



Joint Family Support Assistance Program

September 2008

MFLC and CYB-MFLC Responsibilities

- **Develop community capacity through outreach to community agencies and groups**
- **Provide psycho-educational groups addressing life skills, military lifestyle topics, and the effects of deployment and reunification on children and youth**
- **Facilitate the connection of families to supportive military and civilian resources**
- **Support mobilization, demobilization, and reintegration activities**
- **Although the majority of work will likely involve community capacity building, MFLCs and CYB-MFLCs at times will provide non-medical, short-term, solution-focused counseling services to individuals, couples, families, and groups**

What You Have Been Doing

- **Collaboration with Veterans Affairs and Vet Centers**
- **Utilizing webcasts/webinars to deliver information**
- **Working with State Universities to assist military students**
- **Collaborating with Department of Education and Department of Health**
- **Information and referral during natural disasters**
- **Connection to Chaplains and Marriage Enrichment Programs**
- **Connection to GWOT Outreach teams**
- **Assistance with Summer Youth Camps**
- **Psycho-education with wounded warriors and their families**
- **Development of Grief Networks**