

HOSPITAL PROMOTIONAL FOR AUGUST 2025

Good day to all;

I hope that you have started working your plan on how your Auxiliary will be helping the Hospital. Have you checked in with your Hospital Representative for TorC or Ft. Bayard?

They should already be contacting each hospital to assess patient needs. Begin preparing as the holiday season approaches.

What your Auxiliary can do to help the Veterans, Think about Sock Drives, goodies for a particular unit, or ward of the Hospital.

Remember, communication is key—whether through phone calls, emails, or in-person visits, and staying connected with hospital staff ensures we remain responsive and effective. Keep your teams informed of any updates and encourage everyone to participate, even in small ways, as every contribution can brighten a patient's day. Collaboration not only strengthens our ties within the Auxiliary but also improves our impact throughout the community.

As you organize your efforts, consider reaching out to community partners or local businesses for potential collaborations or donations—sometimes a simple ask can yield surprising results. Don't underestimate the impact of personalized gestures as well; handwritten notes, small crafts, or seasonal decorations can offer comfort and create cheerful spaces for both patients and hospital staff.

If you have new ideas or successful past projects, please share them with fellow Auxiliaries. Learning from one another strengthens our collective mission and helps us continually improve our outreach. Remember to document your activities, take photos (where permitted), and gather feedback so we can celebrate our achievements and refine our approach for the future.

To All Hospital Chairman during our Dept. Training, I handed out folders to either your President or Dist. President please make sure that you ask them for your folder this will

Give you the contacts and the information needed for your position as Hospital Chairman. Don't forget to keep your eyes open for the awards that will be given at the end of

Year, but most of all let's make that difference and help our Veterans.

For those that have not received your packet please contact me so I can plan for them to get to you. So, I need you to call me or President's if you can contact

Me on who is your Hospital Chair again that would be appreciated I would like to reach out to each of them.

Happy Hospital Days!!!!!

Barbara Santillanes

Dept. Chair of NM Hospital