



GIVE PARENTS A BREAK is funded by the Air Force Aid Society and sponsored by the 6 FSS Squadron to support Active Duty military families with unique stressors. MacDill families may be referred to this program by their Commanders, First Sergeants, and Chaplains. GPAB Referral Certificates must be obtained from the Military and Family Readiness Center.

ELIGIBLE PARENTS INCLUDE:

- ✓ SPOUSE ON A DEPLOYED OR REMOTE TOUR OVER 30 DAYS
- ✓ SPOUSE ON AN EXTENDED TDY
- ✓ PARENTS WHO HAVE EXPERIENCED A FAMILY CRISIS
- ✓ PARENTS WHOSE CHILD HAS SPECIAL NEEDS
- ✓ SPOUSE HAS BEEN WORKING EXTENSIVE EXTENDED SHIFTS

Important Information about GPAB:

• **FREE** for eligible dependents (ages 8 weeks-12 years) of Active Duty Air Force families. Must be assigned to 6th ARW, 927th ARW, COCOM or Tenant Unit on MacDill. In addition, you must meet one of the specific AFAS qualifying needs above in order to be eligible to receive four (4) hrs of FREE child care at Child Development Center #3. Please contact the Military & Family Readiness Center at 828-0145 to learn how you may obtain a Certificate of Referral.

(Note: if you do not meet the requirements for free child care, you may still sign up at CDC #3 and pay \$20 to receive this care.)

• Complete details and information provided at enrollment.

Enrollment/Reservations Information:

ALL CDC ENROLLMENT REQUIREMENTS MUST BE MET PRIOR TO RESERVATIONS BEING MADE

Children with SPECIAL NEEDS, FOOD ALLERGIES or INTOLERANCES must enroll at least 3 weeks prior to session date and meet with the Director/Designee. Complete information is needed for appropriate care requirements to be determined.

Valid 2021 GPAB Certificate of Referral must be presented to make a reservation.

Current Vaccine Administration Record, from MacDill Immunization Clinic, showing proof of all required immunizations, must be presented to make reservation.

Reservations must be made at least one week prior to the date of GPAB session

Advanced reservations, for the duration of GPAB Referral Certificate, may be made if all requirements are met.

CONTACT INFORMATION:

For more information regarding the program:
Child Development Center #3, 828-0195

For GPAB Certificate of Eligibility:
Military & Family Readiness Center, 828-0145, ext 1

For Med Group Immunization Clinic hours:
827-9377



2021 GPAB Schedule of Sessions:

MONTH	DATE OF SESSION	LAST DAY TO SIGN UP	SESSION & TIME
April	Friday, April 23rd	Friday, April 16th	Evening Session 6:00 pm - 10:00 pm
May	Saturday, May 15th	Friday, May 7th	PM Session 12:00 pm - 4:00 pm
June	Friday, June 11th	Friday, June 4th	Evening Session 6:00 pm - 10:00 pm
July	Friday, July 8th	Friday, July 6th	Evening Session 6:00 pm - 10:00 pm
August	Saturday, August 14th	Friday, August 10th	PM session 12:00 pm - 4:00 pm
September	Saturday, September 11th	Friday, September 3rd	AM session 8:30 am - 12:30 pm
October	Saturday, October 16th	Friday, October 8th	AM session 8:30 am - 12:30 pm
November	Friday, November 12th	Friday, November 5th	Evening Session 6:00 pm - 10:00 pm
December	Saturday, December 11th	Friday, December 3rd	Evening Session 6:00 pm - 10:00 pm

Note: Please sign up no later than the Friday before each upcoming Give Parents a Break Session