



CHILD AND YOUTH PROGRAMS

**PERMISSION TO PARTICIPATE
IN
MILITARY AND FAMILY LIFE CONSULTANT
(MFLC) SERVICES
86 FSS Child & Youth Services**

MFLCs provide non-medical, short-term, situational, problem-solving counseling services. This non-medical counseling is designed to address issues that occur across the military lifestyle and help Service members and their families cope with the normal reactions to stressful/adverse situations. The consultants can support the programs in many ways, such as:

- Observe, participate, and engage in activities with children/youth
- Provide direct interventions in classrooms, camps, or Family Child Care settings
- Assist staff in managing and setting boundaries
- Model behavioral management techniques and provide feedback to staff
- Be available to staff to discuss interactions and other concerns
- Outreach to parents when they drop off and pick up children
- Facilitate small groups with children to help with developmental skills
- Conduct trainings for staff and parents.

- MFLC services follow the Department of Defense guidelines for individual and group counseling services.
- MFLC services are provided by DoD contractors.
- All MFLC consultants are licensed professionals

These consultants provide support to staff, volunteers, parents, and children in the Child and Youth Services Flight. They remain in line of sight of the program staff and do not meet alone with children under the age of 18.

Please complete the section below to be kept in your child’s file.

I acknowledge the presence of the MFLC in my child’s program.

I, _____, (printed sponsor/legal guardian’s name), give my permission for _____ (printed child’s name) to participate in individual, group, and crisis intervention consultant services during program hours.

I, _____, (printed sponsor/legal guardian’s name), **DO NOT** give my permission for _____ (printed child’s name) to participate in individual, group, and crisis intervention consultant services during program hours.

Sponsor/Guardian’s Signature _____ Date _____