

## Buddy Poppy & VFW National Home



### *Closing Out 2025 – Looking Ahead to 2026*

As we welcome January 2026, we also should take a moment to begin to wrap up our 2025 Buddy Poppy and VFW National Home reporting. Start fresh for 2026!



#### Why Your Reporting Matters

- ❖ Honors the impact your Auxiliary made
- ❖ Ensures compliance with Department and National requirements
- ❖ Strengthens future Buddy Poppy and National Home programs



#### IMPORTANT REPORTING DEADLINES!

All Buddy Poppy & VFW National Home Reports Must Be Submitted by: APRIL 15, 2026, reports should include all 2025 activities, including any completed April 16, 2025 through April 15, 2026. Timely reporting ensures proper recognition, award eligibility, and accurate Department records.

**Thank you, Dept. of Florida Auxiliaries, for your dedication, creativity, and unwavering support of our veterans, service members, and their families.**



QR Code Buddy Poppy



QR Code National Home

#### January – April 2026

##### Action Steps

- Continue Buddy Poppy distributions, donations, and educational outreach
- Continue fundraising and awareness efforts for the VFW National Home
- Review the Dept. & National Promotions to see what events you can plan for the remaining 2026 reporting year

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**Let's "Be the Lighthouse in Somebody's Storm and continue to "Build Bridges for our Veterans" in 2026!**

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