Florida Elks Children’s Therapy Services Mission:

⇒ Provide physical & occupational therapy to Florida children
⇒ 21 therapists provide in-home therapy at no cost to the families
⇒ For those without easy access and ability to pay

Florida Elks Youth Camp Mission:

⇒ Dedicated to enriching the lives of Florida children
⇒ Camp staff presents a safe camp experience
⇒ Contributes to campers’ mental, physical, & social growth
⇒ Call Camp Director for more info: 800-523-1673 ext. 239
Army of Hope Mission:
To provide aid assistance to the families of deceased, disabled, & deployed members of the military in Florida

Eligible Recipients:

⇒ Families of Florida active duty military personnel, military reservists, Coast Guard, National Guard, and/or their dependents

⇒ An active duty member stationed in Florida with his or her dependents would qualify as a Florida resident

What We Do:

⇒ Help seriously maimed & injured veterans return to society & daily life activities by:
  ― covering medical treatments not already covered for them such as wheelchairs, crutches, etc.

⇒ Aid families that have lost a family member in an Iraq or Afghanistan combat zone

⇒ Aid families with a temporary financial need when the military member of a family is away on duty

What We Help With:

⇒ School lunches
⇒ Medical or dental emergencies (not covered by insurance)
⇒ Car payments
⇒ Minor home repairs (plumbing, painting, etc.)
⇒ Auto repairs or transportation when needed

⇒ Fulltime or backup babysitting
⇒ Phone cards to call loved ones
⇒ Lawn mowing, landscaping, sprinkler repairs
⇒ A/C & major appliance repairs (water heaters, washers/dryers, etc.)
⇒ Clothing, shoes
Elks National Foundation Scholarships

- Provide more than $3.64 million in college scholarships
- Most Valuable Student Scholarships:
  - 500 4-year scholarships ranging from $1,000 - $15,000 per year
- Legacy Awards: merit based awards of $1,000 a year for 4 years for children and grandchildren of Elks
- Emergency Educational Grants:
  - one-year grants for children of deceased or totally disabled Elks

Elks National Drug Awareness Education Program:
The largest volunteer drug awareness program in the U.S.

- Elroy the Elk teaches young kids that hugs are better than drugs
- Older kids are taught about alcohol by wearing fatal vision goggles
- Annual poster and essay contests
- Red Ribbon Week
- Provide anti-drug literature to kids, parents, & teachers
- Drug Awareness Education Trailers are stocked with brochures, pamphlets, videos, PSAs, stickers, bookmarks, coloring books, crayons, & pens and brought to fairs, events, etc.

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