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## THE SECOND ANNUAL TRAUMA SPECTRUM DISORDERS CONFERENCE:

### A Scientific Conference on the Impact of Military Service on Families and Caregivers

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**Date:** Thursday, December 10, 2009

**Time:** 8:00 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.

**Location:** Natcher Conference Center, National Institutes of Health, Bethesda, MD

**Audience:** This educational activity is designated for clinicians and researchers whose work relates to trauma spectrum disorders. No special prerequisites are required to attend this educational activity.

This is the second annual collaborative scientific conference examining recent research on trauma spectrum disorders (TSD). This year's conference will focus on the impact of TSD on military and veteran families and caregivers across deployment, homecoming, and reintegration. The conference will examine the needs of families and caregivers in support of military and veterans with TSD, factors related to family functioning and reintegration, and effective approaches that facilitate treatment of trauma disorders and services to families and caregivers, paying particular attention to gender and health disparities. Next steps will be developed for addressing research concerns identified at the conference.

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**Fee:** There is no cost to participate in this conference.

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