Family and Parenting after Military Deployment: Issues and Interventions Webinar

Wednesday, April 26, 2017 (12 - 1 p.m.)

Target Audience
Physicians, physician assistants, nurse practitioners, nusrses, social workers, counselors, psychologists, and other health care professionals.

Description
In this presentation, Dr. Curry will review findings from multiple research studies on the common family or parenting issues during post-deployment reintegration that are reported by military members. These issues are embedded in what has been termed "the family cycle of deployment"; and they involve the relationship of the military member and his/her partner; the couple as parents; and their children.   Examples include role changes in the family that occur with deployment and post-deployment; communication between the deployed parent and the family; and re-entry into a parenting role after returning home. The presentation will also introduce participants to several of the prevention or intervention models that have been developed to help military families to negotiate these tasks, such as the FOCUS program, and Project ADAPT. Finally, the presentation will include an introduction to an on-line parenting course that aids parents returning home to families with children of different ages.

Objectives
- Describe the family cycle of deployment, and commonly experienced family and parenting issues facing military members when returning home after deployment.
- Review several prevention and intervention models that have been developed to help military families (including veterans) to cope with post-deployment family or parenting challenges.
- Discuss an online parenting program for general use by military or veteran families.

Fee
There is no fee for this web conference.

Agenda
11:55 a.m.	Log-on and Dial-in
12 noon	Web Conference
12:55 p.m.	Question and Answer Session
1 p.m.	Evaluation and Adjournment

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Speaker
John F. Curry, Ph.D., ABPP received his B.A. in philosophy from Villanova University and his doctorate in clinical psychology from the Catholic University of America. He is a Fellow of the American Psychological Association and a diplomate in clinical psychology of the American Board of Professional Psychology.   He is currently Professor in the Department of Psychiatry and Behavioral Sciences Duke University, and a psychologist with the Mid-Atlantic Veterans Integrated Service Network Affairs Mental Illness Research, Education, and Clinical Center (VISN-6 MIRECC). At the MIRECC he leads the Family Interest Group, which includes researchers and practitioners involved in family-centered care across the VISN. He has given multiple AHEC presentations and workshops on child and adolescent treatment.

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