jones. “The more information we can provide on one focused outlet, the easier it is for all of us to disseminate important information to the people who need it.”

The app was originally employed to disseminate weather alerts, installation status and access to the 24/7 Command Line. The report button provides many ways for users to directly report things like potholes, stray animals, and to directly dial a variety of help lines. Most recently, a feature was added to provide directions to make it easier to navigate the post.

“The best part about the app is its versatility. Some options allow an organization to invite specific individuals to have access to targeted information. By partnering with the installation as a sub-application, they also have the ability to communicate to our wider audience as well,” said Jones. “If you are an organization on Fort Meade and you’re looking for a way to harness this tool, I encourage you to contact us to explore the possibilities.”

“Fort Meade app, already a well-established platform, will only enhance Kimbrough’s communication processes,” said Yang. “This partnership is another way to show Kimbrough’s commitment in providing safe and quality care that service members, retirees and their families deserve.”

Look for the caduceus icon to access KACC information.

The Fort George G. Meade app is free and can be downloaded from any app store. The app is available in the PUMA app store and is approved for government phones.

For more information about the app, call 301-677-5592.

BACKGROUND

Fort Meade stands at the forefront of national security through its cyber defense and offense efforts and continues to grow in importance in the technology universe. With more than 100 years of service, we are the nation's platform for intelligence, information and cyber operations. The installation is the largest employer in the state of Maryland with a joint force of 56,000 civilian and military professionals working around the clock in defense of the nation. We are the second largest Army installation in the continental United States in terms of personnel and home to all branches of military service. We have 119 partner organizations located on our installation including U. S. Cyber Command, the National Security Agency, the Defense Information Systems Agency, and the Defense Information School, as well as federal agencies such as the Environmental Protection Agency Environmental Science Center.

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