



# **ARRPA Informational Brief**

## **Oklahoma National Guard**

### **Wellness Center (H2F)**





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## Agenda

- National Guard Mental Health Care
- Scourge of Military Suicide and Sexual Assault
- Mental Health Staff
- Wellness Facility

## National Guard Mental Health Care

- Common Misconception: State Guard members are NOT automatically Veterans and are NOT covered by health care or eligible to seek mental health services at VA facilities.
- State Active Duty Examples:
  - Murray Bombing
  - Moore Tornado
  - COVID-19
- Non-combat Related PTSD
  - Sexual Assault

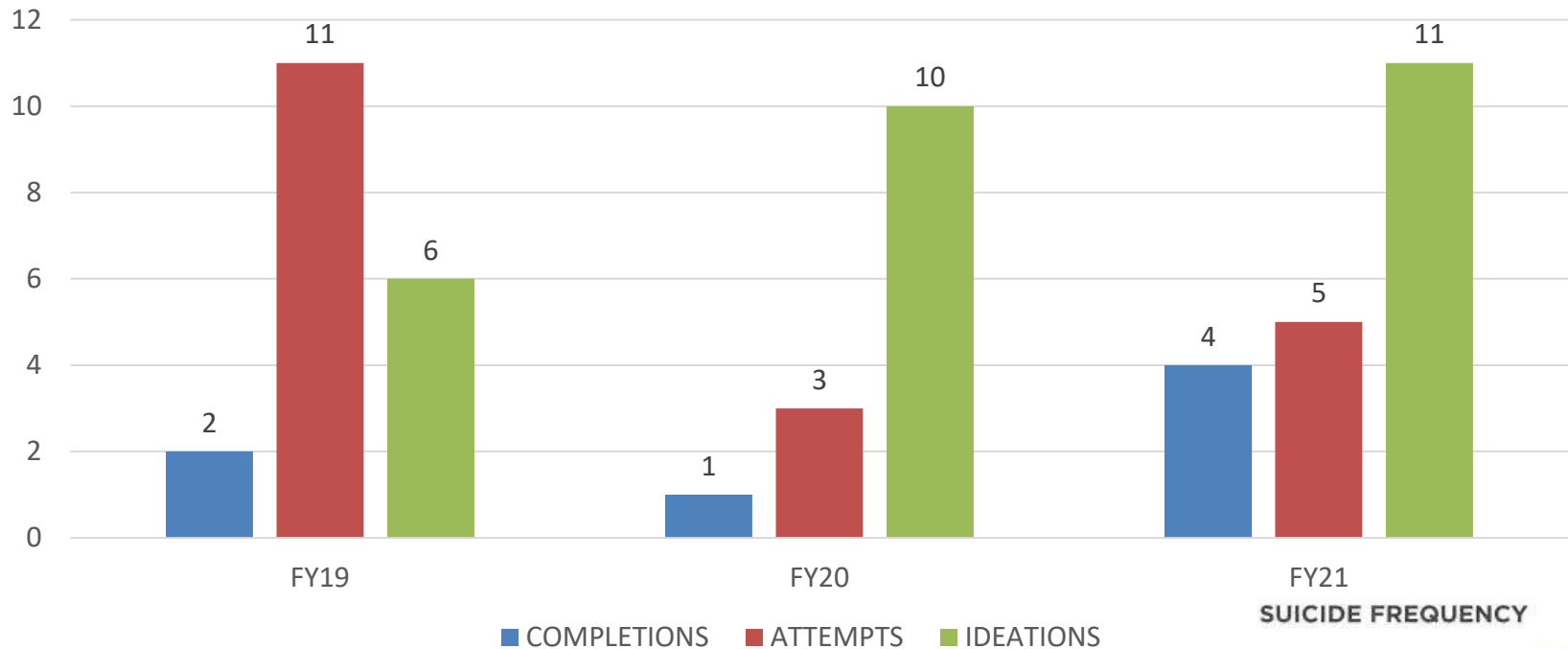




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## OKLAHOMA ARMY NATIONAL GUARD SUICIDE STATISTICS



Air Guard (past 3 years)

