

Carlisle Barracks hosting run to raise awareness of sexual assault, harassment

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Come join your friends and neighbors for a 5K run or walk designed to help bring awareness to and prevent sexual harassment and assault on April 14.

“Awareness is important because there is so much going on throughout the world and people are often afraid to report any type of sexual assault or sexual harassment,” Staff Sgt. Tanesha Dawkins, Victim Advocate, Dunham U.S. Army Health Clinic, who help organize the event. “If they are afraid then that is leaving the perpetrator out there to do the same thing to someone else. It is traumatic and NO ONE deserves it. We want people to know that they are not alone and it isn’t tolerated.”

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“I wanted an event to bring awareness and prevention not only to Soldiers and family members, but the community as well,” said Dawkins. “I wanted it to be a fun event to build esprit de corps.”

Registration is open now at

<https://www.imathlete.com/#/legacy?url=%2Fevents%2FEventOverview.aspx%3FfEID%3D68037>

through April 12. The cost is \$15 per runner and comes with a free t-shirt. Registration will be available the day of the event for \$20 starting at 8 a.m.

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