

A joint venture by:

- Riley/Geary Domestic Mediation Services (RG Mediation) at Kansas State University, and
- Heartland Mediators Association (HMA)



MEDIATING WITH MILITARY FAMILIES

September 15, 2017

Manhattan, Kansas

8:30 a.m.—5:00 p.m.



The Training

Military families are special. They have special needs, special benefits, and some special challenges, especially during a divorce or separation. This training will provide domestic mediators, attorney-mediators, attorneys, and other social service professionals with information and resources to better equip them to work with military families. The presenters will focus on the development of parenting plans and referral resources that address the unique needs of military parents and their children. The presentation will include information on the effects of combat trauma and stress on service personnel and their families, and how those factors exacerbate the stress of divorce.

Sponsors

Riley/Geary Counties Domestic Mediation Services at Kansas State University and Heartland Mediators Association (HMA) are pleased to partner in this important effort helping to support our military families.



Agenda

- 8:30—9:00 a.m. Registration & Coffee
- 9:00—10:00 a.m. Cultural Overview of Military Families—*Tonya Ricklefs, M.S.W., Ph.D.*
- 10:00-11:00 a.m. Children of Military Divorce—*Aline Cole Barrett, M.A., J.D.*
- 11:00-12:00 p.m. Trauma Informed Care—*Susie Massoth, M.D.*
- 12:00—1:00 p.m. Lunch (provided)
- 1:00 –2:30 p.m. Panel—Domestic Mediation with Military Families: How can we best serve these families? - *Ft. Riley JAG, Judge, Domestic Mediator, & Psychiatrist & Brain Injury Expert*
- 2:30-2:45 p.m. Break
- 2:45-3:15 p.m. Q & A
- 3:15-3:45 p.m. Resources for Military Families—*Carolyn Tolliver-Lee, M.Ed., M.S.*
- 3:45-4:45 p.m. Ethics Jeopardy—*Art Thompson*
- 4:45-5:00 p.m. Closing Statements & CLE/ CME Certificate Distribution

Registration Fees

- Non HMA Member -Attorney/Mediator
\$175 (KS CLE, Ethics, & CME)
- HMA Member—Attorney/Mediator
\$150 (KS CLE, Ethics, & CME)
- Non HMA Member
\$100 (KS CME)
- HMA Member
\$85 (KS CME)
- Students
\$30 (No KS CLE, Ethics, nor CME)

Lodging

A block of rooms have been reserved at a special rate of \$99.95. **For discount, please give the group code of MED before August 21, 2017.** Reservations can be made by contacting:

Holiday Inn at the Campus
1641 Anderson Avenue, Manhattan, KS

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