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*Caring Professionals on a Mission to Serve.*



**COMFORT HOSPICE**  
*— and Palliative Care —*

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**Veterans Day: Honoring America's Veterans Includes Meeting their Unique Needs**

***Comfort Hospice & Palliative Care***  
*delivering Veteran-centric care to those who served our country*

(Alexandria, Va) – Many Americans do not realize that 1 in 4 of all deaths in the U.S. are Veterans. As the nation honors these American heroes for their military service on Veterans Day, November 11, it's important to remember that they also deserve recognition and compassionate care when dealing with a serious illness.

As a ***We Honor Veterans community hospice partner***, **Comfort Hospice & Palliative Care** is providing specialized care to Veterans who are facing a life-limiting illness. The National Hospice and Palliative Care Organization in collaboration with the Department of Veterans Affairs created ***We Honor Veterans*** to empower hospice and other healthcare providers across America to meet the unique needs of seriously ill Veterans and their families.

“Through ***We Honor Veterans*** we are taking a giant step forward in helping healthcare professionals and volunteers understand and serve Veterans at the end of life,” said J. Donald Schumacher, NHPCO president and CEO. “It is time that we step up and acquire the necessary skills and fulfill our mission to serve these men and women with the dignity they deserve.” **As a locally owned, and operated hospice partner, we have a deep sense of honor and appreciation anytime we have the opportunity to support and care for a veteran in our community.**

As we celebrate our nation's heroes this Veterans Day – and every day of the year – we must not forget that it is never too late to give them a hero's welcome home.

Learn more at [www.WeHonorVeterans.org](http://www.WeHonorVeterans.org).

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