

Relocation Assistance Program Newsletter

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Getting Answers on the Move!

If this is your first time moving to a new duty station or if you have been around the block a few times, moving can always be a challenge. Luckily, the Relocation Assistance Program is here to help and provide those answers about your new adventure.

If you are just arriving here at Camp LeJeune, come join us at the **“Welcome Aboard Brief”**. You can also visit one of our locations for individual assistance or to pick up a comprehensive “Welcome Package”. It contains everything from the “Newcomers Guide” to flyers of special events. We can answer all those little questions and help you on your way to feeling at home.

If you are moving to a new duty station, join us for one of our workshops.

“Making the Right Move Workshop” is for those moving within the United States. Join us for relocation tips and get all the information about your moving entitlements and benefits.

The “Moving Overseas Workshop” is for those moving to an overseas location. Come learn about shipment of personal property, travel pay, culture, medical screening, pay entitlements and more.

Making the Right Move Workshop
**11 Jun, 6 Aug,
22 Oct & 10 Dec**
Moving Overseas Workshop
14 May, 16 July, 10 Sep & 18 Nov



Moving Workshops
are held at the
Russell Marine and
Family Service
Center
From 0900-1200

Need to borrow items from our Loan Locker?

The Loan Locker Program provides the basic essentials to service members and their families in order to set up a temporary household for 30 days. These services are available while you are just arriving here at Camp

LeJeune, getting ready to leave to a new duty station, or anytime in between.

We have many items available such as: kitchen appliances (coffee makers, microwaves, and toasters), dish packs, pot and pans,

fold out mattresses, irons, ironing boards and more.

We do not provide furniture or linens.

Please see us at the Russell Marine and Family Service Center, Bldg 40 room 104 for assistance.

Special points of interest:

- We also have an electronic version of our welcome package online: mccslejeune.com
- A “Welcome Aboard Brief” is held at the Reception Center Mon-Fri at 1000

Are you buying or selling a home?

If you are considering purchasing a home or selling one, come learn from the experts at our “**ABC’s of Buying and Selling a Home Workshop**”.

The workshop provides consumer education on such topics as the different types of mortgages, interest rates, VA loans and information, and qualifying procedures.

A Financial Advisor is on hand to answer all those

money questions and to help direct you in regards to your financial future.

We also provide many tips and techniques on how to choose the right home for you and your family.

If you are selling your home, you will also benefit by learning about the current market and what to do to make your home more attractive to buyers.

Literature and handouts are provided. We also have a reference library available if you would like to check out one of our books!

All you need to do to register for our FREE workshop is call the Relocation Assistance Program at (910)449-9704.

The workshops are held from 6-9 pm on the following dates:

Aug 13 Nov 5

Moving with your pet!

Pets can be both a great pleasure and quite a challenge when moving to a new location. Being realistic and planning can save heartache and trouble.

Being in the military, you will be moving sooner or later. As a pet owner, be aware that there are many considerations when traveling and moving with a pet.

Always keep in mind that if you will be residing off base, that some rentals will not allow pets or may have some restrictions. If you are relocating overseas, you may have additional restrictions for that country. The cost of pet travel is also your responsibility.

To best prepare for all those challenges, start research as soon as you receive your new orders. The Relocation

Assistance Program can provide checklists and contact information on your new duty station. Your base veterinary clinic and the Passenger Transportation Office are also great places for pet information.

To research your new base, you may also visit the militaryhomefront.dod.mil website.



The Relocation Assistance Program has two locations

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Visit us on the Web!
www.mccslejeune.com

The Relocation Assistance Program has two office locations to better service Camp LeJeune.

Our main office is in the Russell Marine and Family Service Center (Bldg 40), which is situated on Brewster Blvd. Our Relocation Office is in room 104. Please visit this location for our loan locker services and for our workshops!

Our other location is in the Reception Center (Bldg 60) where you will also find services such as Base Housing, Tricare, Vehicle Registration, and the ID card center. The Relocation Office can be found in rooms 148 and 152.

Please let us know if you have any questions about our services or would like to sign up for one of our workshops!