



*"The Symposium will impact my work immensely... I will be forever grateful for this experience."*

*"I am grateful that this conference exists. Keep up the great work!"*

*"I look forward to attending many more."*

*"I always enjoy attending these and am already looking forward to attending next year and bringing more co-workers with me."*

*"The staff was incredible. Extremely busy 2 days and the staff was always friendly with a smile."*



## REGISTRATION INFORMATION

The Arizona Coalition for Military Families and our public & private sector planning partners invite you to attend the:

### 2026 Statewide Symposium in Support of Service Members, Veterans & Their Families

April 15 & 16, 2026

#### EVENT INFORMATION & REGISTRATION LINK:

[www.ArizonaCoalition.org/Symposium](http://www.ArizonaCoalition.org/Symposium)

Register by March 20th for discounted rates and to be entered to win a complimentary registration!

#### Who Should Attend?

Representatives of the military, government & community, including:

- Health care & allied health professionals
- Mental health providers & social workers
- First responders
- Managed care providers
- Veteran service organization members
- Employers & HR professionals
- Veterans & family members
- Community members
- Military personnel (Active Duty, Guard, Reserve)
- Educators (early childhood, K-12, higher-ed)
- Faith-based community representatives
- Attorneys & legal advocates

#### QUESTIONS?

[symposium@arizonacoalition.org](mailto:symposium@arizonacoalition.org)

#### PRESENTED IN PARTNERSHIP BY:



The Arizona Coalition for Military Families is a nationally-recognized public/private partnership focused on building Arizona's statewide capacity to care for and support all service members, veterans, their families and communities. The fiscal sponsor for the Coalition is Technical Assistance Partnership of Arizona, a nonprofit, 501(c) (3) tax-exempt organization.



# 2026 Statewide Symposium in Support of Service Members, Veterans & Their Families

## THE 16th ANNUAL SYMPOSIUM WILL FEATURE:

- Two days of programming focused on increasing knowledge, skills & abilities for serving the military, veteran & family population
- 36 different breakout session topics across 12 tracks
- Opportunities to network with representatives from the military, government & community
- A networking reception at the end of day one
- Exhibitor fair with programs and resources to assist service members, veterans & their families
- For information about CEU's please visit the symposium landing page at: [www.ConnectVeterans.org/symposium](http://www.ConnectVeterans.org/symposium)

**The Symposium will include general sessions, exhibitors, experiential learning opportunities and 36 breakout sessions focused across twelve tracks:**

### DAY 1 - APRIL 15

-  AZ's Military & Veterans
-  Basic Needs, Benefits & Beyond
-  Faith & Spirituality
-  Tribal Focus
-  Employment
-  Community-Based Efforts

### DAY 2 - APRIL 16

-  Challenges & Barriers
-  Health & Wellness
-  Family & Social Supports
-  Clinical Practice & Skills
-  Advancing Suicide Prevention
-  Regional Town Halls

## SYMPOSIUM LEARNING OBJECTIVES:

- **Strengthen** Arizona's capacity to care for and support the military, veteran & family population by engaging individuals and organizations from the military, government and community
- **Provide** training to increase the knowledge, skills & abilities of partners, providers and community members to provide effective care and support to service members, veterans & their families
- **Promote** the provision of integrated care and support through an inter-disciplinary emphasis
- **Create** a forum for partners to network and connect on a cross-sector basis and to learn about available resources for service members, veterans & their families in the public and private sector

**View the complete event agenda, including breakout session topics at:**

[www.ArizonaCoalition.org/symposium](http://www.ArizonaCoalition.org/symposium)

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## WHAT CAN YOU DO AT THE SYMPOSIUM?

- Network with 500+ attendees
- Connect with 40+ exhibitors
- Learn new skills & strategies
- Develop your resource knowledge
- Experience a slice of military life
- Hear from community leaders
- Get involved in statewide initiatives
- Earn Continuing Education Units



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Desert Willow Conference Center  
4340 E. Cotton Center Blvd | Phoenix, AZ 85040

## REGISTRATION FEES

Registration includes Symposium programming, breakfast, lunch, snacks and continuing education units. All attendees are invited to the networking reception at the end of day one with refreshments and music.

	EARLY BIRD (through 3/20)	REGULAR (after 3/20)
<b>2-Day Registration</b> Wednesday & Thursday	\$255.00	\$295.00
<b>1-Day Registration</b> Wednesday or Thursday	\$155.00	\$175.00

Registrations received by March 20th will be entered into a drawing for a complimentary registration (fee will be refunded for recipient).

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**Payment can be made by check, purchase order or credit card.**

### **SPECIAL RATES: Thanks to our sponsors and partners, the following special rates are available:**

- Full scholarships are available to those who would not otherwise be able to attend and to help offset travel costs for those paying out of pocket and coming from outside of central Arizona.
- There is a 25% discount for Be Connected partner organizations and military/veteran community helpers (discount codes will be emailed.)
- Group registration rates are available for 3+ and 8+ people from one organization.

**For more information on all special rates and links, please visit: [www.ArizonaCoalition.org/symposium](http://www.ArizonaCoalition.org/symposium)**

**POLICIES:** Requests for cancellation must be received by 3/24/26 at [symposium@arizonacoalition.org](mailto:symposium@arizonacoalition.org). Registrations may be transferred. For special accommodations, including dietary restrictions, please email [symposium@arizonacoalition.org](mailto:symposium@arizonacoalition.org) no later than 4/1/26.

**SPONSORSHIP & EXHIBITOR INFORMATION:** Symposium sponsorship and exhibitor opportunities are available. Please email [symposium@arizonacoalition.org](mailto:symposium@arizonacoalition.org) for more information. NOTE: Exhibitor registration is separate from participant registration and must be confirmed in advance.

**We look forward to your participation!**

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