IMPACT

Each year DLH hosts a two-month long "National Window of Service (NWS)" where employees across the nation are encouraged to give, volunteer, and serve in a variety of ways toward solving the plight of our homeless veterans in the communities in which we work. So from 9/11-11/11 (Patriot Day to Veterans Day) we offered this "Call To Duty" to all of our work sites and remote employees to get involved in a local initiative to help heal, house, or hire our veterans.

DLH employees, family, and friends volunteered and served in a variety of events. DLH is proud to say that in 2014 844 volunteer hours were given in service to veterans.

NUMBER OF DONATED ITEMS



ADLH National Window of Service 9/11 - 11/11



Includes donated items, sponsored events and volunteer time



Cares

2014 National Window of Service

Serving Those Who Have Served



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Few have given more to our Nation than the men and women who have served in our Armed Forces in peace and in war. DLH strives to fulfill its promise to serve Veterans by living a set of core values which defines who we are as an organization: Integrity, Commitment, Respect, and Excellence. Veterans trust that we will live these values, every day, in our work at medical facilities, CMOPs, and military installations.

Every year DLH sets aside a specific period to champion a volunteerism campaign to honor Veterans through local organizations and this year the results are overwhelming. Our desire was to capture the great volunteer work and compassionate giving the employees of DLH demonstrated in 2014. Our 1200+ employees are privileged to deliver the very best in compassionate and quality services in our work every day - a privilege that is extended to our committed volunteer efforts.

Zachary Parker President | Chief Executive Officer DLH Corporation



KICK-OFF

The September 11th launch of our National Window of Service included special events at sites across the nation. Each site participated in the 2014 DLH National Window of Service kick-off by hosting pizza parties, popcorn gatherings, ice cream socials and much more. All locations became a part of the DLH/NWS clothing drive to support homeless veterans in need with a variety of products.





Lancaster, TX



Loganville, GA





Charleston, SC





Chelmsford, MA

Atlanta, GA

VOLUNTEER EVENTS

When asked why people should participate in NWS activities, DLH Cares committee co-chairman, Abdulkareem Ghanayem stated:

"Volunteering is the perfect way to feel connected to our veterans. The simple act of offering our skills and enthusiasm will positively impact the lives of others, as well as our own. The intent of volunteerism is to both generate and harness the workforce's desire to assist in the overall improvement of the quality of life for our veterans. Each individual brings a unique perspective, which fosters relationships and interaction with others."











Vettes for Vets | Chelmsford, MA

On September 28, 2014, the DLH Northeast Consolidated Mail Outpatient Pharmacy (CMOP) in Chelmsford, MA participated in their second "Vettes for Vets" event at the Bedford VA Hospital. Veterans were escorted by 37 Chelmsford CMOP and Bedford VA volunteers through the car show. It was a great event for the veterans with over 525 Corvettes on display and an amazing lunch served by the team.

Coffee at Bedford VA | Chelmsford, MA

Serving coffee and smiles to the patients at the Beford VA on October 18, 2014 and November 1, 2014 DLH Volunteers from Chelmsford CMOP helped veterans being served at the facility get their treatment off to a warm start.















Heroes Hot Dog Festival | Atlanta, GA

On November 1, 2014 the DLH Atlanta Headquarters office hosted the first annual Heroes Hot Dog Festival at the Atlanta Veterans Empowerment Organization (VEO). The VEO is a non-profit organization on a mission to empower veterans by providing social reintegration programs to empower their lives. We honored over 60 veterans with an afternoon of carnival games, delicious hot dogs and hamburgers with all of the fixings, music, dancing, and a very exciting raffle of items to assist the veterans in their transition to reintegration.

Welcome Wagon Hines VA Hospital | Hines, IL

Veterans being treated at the Hines VA Hospital in Hines, IL were greeted by 43 DLH team members from the Hines CMOP when they ushered the facility's welcome cart to impatient floors. From 9/11 - 11/11, the team visited patients and supplied newly admitted veterans with comfort items to make their stay more pleasant.













Annual Veterans Luncheon | Dallas, TX

On November 6, 2014, employees from the Dallas CMOP hosted their annual Veterans' Luncheon. Our nation's heroes were served a delicious lunch by 40 dedicated volunteers.

Heart of America Stand Down | Leavenworth, KS

On November 7, 2014, the team in Leavenworth, KS served our nation's veterans by volunteering at the Heart of America Stand Down. The Heart of America Stand Down consists of groups and organizations from the greater Kansas City Metro who come together to provide assistance and help remove the barriers that prevent homeless veterans from re-entering society as engaged, productive citizens and live more fulfilling lives.

DLH Employee volunteers and members of the community served by escorting veterans around the facility, picking up items, assisting them at grooming stations, getting a hot meal, and providing various assistance as needed.









DONATION DRIVES

Hygiene products, clothing, winter items, and non perishable food items are always needed at local veterans' organizations. DLH employees across the nation have generously donated \$38,492 worth of items to VA hospitals, veteran's shelters and other veteran's organizations.

> "By helping our local veterans to reengage at home, we feel we have connected with them on a new level. We feel that the amount of time and effort, although small on a grand scale, was a great way to thank our nation's veterans and let them know they are not forgotten."

> > - Mark Hager, Facility Manager & Corey Williams, Administrative Assistant, Leavenworth, KS









JOB WELL DONE

Through the dedication of so many compassionate DLH employees, the 2014 National Window of Service campaign had a great impact on our nation's heroic veterans. Here's just one example of the gratitude that has been expressed for the great impact that DLH volunteers made during NWS 2014.

Well done!

"It is only through the generosity of others that the quality of life is improved for those receiving treatment at this facility." - Charles Ramey, Specialist, Department of Veteran Affairs





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