



HELP HONOR AND EMPOWER WOUNDED WARRIORS

Over 40,000 members of our nation's armed forces have been physically wounded in Iraq and Afghanistan. Studies estimate more than 300,000 will suffer the effects of post-traumatic stress disorder (PTSD) and traumatic brain injury (TBI) (RAND survey, 2007).

Wounded Warrior Project™ (WWP) began when several veterans and friends, moved by stories of the first wounded service members returning home from the current conflicts, took action to help others in need. What started as a program to provide comfort items to wounded service members has grown into a complete rehabilitative effort to assist warriors as they recover and transition back to civilian life.



MISSION

To honor and empower wounded warriors

VISION

To foster the most successful, well-adjusted generation of wounded warriors in our nation's history

PURPOSE

To raise awareness and enlist the public's aid for the needs of injured service members; to help injured servicemen and women aid and assist each other; and to provide unique, direct programs and services to meet their needs

Denis Oliverio
Alive Day: October 14, 2005

DUTY ★ HONOR ★ COURAGE ★ COMMITMENT ★ INTEGRITY ★ COUNTRY ★ SERVICE

Thousands of wounded warriors and caregivers receive support each year through WWP programs designed to nurture the mind and body, and encourage economic empowerment and engagement.

MIND



Through interactive programs, outdoor rehabilitative retreats, peer support, and professional services, warriors are given the tools to maintain healthy, meaningful relationships with family and friends, and pursue life goals without the barriers or stigmas associated with mental health issues.

*"If it wasn't for Wounded Warrior Project, I would be a statistic right now."
- Wounded Warrior*

BODY



Through adaptive sports, health, nutrition, and recreational activities, WWP helps warriors achieve independence and pursue an excellent quality of life.

*"As I was laying in the hospital bed I never thought I'd be doing these things right now – doing things like snowboarding."
- Wounded Warrior*

ECONOMIC EMPOWERMENT



WWP offers higher education programs, information technology training, and employment assistance services to encourage economic empowerment for warriors to provide long-term financial stability for themselves and their families.

*"I appreciate the fact that [WWP] has helped me regain my self-worth. The classes are the highlight and bright spot for me. My family is getting their husband and father back."
- Wounded Warrior*

ENGAGEMENT



To ensure injured service members stay connected with one another, WWP has both a Peer Mentoring and robust Alumni program. Additionally, the Policy and Government Affairs program ensures injured warriors and their families have a voice in local and national advocacy and legislative issues.

*"WWP Alumni brings together so many guys from all across the country and lets them share their experiences with each other."
- Wounded Warrior*

For more information or to help, visit woundedwarriorproject.org.



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