

1.5m

Florida Veterans



33%

Disabled Veterans who live in poverty

50%

Reduction in Veteran homelessness through community collaborations.

HOPE

Florida is home to more than 1.5 million Veteran families, many of whom have been especially hard hit by difficult deployments and economic, employment and housing challenges following military service.

For our former servicemen and women with visible and invisible wounds of war, the challenges can be far more difficult to overcome.

More than a third of America's older disabled Veterans (35-54) and one in seven younger Veterans (18-34) live in poverty.

For many of our neighbors who served, the difference between homelessness and despair or hope and independence can be bridged through temporary financial assistance to overcome a crisis or transition together with short-term case management, legal assistance, landlord mediation, and help identifying and accessing eligible benefits and affordable housing.

Together, we must honor our sacred trust to those who sacrificed for each of us. Together, we can end homelessness for America's Veteran families.

24/7

SUPPORT

TEXT

VETERAN

TO

67076

OR CHAT LIVE AT

411Veterans.com

### Contact Sacred Trust

Get help or give help to South Florida Veterans. Reach out for program eligibility, enrollment, partnership or volunteer opportunities.

Operation Sacred Trust  
9050 Pines Blvd., Suite 305  
Pembroke Pines, FL 33024  
(855) SSVF-411 (855-778-3411) x857  
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HONORING OUR SACRED TRUST TO THOSE WHO HAVE BORNE THE BATTLE AND THEIR LOVED ONES

Ending Homelessness for Veteran Families



# Stand Together

If you are one of hundreds of millions of Americans whose life has been blessed by the selfless service, sacrifice and dedication of America's Veterans, please join us in standing with these brave men and women during their time of need.



EVERY VETERAN FAMILY IS UNIQUE, AS IS THE APPROACH TO HELPING EACH CREATE A FUTURE IN WHICH THEY NO LONGER FACE THE HARSH REALITY OR CONTINUED THREAT OF HOMELESSNESS.

ENDING HOMELESSNESS FOR AMERICA'S VETERANS IS POSSIBLE. SUCCESS DEPENDS ON EACH OF US.

## IMPACT

Your volunteer time or contribution can go a long way to reaching and impacting struggling and at-risk local Veterans.

Just  
**\$50**

= groceries at move-in

# Holistic, Proven Best Practices

Through unique collaborations that integrate novel, proven best practices, OST has created cost-effective, holistic models for outreach, enrollment and service delivery that honors our sacred trust with those who have offered their lives to protect our own.

Funded by the U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs, OST's mission is to improve low-income

Veteran families' housing stability.

Our team provides outreach, rapid client-centered case management, resiliency and legal services and helps participants obtain VA and other public benefits, such as: financial planning, transportation, child care, housing counseling, landlord mediation, temporary financial assistance, and emergency supplies.



## Homeless Veteran.

In America, those are two words that should never go together. Yet for tens of thousands of men and women who have borne the battle, homelessness is their daily reality. Many, many more are one crisis away from losing housing and the most basic requirements for stable lives.

Since 2011, Operation Sacred Trust, OST, has led the way preventing and ending homelessness for Veteran families in Broward and Miami-

Dade counties, helping reduce homelessness among our community's former servicemen and women by nearly 50 percent and virtually ending chronic Veteran homelessness.

From inception, OST has been a collaboration of visionary social service leaders from diverse agencies and organizations working together towards a common commitment: Ending Veteran Homelessness.

## HELP NOW

Text HOME4VET to 67076 if you have a local room, apartment or home that could provide safe, affordable housing for a Veteran in our community.

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SACRED  
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