

**Veteran and Family  
Support Bulletin  
September 2026**



Why wear the [Veteran & Military Suicide Awareness Blue Teardrop](#)?

It is the VFW Auxiliary's symbol to give this issue the attention it so desperately needs. Wear the teardrop to open a conversation; when asked what the teardrop is, share that it's to create awareness for veteran and military suicide.

The [Veterans Crisis Line](#) call 1-800-273-8255 and Press 1, chat online, or send a text message to 838255 to receive confidential support 24 hours a day, 7 days a week, 365 days a year. Find more great information at [vfwauxwi.org](http://vfwauxwi.org)