Ideation: 6  
Attempts: 2  
Suicides: 1

SUICIDE FREQUENCY

**22** PER DAY  
ONE EVERY  
**65** MINUTES



Source: Veterans Administration suicide report, February 2013



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## Mental Health Staff (>1m Fed Funding)

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child services

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mental health

member services



# Partnerships and First Responders

- We already work extensively with mental health partners. This facility will allow us to embrace and extend those relationships with partners such as:
  - Oklahoma Department of Veterans Affairs (ODVA) – pending MOA
  - University of Oklahoma
  - Oklahoma State University
  - Federal Veterans Administration
- Expand our partnership with State and local law enforcement and first responders
  - OHP and OSBI
  - Many of our service members are also first responders and we share a common culture and set of issues.



# Oklahoma National Guard Wellness Center

**Location:** RTI Complex (63<sup>rd</sup> and N Kelley)

(owned)

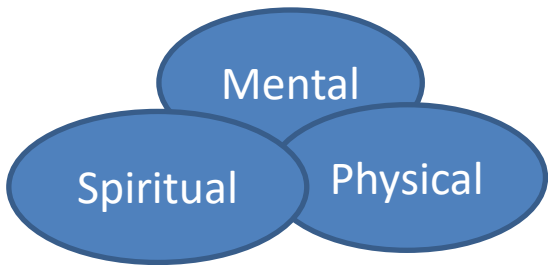
**Size:** 45,000 sf

**Price:** \$477.00 per square foot

**Furniture, Fixtures, Equipment:**

\$1,000,000

**Total project cost:** \$22,150,000



A Wellness Center, will be constructed on existing property in order to house a consolidated mental health effort designed to address the plague of mental health issues such as PTSD in the State's military. The facility is designed meet the comprehensive physical, spiritual, and mental health needs of the modern warrior including **sexual assault/harassment** and **suicide prevention**. Once constructed, on going maintenance will be covered by the Federal Government along with more than 1M dollars in Federal provided salaries for Family Readiness, Mental Health, and Sexual Assault positions.







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Thank you for helping us address systemic mental health issues in the Oklahoma National Guard.



# **Additional Projects**



# Thunderbird Challenge Program

**Location:** Pryor, OK

**Size:** 69,470 sf

**Price:** ~ \$443.00 per square foot (sf)

**Furniture, Fixtures, Equipment (FFE):** \$700,000

**Total project cost for ALL PHASES :** \$31,526,000

**Can be split into phases**

**Phase 1 (Requested) :** Barracks Wing Only

**Size:** 30,029 SF

**Price:** ~ \$457.00 per sf

**FFE:** \$178,000

**Total project cost:** \$13,927,000

**Phase 2:** Dining hall, Classrooms, Courtyard

**Size:** 39,441 sf

**Price:** ~ \$423 per sf

**FFE:** \$903,880

**Total Project Cost:** \$17,599,000



The construction of a new TCP building would simultaneously address security, modernization, and facility concerns. This state-of-the-art building would consolidate multiple buildings into one location making the program more efficient. This would also make the cadets more secure and safer than ever before, with the built-in dining facility and covered courtyard cadets would now be able to eat and train safely during the most extreme weather events in Oklahoma.



## Thunderbird Challenge Program Photos



Dining facility constructed in 1936. Undersized storage space for food. Fire damaged hallway and cold storage is in disrepair. Facility would be cost prohibitive to repair.



## Thunderbird Challenge Program Photos



Barracks built in the 1950s with outdated bathroom facilities. Open bay living areas don't meet current code and require modernization. Mechanical rooms are dilapidated.



## Joint Operations Center

**Location:** Chandler, OK  
**Size:** 6399 sf  
**Price:** ~ \$450.00 per square foot  
**Site Improvement:** \$1,700,000  
**Furniture, Fixtures, Equipment:**  
\$1,000,000  
**Total project cost:** \$8,000,000



The Joint Operations Center (JOC) and Secret Compartmentalized Information Facility (SCIF) would be combined into one usable space. This facility would be used by the Oklahoma National Guard Headquarters in critical times of need when called upon by the Governor. It would house the necessary critical equipment and backup power generation in order to deal with any State or Federal emergency. Currently both the JOC and SCIF are on the same compound in Oklahoma City.