

## **Resources for establishing conscientious objector status**

### Conscientious Objection Resources

Source: Quaker House

<https://www.quakerhouse.org/>

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### Military counseling

Source: Resource Center for Nonviolence

<http://rcnv.org/programs/mil/>

### GI Rights Hotline

<http://www.girights.org>

The hotline is a network of nonprofit, non-governmental organizations who provide information to service members about military discharges, grievance and complaint procedures, and other civil rights. The Hotline and Web site are excellent resources for persons who have already signed up for the military and have changed their minds, or for persons serving in active duty or reserve roles who may be seeking a discharge.

### Resources on Conscientious Objection:

Questions for the Conscientious Objector

Source: Center on Conscience & War

[www.centeronconscience.org](http://www.centeronconscience.org)

This is a very helpful set of questions to help conscientious objectors understand the nature and depth of their beliefs about war and military service.

### Teen Peace Conscientious Objector Project

<http://www.teenpeace.org/>

### Courage to Resist Supporting the Troops that Refuse to Fight

<http://www.couragetoresist.org>

### Committee Opposed to Militarism and the Draft

<http://www.comdsd.org/>

## **Resources for alternatives to military service**

### A Guide for Alternatives to the Military

Source: Boston Direct Action Project

<http://bostondirectactionproject.blogspot.com/>

A booklet with local/regional information on options for jobs, job training, internships, and education for young people seeking alternatives to the military. A good model for local communities wanting to make alternatives to the military easily accessible to youth.

Project Yano (Youth and Non-Military Opportunities)

<http://www.projectyano.org/>

## **Responding to Military Recruitment in Schools**

The National Organization Opposing the Militarization of Youth

<https://nnomy.org/>

Five ways to counter military recruiting in your school district

Source: American Friends Service Committee:

<http://www.afsc.org/story/five-ways-counter-military-recruitment-your-school-district>

Military Recruiting Report to the Senate and House Committees on Armed Services <http://www.gao.gov/new.items/d031005.pdf>

This report reviews the effectiveness of military recruitment and advertising  
Military Personnel United States General Accounting Office

Babes in Warland

Source: Truthout

<http://truth-out.org/archive/component/k2/item/56972:victoria-harper--babes-in-warland>

A description of a Department of Defense promotional video that plays at Chuck E. Cheese restaurants where young children frequently have birthday parties.

The Recruitment Minefield Source: Rethinking Schools

[http://www.rethinkingschools.com/archive/19\\_03/recr193.shtml](http://www.rethinkingschools.com/archive/19_03/recr193.shtml)

Lengthy article about military recruitment efforts in high schools, and the truth behind them. Numerous quotes from high school students reflecting on their experience with recruitment.

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