

# **About SPARX Connection**

SPARX Connection is an online community of practice designed to foster collaboration and learning among DoD professionals working to prevent child abuse and neglect, domestic abuse, harassment, sexual assault, and suicide.



#### MEMBERSHIP

Civilian and uniform personnel in the DoD and Coast Guard are invited to join.



#### PURPOSE

This online resource is focused on addressing opportunities and challenges common across DoD's prevention workforce. This type of collective learning is critical to advancing the use of research-informed activities to address issues faced by the DoD community. By working together, members will have the greatest impact!



### TOPICS

Members will find prevention resources from a variety of policy areas, including:

- Child abuse and neglect
- **Domestic abuse**
- Harassment

Suicide

Sexual assault 



Members can access resources provided by the Military Departments, Military Services, National Guard Bureau, and the Coast Guard. Plus, members are just one click away from directly accessing the Service offices most directly involved in integrated prevention efforts.



#### DISCUSSIONS

Members with questions or ideas can post in the Discussion area. Learning and sharing with each other helps the entire community!



Welcome to DoD's only online prevention community of practice!

## **SPARX** Connection Resources

SPARX Connection is intended to be a one-stop shop for those working prevention efforts across DoD. To facilitate easy access to the range of resources, the site is organized in the categories shown below.



Members can visit each category for content posted by OSD and Service policy offices as well as by other members.

# **Join today!**

### Just two quick steps to join...



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Create an All Partners Access Network (APAN) account at www.apan.org using your .mil email.

Search within APAN for "DoD SPARX Connection Community," click on the page that shows up in the search results and click the link provided to request access.

To ensure membership is restricted to the DoD community, please provide your ".mil" email address when requested.

