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RE: USE OF VOLUNTEER CIVILIAN MENTAL HEALTH PROFESSIONALS  

WHEREAS: The VA has stated that it does not have enough assigned mental health professionals to treat the growing number of returning veterans with combat-related mental health issues; and  

WHEREAS: Health professionals have been receptive to public service commitments in the past. Therefore be it  

RESOLVED: That the VA approach the various mental health professional organizations and request their assistance in treating the veterans that the VA cannot handle due to its limited staff. If agreeable, the civilian mental health professionals will provide blocks of time that the VA will fill, providing the civilian provider with appropriate documentation and monitoring the process.  

RESOLVED: That copies of this resolution be forwarded to the National Adjutant and placed on the agenda of the MOPH National Convention for consideration of the delegates in assembly at Atlanta, Georgia, 10 August through 14 August 2004.  

Submitted by:  
Department of _________________ Signed: _________________  

______________________________ Date: ___________________  
Department Commander or Adjutant  

NOTE: Departments submit resolutions to the National Adjutant, MOPH Headquarters, by June 15, unless otherwise advised.