



# PURPLE STAR USA 2023

NATIONAL CONVENING OF SCHOOLS & COMMUNITIES

## Calling All Purple Star Leaders!

### CALL FOR PRESENTATIONS

We’re accepting proposals for the 2nd Annual Purple Star USA National Convening of Schools and Communities, held virtually on Thursday, October 26, 2023, National Day of the Deployed. What better time to shine the light on the needs of our military-connected youth and families. We’re requesting training session proposals addressing the latest research findings, cutting-edge program successes, lessons learned or problems solved.

**OUR AUDIENCE**

Attendees will include administrators and liaisons from existing Purple Star programs, as well as interested non-Purple Star school staff, state agency representatives, Military Interstate Compact Commission representatives, military service providers, military-connected youth, families and community members.

**SEEKING DIVERSE REPRESENTATION**

To ensure diverse representation, we invite individuals and organizations from a variety of settings –including academia, non-profit, private sector, government agencies, healthcare systems, and provider agencies, as well as youth and families who have lived experience, to submit proposals for presentations focused on building resiliency for military-connected youth and families.



**DEADLINE: 25 August 2023**

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