

## **FISCAL YEAR 2022**

## SOUTH DAKOTA IMPACT REPORT



Wounded Warrior Project® (WWP) began in 2003 as a small, grassroots effort providing simple care and comfort items to the hospital bedsides of the first wounded service members returning home from the conflicts in Iraq and Afghanistan. As their post-service needs evolved in their transition to civilian life, we've adapted our programs and services to support warriors and their families.

Your support connects injured veterans to life-changing programs and services and transforms the way our nation's veterans are empowered, employed, and engaged in your communities.

The following statistics represent state-specific WWP program activity and impact during the 2022 fiscal year (10.01.2021 - 09.30.2022)

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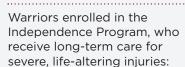
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veterans in your state\*

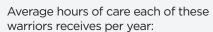


Warriors and family members registered with WWP:

463



2



266



Emotional support calls made to warriors and family members:

56



Participants in warrior-led support groups:

2



Economic impact of WWP Financial Wellness programs, such as Benefits Services and Warriors to Work:

\$616,673

Career coaching services provided:

1,047



In-person events:

**17** 





Virtual event participants:

**135** 



## **WWP IMPACT**

Your support ensures warriors like Angie never pay a penny for WWP's life-changing resources — they paid their dues on the battlefield.



"Wounded Warrior Project saved my life. I feel like I'm part of a family that's dedicated to helping each other heal."

WOUNDED WARRIOR

ANGIE PEACOCK



