

V I R T U A L M F R C : # M Y V O I C E

Many families are struggling this posting season, due to lack of affordable housing at posting locations.

“My daughter is moving back to Ontario this year. Housing will be a shock for their finances. PMQ’s appear to be in short supply. They won’t be living close enough to family for support. What the heck are they supposed to do?”

“I see families struggle when they are posted here to find a new home”.

“Families are forced to live apart because there is not enough military and/or affordable housing available. Many can’t afford to live close to work any longer”.

Question: How have you navigated the issue of lack of affordable housing in the past?



Post reach: 697 families



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Question: Postings are coming up. Pat and Leslie are just beginning to chat about a possible future posting. What would this conversation include?



“Career prospects for the non-military member, if applicable....For any career that involves transferring certification, that process could start any time.”

“100% housing access. Frankly even going on IR will likely be a bigger financial hit than it already was due to rising rents, even with the recent adjustment in IR reimbursement at some locations.”

Post reach: 525 families

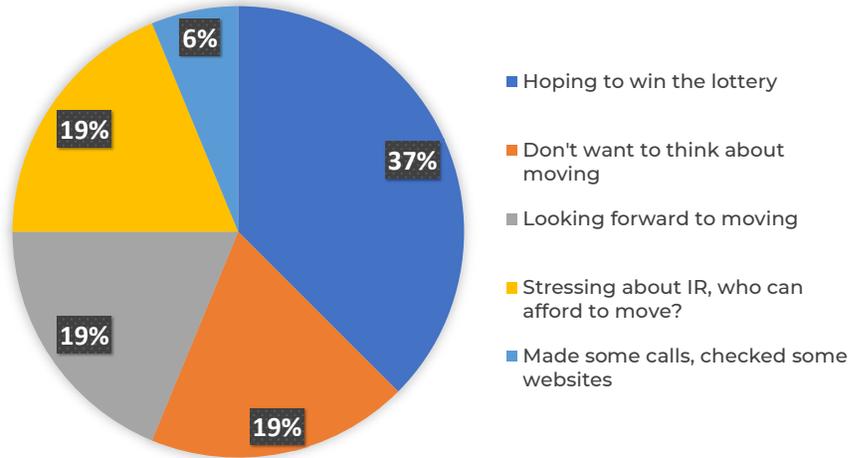


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Question: How is your research going in preparing for a posting message?



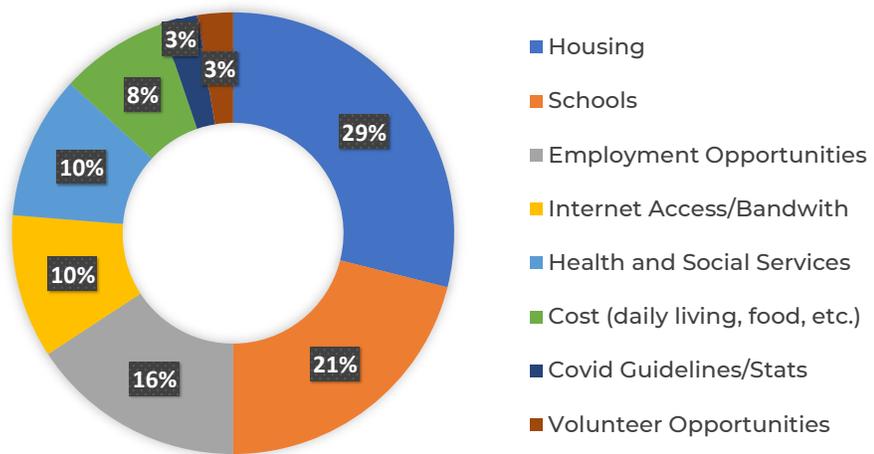
Post reach: 308 families



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Question: What areas are you researching in preparation of a new posting?



Post reach: 146 families



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VIRTUAL MFRC: #MYVOICE

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Question: Last week we talked about posting conversations and challenges. Some mentioned remote work as a possibility. Anyone working a remote job? How are you finding it?

Yes and grateful for it. Meant I could keep my job and didn't have to start from scratch again. Especially because we were only at the last location for 11 months, 6 of which were spent on job search

I don't particularly love remote work....but it has allowed me to get back onto the career path that I'd want even if I wasn't a military spouse. I'm thankful that it's an option because finding half decent in-person work in this area and many others is very difficult for spouses.

Post reach: 259 families

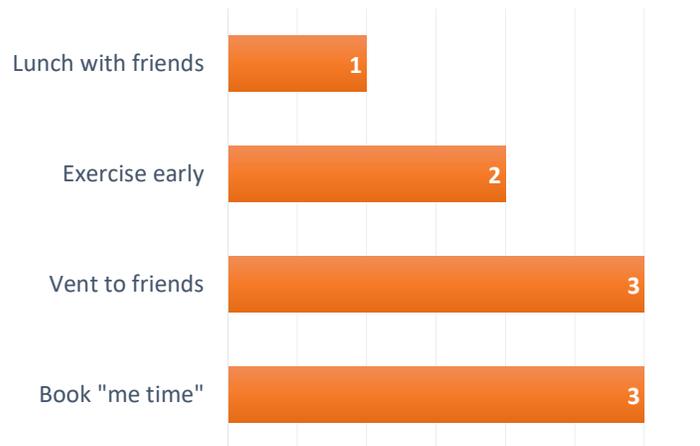


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Question: It's "heart month", there's lots to talk about healthy choices, but that can be tricky at the best of times, let alone during posting season...how do you prioritize your well-being?



Post reach: 190 families



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Question: We all know that postings can make employment really challenging. How have you found the job market these days in your current posting?



Post reach: 324 families