

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

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VLER identifies new information sharing opportunity between Eliminating Veteran Homelessness Major Initiative (MI) and the Presidential Employment Task Force (TF): Through VLER's participation in the Presidential Employment TF, we became aware that the Services and VA had concerns about the cost and efficacy of risk assessments for Servicemembers being discharged. VLER also discovered that the Homelessness MI has done a great deal of study in this area and developed an effective computer-based survey solution. VLER was able to merge this survey with its eBenefits strategy to offer the Presidential Employment TF a solution to these concerns. More importantly, through this partnership, the Presidential Employment TF will drive implementation of an early identification program for at-risk Veterans. This program will positively impact Veterans by notifying the VA's National Center for Homelessness of at-risk Servicemembers in order to assign case managers and proactively work with Veterans in order to eliminate homelessness.

ACTION REQUIRED: None; informational.

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