



NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF  
Community Health Centers

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Dear NACHC Veterans Interest Group –

I hope this message finds you safe and healthy during these COVID-19 times. I am sorry we were not able to convene during the Policy & Issues Conference, which was cancelled due to coronavirus.

NACHC appreciates your service and care to your community and health center patients during these turbulent times. More than ever, our partnerships with other social service support and health care organizations is key. The Veterans Health Administration (VHA) has a specific COVID-19 response for its' patients and is regularly updating communications for Community Providers serving Veteran patients. See [https://www.va.gov/COMMUNITYCARE/docs/pubfiles/factsheets/FactSheet\\_20-40.pdf](https://www.va.gov/COMMUNITYCARE/docs/pubfiles/factsheets/FactSheet_20-40.pdf)

With an eye to the future, I'm pleased to announce our May 20<sup>th</sup> 1-2pm ET webinar, "Standardized Screening for Military Veteran Status", which will highlight the recent developments of the Iowa-based health center who experienced an enormous increase of identified Veterans in their existing patient population and UDS report. Details (including registration info) are available via NACHC's Training web page. <http://www.nachc.org/webinar-standardized-screening-for-military-veteran-status/>

We hope you can make it! Registration is free. Please spread the word.

Take care, be well, be strong.

Sincerely,

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