

# QUICK BRIEF

The Barry Robinson Center (BRC) is the nation's first residential treatment center to serve only military connected youth. BRC designed its program to serve youth from military families, and we're experts in helping families that are geographically distant. Our staff – many of whom have a military connection – understand the unique challenges that military families face.



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## KEY POINTS

- Non-profit behavioral health system 501 (c)(3)
- Working solely with military families
- Average length of stay, 5-6 months
- Serving youth ages 11-17



## SERVICES INCLUDE

- Medication assessment and management
- Psychological testing
- Individual and family therapy
- Therapeutic classroom
- Recreation therapy
- Music therapy
- Art therapy
- Equine assisted learning
- Facility therapy dog

## TREATMENT FOCUS

- Trauma
- ADHD
- Attachment
- Depression
- Anger
- Aggression
- Poor school performance
- Self-destructive behaviors
- Dual diagnosis for substance use

## PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS

- Serving youth since 1933
- 24-acre open campus
- Two staff psychiatrists and 24/7 nursing care
- Facilities include dormitories, gymnasium, cafeteria and clinic
- Accredited, licensed school with small class sizes, online learning options
- Activities include Scout troop, choir and guitar ensemble, gardening
- Spiritual counselor and voluntary religious activities
- Registered dietitian
- Community outings

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At BRC, military families find a supportive community to help with the treatment of behavioral health challenges in the youth we serve. **BRC has been honored to serve more than 500 military families from over 46 states and 7 countries.**

## Campus Photos



## From a former family...

"I can't thank you enough for having the patience to help my daughter. She is doing so well now and has a new focus and outlook on life. I am so very proud of her. She even told me that I am her role model and she has never said that before. She now actually wants to spend time with me as opposed to being with friends. I am so excited for her future now. Thank you!"

## From a former family...

"We were familiar with other area facilities and, from day one, it was clear this would be a very different experience. The campus is beautiful and feels like a nice boarding school, not a locked psychiatric facility. Extracurricular opportunities like music, choir and Scouts were offered. The staff is engaged, caring and committed. The use of extensive family involvement ensures the entire family has an opportunity to heal together. The treatment plans are carried out in stages to allow everyone to feel confident at the time of discharge. Follow up care is carefully planned. Insurance issues are handled seamlessly. All of these factors allowed us to focus solely on our child's needs. It has been over three years since my son 'rang the bell.' He is a happy, well adjusted, thriving young adult with a bright future. He still speaks fondly about his time at BRC! I cannot offer enough gratitude for the life changing care they provided."



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