



# TEEN RESILIENCE DURING QUARANTINE

A WORKBOOK FOR TEENS AND PRETEENS WHO WANT TO OVERCOME THE CHALLENGES ASSOCIATED WITH COVID-19, WHILE CAPITALIZING ON OPPORTUNITIES TO GROW AS A FAMILY

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#### **WELCOME!**



#### Welcome to the Teen Resilience Workbook!

The Ready and Resilient (R2) mission is to help Soldiers, Family Members, and DA Civilians learn mental and emotional skills that will allow them to live a resilient life. Our mission is to help you perform better under pressure, to effectively manage life's stressors, and to thrive in your relationships, communities, and personal life.

This workbook was designed to help you build and maintain your resilience while you spend more time at home with your families due to COVID-19. We recognize that this situation poses unique challenges and opportunities. We designed this workbook to help maximize your time by building stronger connections, becoming more self-aware, and learning skills that will help you overcome challenges.

Some skills and activities are designed to be done alone, while others will serve as a great opportunity to connect and learn more about those you care about.

We hope that you enjoy the workbook and take advantage of this opportunity to strengthen your mental toughness.

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#### WHAT IS RESILIENCE?

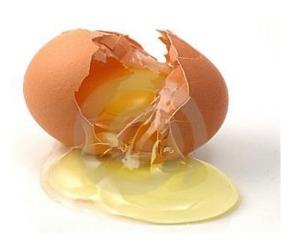


Resilience is the ability to **grow** and **thrive** in the face of challenges and **bounce back** from adversity.

# You



# **Not You**



When you hear the word resilience, what are the first 3 words you think of?

- Bouncy
- Strong
- Messy



# **WHAT IS RESILIENCE?**



| Resilience Facts                                      |  |
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| Resilient people know when and how to express emotion |  |
| Asking for help is a resilient strategy               |  |
| Resilience isn't always pretty                        |  |
| Everyone can develop resilience                       |  |
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| What are 3 ways that you have already been re | esilient |
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| during this challenging time?                 |          |

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#### **RESILIENCE COMPETENCIES**



#### 1. Self-Awareness:

Reflecting on how you think, feel, and act



# 2. Self-Regulation:

Keeping your emotions and actions in check



### 3. Optimism:

Maintaining a hopeful and realistic outlook



#### 4. Mental Agility:

Being flexible and accurate in the way you think



#### 5. Strengths of Character:

Know your strengths and how to use them



#### 6. Connection:

Building and maintaining strong relationships





## **COMPETENCIES**



| Name one core competency you think you are <u>STRONG</u> in and WHY:       |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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| Competency:  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Why I am strong in this competency:  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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| Name one core competency you think you <u>NEED</u> IMPROVEMENT in and WHY: |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Competency:  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Why I need improvement in this competency:                                 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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