From July 1, 2023 to September 30, 2023, 844 new survivors grieving the deaths of 485 soldiers connected with TAPS services and support.

Q3 2023 Survivors Grieving the Death of their Soldier Who Died By

- Illness: 45%
- Suicide: 31%
- Accident: 13%
- Hostile: 2%
- Other: 9%

Military Deceased Was Their:
- Partner: 16%
- Parent: 9%
- Sibling: 10%
- Loved One (including extended family, friends, and battle buddies): 29%

- Active Duty: 54%
- Retired: 20%
- National Guard: 4%
- Veteran: 3%
- Reserve: 17%
- Other: 2%

- Red = Partner
- Gray = Parent
- Blue = Sibling
- Yellow = Loved One
- Green = Child
- Pink = Active Duty
- White = Retired
- Gray = National Guard
- Green = Veteran
- Green = Reserve
- Blue = Other

$344,000+
Retroactive benefits secured for USA survivors

$96.6M+
Value of educational benefits identified for USA survivors

1,000+
Survivors grieving the death of their Soldier attended a TAPS event

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FROM JULY 1, 2023 TO SEPTEMBER 30, 2023
2,338 NEW SURVIVORS CONNECTED WITH TAPS SERVICES AND SUPPORT GRIEVING THE DEATH OF 1,109 MILITARY MEMBERS

Since 1994, TAPS has provided comfort and hope 24/7 through a national peer support network and connections to grief resources for all those our military members loved and left behind.

To find an event near you to support military and veteran survivors navigating the holidays, please visit TAPS.ORG/FRIENDSGIVINGFRIENDSGIVING.

Q3 2023 TAPS SURVIVORS BY THEIR MILITARY LOVED ONE’S CAUSE OF DEATH

- 36% Illness
- 30% Suicide
- 12% Accident
- 20% Hostile
- 2% Other

*OTHER MANNERS OF DEATH INCLUDE FATAL ACCIDENTS, NON-SPORT, NON-CONRA, AND UNINJURED, AS WELL AS HOSTILE AND VETERAN IMPACT, WITH TAPS. NUMBERS MAY ALTER UPON CONNECTION WITH SURVIVORS.

Q3 2023 TAPS SURVIVORS BY RELATIONSHIP TO THEIR MILITARY LOVED ONE

- 30% Partner
- 24% Parent
- 22% Child
- 15% Sibling
- 9% Other

Military Deceased Was Their:

- 33,000+ Survivor connections with TAPS for comfort, care, and resources
- 25 Average number of new survivors connected each day
- 2,500+ Military survivors grieving the death of their military loved one attended a TAPS event
- 5,700+ Calls to the 24/7 Helpline
- $165M+ Value of educational benefits identified for TAPS survivors

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Please join us for our many virtual connections! The TAPS Institute, Online Community, TAPS Talks, Virtual TAPS Together, and Virtual Care Groups meet regularly at TAPS.ORG/Programs