



REPLY TO
ATTENTION OF

DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY
UNITED STATES ARMY GARRISON FORT HUNTER LIGGETT
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MEMORANDUM FOR US Army Garrison Fort Hunter Liggett (USAG FHL) Soldiers and Civilians
with School Age Children

SUBJECT: FHL Policy #41, Educational Neglect

1. REFERENCE.

a. AR 608-18 Army Family Advocacy Program, 30 October 2007

b. Memo, ASD (FMP), SUBJECT: *Policy Changes for Submitting child and Spouse Abuse Information*, August 22, 1997, paragraph 9b (3).

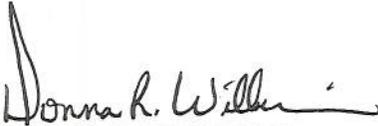
2. PURPOSE. This policy is to provide guidance to USAG FHL Soldiers and civilians on the definition of Educational Neglect and its designation as a form of child maltreatment and is reportable as such.

3. APPLICABILITY. These procedures are applicable to all military and/or civilian personnel assigned to and or under the operational control of USAG FHL with school age children.

4. All school age children residing on the FHL military installation (K-12) are required to be enrolled in either a public school, private school, or registered as an official home school through *the Monterey County Home Charter School System* (www.monterey.k-12.ca.us). Additional Home Schooling registration, enrollment, and information can be obtained through the Child, Youth and School Services (CYSS) School Liaison Officer (SLO).

5. POLICY. Educational neglect is a type of child neglect that includes knowingly allowing a child to have extended or frequent absences from school. This includes neglecting to enroll the child in some type of home schooling or public or private education or preventing the child from attending schools for other than justified reasons.

6. PROPONENT. The Directorate of Family, Morale, Welfare and Recreation (DFMWR) is the proponent for this policy. POC is the Director of DFMWR at (831) 386-2910.


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