PAVE YEAR END UPDATE

IMPACT + OPPORTUNITIES

2019 Client Placements: 371
A 27% increase over 2018

- 353 Veterans/Transitioning Service Members
- 44 Caregivers/Family Members

Success Stories:
EDNA JACKSON-JONES
“PAVE literally saved my life,” says Edna. “A PAVE counselor came into my life when I was about to lose everything. I was working part-time, but I was not able to make ends meet. The paid training program led to a full-time position and ultimately to the position I have now. I will be eternally grateful, and I cannot say thanks enough.”

Learn more about Edna’s story here.

SEAN FERRY
PVA Buckeye Chapter member and U.S. Air Force veteran Sean Ferry, who is paralyzed from the neck down, wanted to be an engaged and contributing member of society but was having problems finding a position where he could work from home and use adaptive equipment necessary for his disability.

A PAVE counselor helped Sean find a job working as a quality analyst for Jlodge. Learn more about his story here.

SETH THOMAS
Higher education continues to be an appealing path forward for many veterans who suffered catastrophic or severe injuries. Thanks to PVA and its PAVE Program, Seth, a Navy veteran and PVA member, is now on this path.

“The reason I am starting my bachelor’s degree is because I know it will help me pursue my goals that I have for my future. School has been something I never wanted to do but I know it’s important and I probably would not have started my bachelors yet if it weren’t for the little push from PAVE Counselor Jim Arndt.” Learn more here.

Learn more at pva.org/pave

Directors Report

Dear Stakeholders,

Thank you for your continued support in 2019. Due to your support, the PAVE team had an exciting and successful year, assisting more veterans, spouses and caregivers with meaningful opportunities than we have in the history of the program.

We look forward to working with you in the coming year as we roll out several new initiatives and services.

My best,
Lauren Lobrano

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Educational

- 55

Paid

- 294

Volunteer

- 22

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50

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