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## MEMORANDUM FOR SENIOR PENTAGON LEADERSHIP DEPARTMENT OF WAR AGENCY AND DOW FIELD ACTIVITY DIRECTORS

SUBJECT: Warrior Care Month Recognition 2025

Each November, the Department of War observes Warrior Care Month, a time to honor wounded, ill, and injured Service members, and to recognize the network of families, caregivers, and professionals who support their journey toward recovery and resilience.

Warrior Care Month highlights the Department's commitment to ensuring that every Service member receives the support, resources, and respect they deserve – during their time in uniform and as they navigate new phases of life. From medical care and rehabilitation to career transition and family support, warrior care is a team effort that reflects our shared values of dignity, respect, and readiness.

This observance also shines a light on the extraordinary work of caregivers, medical staff, recovery care coordinators, and support teams who walk alongside our Service members every step of the way. Their dedication strengthens our force and reinforces the foundation of trust that exists within the military community.

I encourage leaders and personnel across the Department to take time this month to recognize the strength, perseverance, and contributions of our wounded warriors and the community that supports them. Together, we uphold a culture of care where every individual is valued and empowered to thrive. For more information on Warrior Care Month, please visit www.warriorcare.mil.

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