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Veterans Inc. Hosts 2nd Annual Recovery Summit

More Than Our Past: Recovery and the Female Veteran Experience

Live Music, Panel Discussion, and Luncheon to Commemorate Female Veterans and Their Resilience in Recovery

WHO: Veterans Inc. is a leading provider of support services to veterans and their families.

WHAT: Veterans Inc. will host its 2nd Annual Recovery Summit with this year's theme of More Than Our Past: Recovery and the Female Veteran Experience. The event aims to honor the strength and resilience of female veterans, recognizing their past experiences while emphasizing the hope and opportunity for recovery. The event also provides a platform for education and awareness about female veterans' distinctive challenges and triumphs on their recovery journey. Our keynote speaker, Andrea Gayle-Bennett, a retired Brigadier General in the Massachusetts National Guard and currently the Deputy Secretary of the Executive Office of Veterans' Services (EOVS), will bring her advocacy and leadership experience to the event; and moderator Danielle Applegate, US Army Veteran and Chair of the National Coalition for Homeless Veterans will also address the challenges faced by homeless Veterans.

WHEN: Wednesday, September 20, 2023, from 9:30 am to 1:00 pm

- Welcome/Registration & Refreshments 9:30 am
- Speaking Presentation 10:00 am
- Panel Recovery Professionals Q&A 11:00 am
- Luncheon and Network Reception 12:00 pm

WHERE: Veterans Inc. Independence Hall, 59 South St., Shrewsbury, MA

****News media members are welcome to attend and photograph this event****

About Veterans Inc.

Veterans Inc. is New England's leading provider of support services to veterans and their families. A 501(c)(3) non-profit, the organization's single-minded mission is to be there for our veterans in their time of need. Incorporated in 1990, Veterans Inc. has helped more than 90,000 veterans in need and today operates offices and programs in all six New England states, Montana and North Dakota. The support services include housing programs, counseling, employment and training, family programs, benefits counseling and advocacy, behavioral health services, transportation, temporary financial assistance, health and wellness, food services, and women and childcare services.

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