

Nevada Department VFW Auxiliary
Veterans & Family Support Guide Sheet 2026-2027

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National Theme: America's Heroes

Department Theme: Solidarity in Action for Veterans Everyday

PROGRAM GOALS

Promote Post Traumatic Stress (PTS) & Secondary PTS, Veteran & Military Suicide & Mental Health Awareness

Promote and Participate in Activities with the Post to present VFW Programs

Promote Veterans and Military Support Programs

Assist Veterans, Active Service and their Families

Veterans and Family Support is the "root" of our organization. The name of the chairmanship is exactly why our members join the VFW Auxiliary to do. Under the leadership of the Veterans of Foreign Wars, we serve and support veterans, active-duty soldiers and their families of the United States because they are the ones that put their lives on the line for our country.

Working together we can reach the goals on top of this page. Each month you will receive bulletins with information and suggestions on how to do that. A hint to start: **The National Veterans Service** consists of a nationwide network of representatives who are ready to go into action for our **Veterans** and help them attain earned benefits. The **Military Assistance Program (MAP), Unmet Needs** and **Adopt-A-Unit** help **Active Service Members**. Your challenge is to get the information out in inventive ways and **report to me how you "spread the word"**. **Call me if you need help reporting — I'd be glad to help you!** I need your report to fill out my report to President Manke. **REPORT ALL YOU DO FOR OUR VETERANS, SERVICE MEMBERS & THEIR FAMILIES.**

National Awards for Auxiliaries

1. Citation and \$25 to one auxiliary in each of the 10 Program Divisions for the most outstanding promotion of VFW Resources for veterans. service members and their families.

An Entry form is required and is available in MALTA Member Resources. VFW Auxiliaries must send the required entry form to the VFW Auxiliary Department Veterans & Family Support Chairman by March 31, 2027, for judging.

Department Awards

Best overall promotion and/or event for Veterans and Family Support program. \$15 and Citation of Merit to the Auxiliary

MEMBERSHIP CATEGORIES

#1 -10-30	#2 -31-35	#3 -36-55	#4 – 56-69	#5 -70-89	#6 - 90-+
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Achievements	Completed	Reported
Promoted, participated, hosted, or co-hosted with VFW Post activities for any VFW Program (PTS & Mental health awareness, Disaster Relief, Military Assistance Programs, National Veterans Service, Unmet Needs) Explain what you did & for who		
Provided direct aid to Veterans, Service Members, and/or their families (meals, transportation, cards, packages, donations, etc. What did you do & for who?		
Number of Veterans, Service Members, and/or their Families assisted (name which one with # served).		
Promotion of Information about Post Traumatic Stress AND Secondary Post Traumatic Stress and mental health awareness		
Total monetary donations and/or value of donations and goods/serves provided to Veterans, Service Members		

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