

HOSPITAL PROGRAM

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After you have played your April fools jokes, it's time to remember no fooling to get your final reports in for the Department of Florida

Final date for 23/24 reporting is April 15, 2024

No fooling, every auxiliary has stepped up this year to start new programs with honoring Veterans in Nursing Homes, Assisted Living, and Hospice locations.

Make sure you have done your reporting.

National Awards - Due by March 31

Go onto MALTA and fill out your forms and send to me so it is received by March 31, 2024

Citations for:

- Most outstanding activity or event that recognizes veterans on a non-traditional holiday event.
 - Citation and \$25.00
 - In each four-conference division
- Plaque for: "Hospital Volunteer Recruiter of the Year" to one auxiliary member for Recruiting most volunteers for VA/Non-VA from July 23 thru March 24
- Outstanding Hospital Volunteer of the Year in each of 10 program divisions.

DEPARTMENT AWARDS

- 1) OUTSTANDING ACTIVITY AND/OR EVENT RECOGNIZES VETERANS ON NON-TRADITIONAL HOLIDAYS. (SAME AS NATIONAL AWARD)
- 2) ONE AUXILIARY MOST OUTSTANDING INITIATION OF AN HONOR ESCORT PROGRAM
- 3) ONE AUXILIARY THE MOST CREATIVE VALENTINES TO VETERANS IN NURSING HOMES/ASSISTED LIVING
- 4) ONE AUXILIARY THAT HOSTS THE MOST OUTSTANDING EDUCATIONAL SEMINAR FOR **EDUCATING WOMEN VETERANS.**



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