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The purpose of this regular New Jersey-wide Newsletter is to supplement the KOVA Strategic Plan, Dropbox and provide real-time resources to assist all public and private communities in the battle to alleviate veteran suicides. All future newsletter submissions may be sent to boblooby@embarqmail.com.

VA Focus This Issue - <https://www.va.gov/REACH/default.asp>. “Don’t Wait – Reach Out”! Use this site to get support specifically designed for you. If you are a family member or friend, you can also find resources that are designed specifically for the veteran in your life, e.g., anger issues, PTSD, chronic pain, financial difficulties, sleep issues and more. (Submitted by Rhonda Hart, Community Engagement & Partnership Coordinator, Corporal Michael J. Crescenz VA Medical Center.)

This Issue we highlight the NJ Veterans Network, “Uniform Hero Crisis Team” - The mission of the Uniformed Heroes Crisis Team is to aggressively seek out New Jersey First Responders/Veterans and their families and provide them the resources and solutions they need to live a better way of life. This can be accomplished by creating a network of Peer Support Team Members whose role is to identify veterans and connect them with resources & solutions designed to meet the unique set of veteran needs leading to unemployment, homeless, mental health issues, and causation to suicide. Contact Michael Boll to sign up and more details, 973-332-1556.

Next Issue – Examples of VSO’s programs for immediate use. Also always see the KOVA Strategic Plan and associated Dropbox for many resources, psa’s, videos, etc.

We Are One, Get Together & Get It (KOVA) Done!

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