FROM OCTOBER 1, 2020 TO DECEMBER 31, 2020
237 NEW SURVIVORS CONNECTED WITH TAPS SERVICES AND SUPPORT
GRIEVING THE DEATH OF 80 MILITARY MEMBERS WHO SERVED IN THE UNITED STATES MARINE CORPS.

SURVIVORS BY DUTY STATUS OF THEIR FALLEN MARINE
- 29% Active Duty
- 29% Reserve
- 8% Retired
- 5% Veteran
- 5% Unknown

SURVIVORS GRIEVING THE DEATH OF THEIR MARINE WHO DIED BY
- 13% Accident
- 24% Suicide and Suspected Suicide
- 24% Illness
- 18% Other or Unknown at the Time of Intake
- 5% Hostile
- 17% Illness

SURVIVORS BY RELATION TO THEIR FALLEN MARINE
- 19% Significant Other
- 20% Child
- 26% Parents
- 17% Extended Family, Friends, or Battle Buddy

- $42,185+
  Retroactive benefits secured for USMC survivors
- $3,956,000+
  Value of educational benefits connected with USMC survivors
- 1,330
  Survivors grieving the death of their Marine attended a TAPS event

Connect with TAPS 24/7
800.959.TAPS (8277) or TAPS.org

Learn More About Supporting Survivors!
TAPS.org/Institute

Connect with us on social!
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FROM OCTOBER 1, 2020
DECEMBER 31, 2020
1,865 NEW SURVIVORS CONNECTED WITH
TAPS SERVICES AND SUPPORT GRIEVING
THE DEATH OF 743 MILITARY MEMBERS

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

27 YEARS of honoring the lives and
legacies of America's Fallen Heroes

TAPS SURVIVORS BY RELATIONSHIP TO
THEIR MILITARY LOVED ONE

22% SIBLING
19% SIGNIFICANT OTHER
12% CHILD
12% PARENT
27% EXTENDED FAMILY, FRIENDS, OR BATTLE BUDDY

TAPS SURVIVORS BY THEIR MILITARY
LOVED ONE'S CAUSE OF DEATH

20% SUICIDE AND SUSPECTED SUICIDE
19% ACCIDENT
19% HOSTILE
3% ILLNESS
30% HOMICIDE, OTHER OR UNKNOWN AT THE TIME OF INTAKE

TAPS SURVIVORS BY DUTY STATUS

47% ACTIVE DUTY
3% GUARD
12% RESERVE
10% VETERAN
5% RETIRED
2% OTHER

$28.9M
Value of educational benefits connected
with TAPS survivors

50,200+
Resource kits, magazines, and
other correspondence

3,400+
Calls to
the 24/7
Helpline

235+
Virtual programs that
connected military
survivors to each other

21
Average number of
new survivors
connected each day

7,143+
Unique survivors connect-
ed with TAPS for comfort,
care, and resources

Connect with us,
Call the Military Survivor Helpline 24/7
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OR VISIT TAPS.ORG

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