Health & Comfort Program - 2021

This fiscal year 2021 DVNF has sent so far 6 shipments of our Health & Comfort supplies to stand-downs and other events around the country, for a total of 3070 kits and a fair market value of $66,224.03. By sending items like basic hygiene necessities, clothing, and so much more, DVNF helps thousands of homeless and low-income veterans to alleviate some of their financial strain.
DVNF also built vital partnerships through our Capacity Building Grants program. 22 organizations have been supported so far in 2021, with $335K in Financial Assistance, and this has substantially benefitted over 35,000 Veterans in 13 States. Funding programs like housing, PTSD, Financial Assistance, Suicide prevention, recreational therapy, yoga, and other unique approaches to combatting mental stress, have given countless veterans a new outlook on life.

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**2021 Spring Grantees**

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**$335,000.00**


**April 2021 Veterans Grab & Go Event**

DVNF served 117 veterans families and distributed 120 bags/boxes that included:

- Groceries
- Comfort Kits
- Face Masks
- Gift cards
- Veteran Resources Directory
- Free lunch
## 2021 Winter Grantees

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**Total Donation Amount:** $310,000.00
This year DVNF sent 7 shipments of our Health & Comfort supplies to stand-downs and other events around the country, for a total of 2650 kits and a fair market value of $188,415.00. By sending items like basic hygiene necessities, clothing, and so much more, DVNF helps thousands of homeless and low-income veterans to alleviate some of their financial strain.
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Total Donation Amount: $288,000.00

2020 Veterans Grab & Go Event

DVNF served 81 veterans families and distributed 100 bags/boxes that included:

- Groceries
- Comfort Kits
- Face Masks
- Gift cards
- Veteran Resources Directory
- Free lunch
Military Makeover Sponsorship

We are so thankful to be part of the special series - Military Makeover, which offers hope and a helping hand here on the home front to members of our military and their loved ones, transforming the homes and lives of military families across the country.

DVNF contributed with $40,000 to the special home improvement of the Army Staff Sergent, Daniel Burgess.

Daniel was working with Marines in Helmand Province to clear a village of 42 improvised Explosive Devices (IEDs). Tragedy struck as Daniel worked with a local villager to determine the location of an IED. Suddenly, a terrible explosion ripped through the Afghan desert. Daniel had stepped on a hidden IED. He lost his right leg, sustained severe damage to his left leg, and suffered traumatic brain injury, burns, fractures, and multitude of other injuries. The arduous recovery process from his catastrophic injuries is still ongoing.