

What Have We Done?

Lent our support by co-signing H.R. 5960, Homeless Veterans Assistance Act and H.R. 4746, Services to Prevent Veterans Homelessness Act. Provided testimony at Town Hall meetings around the country concerning veterans' entitlements, VA compensation, employment, and standardization of rules for surviving spouses.

Drafted Resolutions for Congress to include:

- *Protecting Women in Military from Sexual violence.*
- *Support of H.R. 4264, The Expansion/*
- *Development of Outreach Programs.*
- *Study of Increased Breast Cancer in Military Women.*
- *Treatment for Coronary Microvascular Syndrome.*
- *Female Specific Health Care.*
- *Appropriate Mental Health Care.*
- *Homeless Women Veterans.*
- *Support of H.R. 2385.*
- *Support of H.R. 4107.*
- *Appreciation of the Veterans Disability Commission.*
- *Support of Women Veterans Bill of Rights H.R. 809*
- *Support "Holly Lynn James" Act H.R. 1517, Policy on Sexual Assault and Domestic Violence*

Fostered associations with other organizations dedicated to the assistance and education of women such as the Business and Professional Women/USA (BPW/USA).

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"Let the generations know that women in uniform also guaranteed their freedom. That our resolve was just as great as the brave men who stood among us. And with victory, our hearts were just as full and beat just as fast, that the tears fell just as hard for those we left behind."

Anne (Sosh) Brehm
First Lieutenant
Army Nurse Corps, WWII

***SISTERHOOD UNITED FOR
EQUITY IN WOMEN
VETERANS ENTITLEMENTS***

Associate Application for National Association of State Women Veterans Coordinators, Inc.



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Veterans*

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Mission

The purpose of this organization is to exchange ideas, information and provide training to facilitate medical care and secure uniformity, equality, and effectiveness in providing these services to women veterans.

Furthermore, to identify issues of concern to the women veterans community, and develop recommendations to address these concerns through legislative, programmatic, and outreach activities.



Vision

Our vision is to have equal services throughout the country for women veterans, that these veterans be able to access all services in a timely manner, to ensure that women veterans are aware of their benefits, and for them to have a person they can contact should any questions or problems in receiving appropriate care arise

What Do We Do?

The NASWVC has been successful in providing a forum designed to keep women veterans' service providers and organizations as well as federal, state, and legislative representatives abreast of initiatives and concerns involving the women veterans' community. This organization is committed to ensure that the daughters of America Receive the same benefits as her sons, quality healthcare, benefits, and services. Annual conferences are held to receive briefings from VA and other veteran related agencies, conduct training, exchange ideas, discuss strategies, and develop recommendations for service organizations and government agencies. Areas addressed are:

Health Care & Research, Homelessness, Mental Health, Sexual Trauma, Benefits, Employment, Women in Combat Minority Women Veterans, Current Legislative Issues affecting all Veterans

These areas are by no means inclusive, but are merely indicative of the breadth of issues addressed by this organization. The NASWVC is also a strong advocate of Women In Military Service for America

(WIMSA), and supports this foundation through monetary donations and recruitment efforts.

NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF STATE WOMEN VETERANS COORDINATORS Associates Application

Please provide your address information EXACTLY as it must appear on your incoming mail.

Name: _____

Company/Organization: _____

Position: _____

Address: _____

City: County: _____

State: Zip Code: _____

Work Phone: _____

Cell Phone: _____

Fax: _____

E-Mail: _____

If you are a veteran please complete the information below:

The branch of service you served in: _____

Date you entered service: _____

Date you separated service: _____

Date Submitted: _____

NASWVC Associates annual fee: \$25.00

(Associate Card will be emailed to you)

Please make check out to: NASWVC

Send Checks to:

NASWVC Treasurer

C/O Gina Stamper

PO Box 5241

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Email Applications to:

Secretary@naswvc.com

Or send Applications to:

NASWVC Secretary

C/O Larri Gerson

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** Note: \$5.00 of every Associate's application will be donated to the Women in Military Service for America Memorial (WIMSA) in Washington, DC. Become a member by registering at: www.womensmemorial.org