From October 1, 2020 to December 31, 2020, 120 new survivors connected with TAPS services and support to grieving the death of 27 military members who served in the National Guard.

Branch of Service of Survivors:
- Army National Guard: 20%
- Air National Guard: 80%

Survivors Grieving the Death of Their National Guardsman Who Died By:
- Accident: 27%
- Suicide and Suspected Suicide: 5%
- Illness: 23%
- Other or Unknown at the Time of Intake: 2%

Survivors by Relation to Their Fallen National Guardsman:
- Significant Other: 24%
- Child: 13%
- Parent: 7%
- Sibling: 46%

Connect with TAPS 24/7 for information on how we can help National Guard survivors navigate retroactive benefits.

$2,652,647+ Value of educational benefits connected with National Guard survivors.

29 Survivors grieving the death of their National Guardsman attended a TAPS event.

Learn More About Supporting Survivors! TAPS.org/institute
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.

TAPS

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

TAPS SURVIVORS BY RELATIONSHIP TO THEIR MILITARY
LOVED ONE

19% = SIGNIFICANT OTHER
22% = SPOUSE
12% = CHILD
27% = PARENT

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

20% = ACCIDENT
19% = SUICIDE AND SUSPECTED SUICIDE
3% = HOSTILE
30% = ILLNESS
1% = ILLNESS

TAPS SURVIVORS BY DUTY STATUS

12% = ACTIVE DUTY
24% = GUARD
47% = VETERAN
10% = RESERVE
5% = RETIRED

$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

Call the Military Survivor Helpline 24/7
800.959.TAPS(8277)
OR VISIT TAPS.ORG

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

CONNECT WITH US ON SOCIAL!