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SUBJECT: Launch of Veteran Psychedelics Resource Page

Veterans across our nation know the lasting costs of military service. Too many return home forever changed, and effective treatments remain limited for some of the most persistent mental health conditions they face.

That's why DAV has launched Mindscapes, a new digital resource focused on emerging psychedelic-assisted therapies and their relevance to the veteran community. This effort reflects not only growing interest among veterans seeking alternatives for mental health conditions—particularly among those who haven't found relief through traditional care—but real scientific progress as well.

The page is informational and grounded in research, including the science behind these powerful and potentially healing compounds, and veteran voices sharing their therapeutic journey with psychedelics.

This resource provides context around why many veterans are exploring these plant medicines.

We recognize this is a complex and evolving topic. Our page positions DAV to be a responsible leader in the national conversation and strengthens our role as a trusted source of information while aligning with our resolution supporting continued research into psychedelics.

This launch is an opportunity to meet veterans where they are—seeking answers—while reinforcing our commitment to exploring every avenue that may improve their lives.

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