VFW Auxiliary Department of Maryland

Legislative

December Promotion



Hi fellow Legislative Chairman, thanks for reporting your Auxiliary legislative activities. We are almost halfway through the year, but only 54% of our auxiliaries have reported. At your next meeting please report on these topics; Priority Goals, Suicide Prevention, Legislation to watch and Action Corp. Make sure to record activities on a legislative form and attach pictures or additional details.

Legislative information can be found on the VFW Aux Dept of MD web page and national information on MALTA.

Suicide Prevention

The Suicide Prevention Hotline Act of 2020 provides a national 988 resource / crisis hotline for anyone considering harming themselves or for families of veterans in crisis. The goal is to get them help before having a bad situation. By dialing 988 and pressing 1 a veteran in crisis can receive help 24 hours a day and seven days a week. Please share this information with your Auxiliary.

Legislation to watch

There are many bills working their way through the House and Senate. It is important to educate our members so they can be active in getting support of our elected representatives. Check the VFW Legislative Priority Goals link in MALTA or check out the Action Corp Weekly news letters..

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