For my evaluation, I am evaluating the Exceptional Family Member Program (EFMP) more specifically the Children’s/adolescent mental health resources/availability.

1. Are families and children/adolescents with mental health illnesses receiving the necessary resources and support?
2. Are families and children/adolescents with mental health illnesses receiving the same level of care as individuals with medical illnesses.
3. Is there an increased need for a pediatric mental health resource center at the EFMP?

Final Question:

Are families and children/adolescents with mental health illnesses receiving the necessary resources and is this level of support on par with that of medical illnesses?

After suggestion from one of my peers I have combined two of my questions that I feel are at the heart of my evaluation. I am going through statistical information relating to the numbers of dependents serviced through the EFMP and what type of condition they are enrolled for, which will help me answer my evaluation question.

Question:

Are families and children/adolescents with mental health illnesses receiving the necessary resources, if so are these resources and support on par with those offered for medical illnesses?

Are families and children/adolescents with mental health illnesses receiving crisis service contact information, therapy and residential/day school resources, parental support group resources and educational support?