



SPECIAL NEEDS

What You
Need to Know
About the
Multidisciplinary
Inclusion Action
Team

What is Special Needs?

A special need is a medical, developmental or behavioral condition identified and validated by a healthcare provider.

What is MIAT?

The MIAT team is a group of representatives comprised of: the Exceptional Family Member Program, Child and Youth Services and the Army Public Health Nursing – all working together on behalf of Families to determine the safest and most appropriate placement for child/youth with special needs.

The MIAT process is a CYS requirement for all children with special needs. It is initiated upon verified sponsorship eligibility and through completion of a health-screening tool and relevant medical documents during registration at CYS Parent Central Services.

CYS is a service we are proud to offer to our military Families and we make every attempt to include children in the programs that best fit their needs.

Every child will receive a recommended care plan based on the information presented.

Joint Base Lewis-McChord MIAT Team

CHILD AND YOUTH SERVICES COORDINATOR

Phone: 253-966-2977

CYS PARENT CENTRAL SERVICES

Phone: 253-966-2977

SCHOOL SUPPORT SERVICES

Phone: 253-967-7195

FAMILY CHILD CARE

Phone: 253-967-3039

EXCEPTIONAL FAMILY MEMBER SYSTEM NAVIGATOR

To email, call, schedule an online appointment, sign up for the EFMP newsletter and more please use the following link:

<https://JBLM.armymwr.com/programs/EFMP>

MIAT APPOINTMENTS

253-967-9705

TRICARE APPOINTMENT LINE

1-800-404-4506

MADIGAN PATIENT ADVOCATE

253-968-1145

CYS NURSE

253-477-2116

SPECIAL NEEDS DIRECTOR

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