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Call starts at 4:30 pm ET

- **Adobe Connect**
 - Accessible outside the network – on your personal computer and phone.
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CONGRATULATIONS

Beth Ripley, CHAI Award Winner!!



During the COVID-19 crisis, Dr. Ripley leveraged the 3D Printing Network to fulfill unmet medical supply needs. Working with industry and other government agencies, she helped establish a cooperative to address VA medical supply shortages as they were identified. In collaboration with the National Institutes of Health (NIH) and the Food and Drug Administration (FDA), her team developed a solution to use 3D printing technologies to produce the medical products needed to respond to COVID-19. Dr. Ripley also stood up a website to connect health care organizations seeking 3D printing supplies to entities with 3D printing capabilities willing to provide these services. Under Dr. Ripley's leadership, the 3D Printing Network also provided engineering support for designing and evaluating printable designs for other organizations within the cooperative.

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Dr. Melinda Screws

Dr. Screws joined the Jacksonville VA Outpatient Clinics as the Chief Medical Officer in May of 2015. Since that time she has provided leadership as the clinics expanded to 3 sites, added new services and grew community partnerships, all in an effort to provide great service to our Veterans.



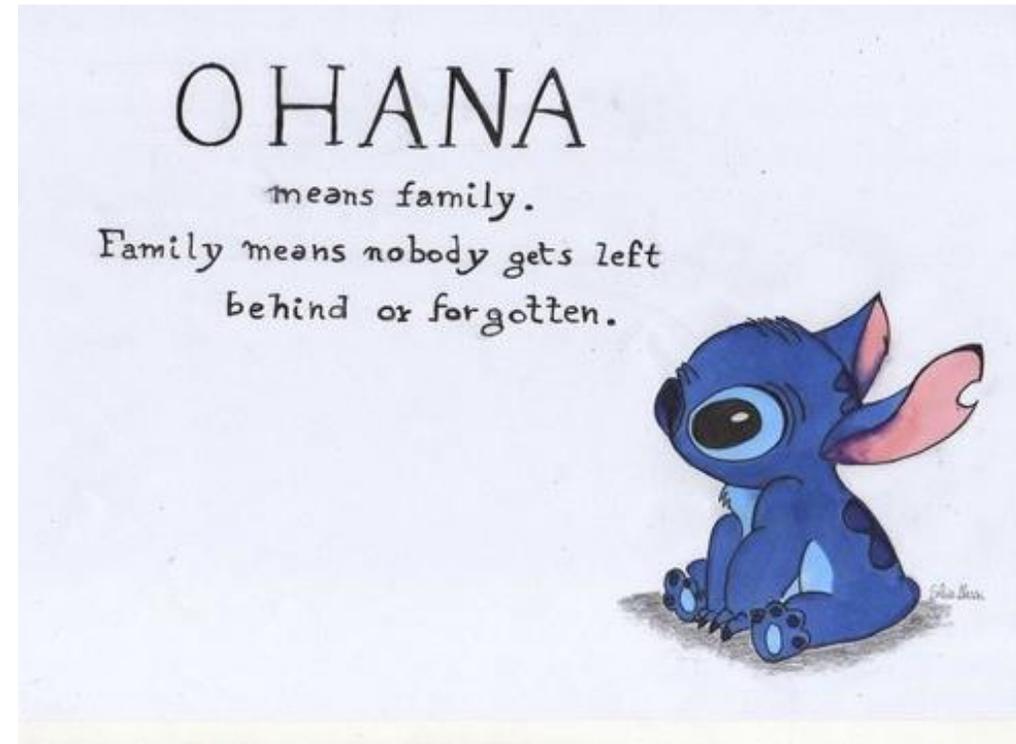
Mr. Sam Merrell

Samuel Merrell is a Gulf War Veteran and served in the United States Navy as a hospital corpsman, currently employed as a Health Care Technician at the VA Outpatient Clinic located in Jacksonville Florida for over 13 years with a combined total of more than 28 years of government service. He enjoys giving back to fellow Veterans and serving his country and community in any way possible to provide outstanding care to our customers and patients.

Thank you to Lynn Sialana, OTR ATP of VA Pacific Islands Healthcare System (Honolulu, HI) for sharing this important personal reminder!

From Lynn:

- “Being from Hawaii, and my husband being part native Hawaiian.. OHANA is a very important core value.
- We have tried to teach our 3 kids, no matter how crazy life gets, we always make time to take care of each other.
- No matter how inconvenient it is, you are never too busy to be kind.”



GOOD NEWS PAGE

The CHAI Award

COVID-19 Hero Award for Innovation

*An award to celebrate hard
work and innovation in the face
of COVID*

Not your average cup of Chai!

We would love to hear your stories!

Have good news, success stories,
innovative ideas from the front line, funny videos?

Please share them with us!

We will feature selected stories here!

- Please submit videos in .mov or .MP4 format
- Try to keep videos around a minute long
- If recording on a smartphone, shoot video sideways
- We plan to share one submission per *COVID in 20* episode.
- Be creative!

Link to CHAI Award Online Nomination [here](#).

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