

# PERSONAL FINANCE NEWSLETTER



## Permanent Change of Station Series Recap

We have recently hosted a series of 3 webinars focused on issues related to military family transitions. The concerns military families have when given Permanent Change of Station (PCS) orders are varied, and impact more than just finances.

In this series, we have covered the process of buying a home using a VA Home Loan and some red flags to watch out for before buying a home in the “Dispelling the Myths of the VA Home Loan” webinar.

[MilitaryFamiliesLearningNetwork.org/event/29433/](https://MilitaryFamiliesLearningNetwork.org/event/29433/)

The process of renting a home or acting as a landlord was the topic of the next webinar in the series, “Landlord-Tenant Protections for Military Members.”

[MilitaryFamiliesLearningNetwork.org/event/22048/](https://MilitaryFamiliesLearningNetwork.org/event/22048/)

In April, we discussed research around military transitions and reviewed many of the tools and resources available to military families and military service providers to ease the stress of military moves in “Research and Tools for Supporting Military Transitions.” [MilitaryFamiliesLearningNetwork.org/event/30355/](https://MilitaryFamiliesLearningNetwork.org/event/30355/)

Each 90-minute webinar was recorded and is available for viewing now. CEUs for AFCs and CPFCs are also available by successfully passing a 10-question quiz.

Learn more about this series here: [MilitaryFamiliesLearningNetwork.org/pcs/](https://MilitaryFamiliesLearningNetwork.org/pcs/)

## Financial Planning Tips for Women

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Women face unique financial differences from men related to longevity, career differences, and family responsibilities. They are also less likely to remarry and more likely to live alone in later life. Half of women in their mid-50s today will live to be age 90.

The American Savings Education Council (ASEC) recently held a program that focused on special considerations that women face in achieving financial security in later life. A key point was that the decisions that women make in their younger years will greatly affect their standard of life later. One speaker advised “make a positive difference in your financial life because you will be the one that is stuck with it.”

Read 10 financial planning tips for women here:

[MilitaryFamiliesLearningNetwork.org/2019/04/09/financial-planning-tips-for-women/](https://MilitaryFamiliesLearningNetwork.org/2019/04/09/financial-planning-tips-for-women/)

## Welcome!

An exciting agenda of professional development webinars are on our calendars for the next several months!

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Our MoneyTalk with MFLN Personal Finance podcast series is a good way to catch up on our webinar topics, quickly and conveniently.

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## Mark Your Calendar!

### MAY Gender and Finances

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### JUNE Insurance Principles and Resources: What Financial Educators Need to Know

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### JULY Staying Safe Online: Protecting Your Finances and Data

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### AUG. The Relationship Between Health and Finances

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