



# WOUNDED WARRIOR REGIMENT

## Fact Sheet | DISCs

### Who We Are

District Injured Support Coordinators (DISCs) are an integral part of the Wounded Warrior Regiment's (WWR) support structure. DISCs are mobilized Marine reservists who act as the WWR Commanding Officer's representatives in the civilian community. They are located throughout the country to help wounded, ill or injured (WII) Marines transition from active duty or reserves to veteran status by facilitating access to Veterans Affairs benefits and assisting in managing non-medical needs.



*Approximately 30  
DISCs located across  
America serve Marines  
located in all 50 states*

### Where are DISCs Available?

DISCs are geographically dispersed across the country and are generally collocated with VA-operated medical centers, vet centers, and outpatient clinics offering primary and specialized care. This close proximity allows for direct coordination and resource sharing between the DISCs and VA health care providers.

### What Services do DISCs offer?

- Telephonic or face-to-face contact with WII Marines and their families requiring assistance.
- Assistance in connecting WII Marines to Department of Veteran Affairs (VA) and community resources.
- Referrals to VA OIF/OEF coordinators who help coordinate combat veteran care.
- Information on family and caregiver support services (i.e. respite care, scholarship opportunities, counseling support).
- Access to education and employment resources in their local communities (i.e. resume development, interview skills, network/employment opportunities, and application completion).
- Support in working with representatives from medical facilities, the VA, legal authorities, businesses, and non-profit organizations.
- Immediate access to the WWR's Medical Section and VA for psychological health resources and support, including referrals to local resources to ensure they receive timely and appropriate care.

#### WWR FACT SHEETS OF INTEREST

- WOUNDED WARRIOR REGIMENT CALL CENTER
- MEDICAL SECTION
- TRANSITION

#### Our Goal

The goal of the DISC is to return well adjusted WII Marine veterans to their communities with the knowledge and skills to self-advocate and help other WII Marines.

#### Who We Support

- WII active duty Marines transitioning to veteran status
- WII reserve Marines
- WII active duty Marines recovering in remote locations away from military or federal resources