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RFI #5: Childcare Resources



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- 5a. Current and new initiatives to expand childcare support to Service members (e.g., 24/7 facilities).
 - Significant budget increase FY19-23
 - Implemented human capital strategies to enhance hiring and retention of qualified staff
 - Deployed initiatives to increase number of Family Child Care providers to expand child care capacity
 - Expanded community child care options for families assigned overseas (not near a U.S. military installation)
 - Enhanced the Expanded Child Care Program
 - Partnered with Installation Mission Support Center on facility shortfalls



- 5b. Current and new initiatives to increase awareness of childcare options and resources.
 - MilitaryChildCare.com
 - "FCC and Your Family" Booklet
 - Expanded role of Family Child Care (FCC) Coordinators to Community Child Care Coordinators
 - Installation primary point of contact for information about military and civilian child care services
 - Builds community partnerships and networks to maximize availability of child care
 - Consults with commanders, unit leadership, and familities on community resources
 - Educates families on child care subsidy options

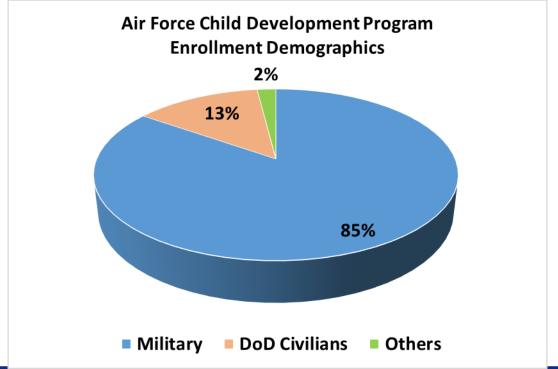


- 5c. Current or pending policies to enforce Child Development Center (CDC) priorities via revalidation of enrolled children vice those with a higher priority on the waiting list.
 - Waiting list priorities are established in accordance with DoD Instruction (DoDI) 6060.02, "Child Development Programs (CDPs)"
 - Space available patrons are notified at time of enrollment their space must be vacated if a higher priority patron requires child care
 - Parents receive 30 day written notice if their child care space is needed



- 5d. Provide percentage of childcare slots at CDCs filled by children of Service members.
- 5e. Provide percentage of childcare slots at CDCs filled by children of DoD civilians.

■ 5f. Provide percentage of childcare slots at CDCs filled by others.





QUESTIONS?