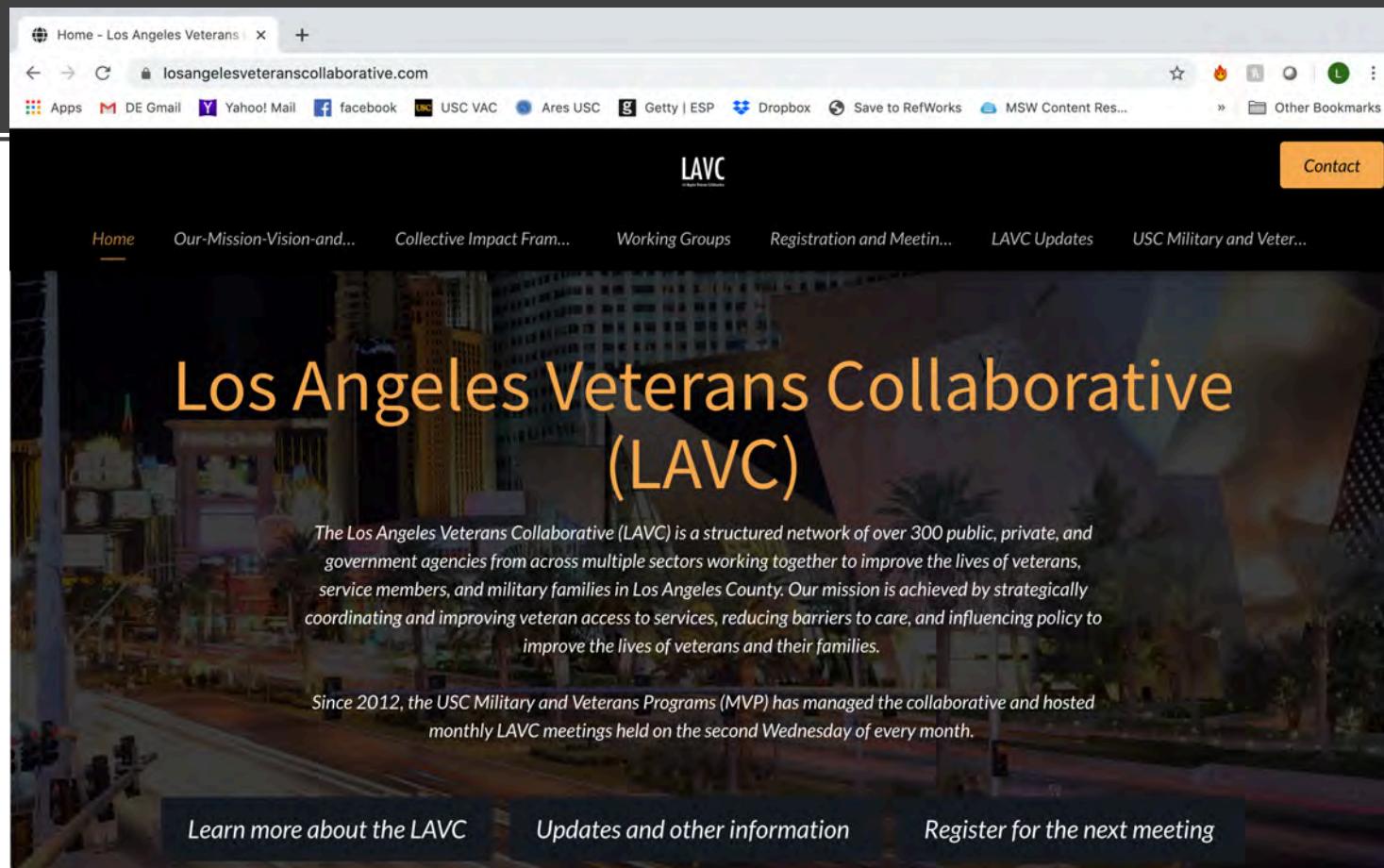




The Salute Report

Keeping Us Connected!

Introducing the LAVC new website:
www.losangelesveteranscollaborative.com



The screenshot shows a web browser window with the LAVC website loaded. The address bar shows the URL www.losangelesveteranscollaborative.com. The page features a dark header with the LAVC logo and a "Contact" button. Below the header is a navigation menu with links to Home, Our-Mission-Vision-and..., Collective Impact Fram..., Working Groups, Registration and Meetin..., LAVC Updates, and USC Military and Veter... The main content area has a large, semi-transparent image of a city street at night. Overlaid on this image is the text "Los Angeles Veterans Collaborative (LAVC)" in large, orange, sans-serif font. Below this, a paragraph of text describes the LAVC's mission and history. At the bottom of the page is a dark footer bar with three buttons: "Learn more about the LAVC", "Updates and other information", and "Register for the next meeting".

Home - Los Angeles Veterans > losangelesveteranscollaborative.com

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LAVC

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Los Angeles Veterans Collaborative (LAVC)

The Los Angeles Veterans Collaborative (LAVC) is a structured network of over 300 public, private, and government agencies from across multiple sectors working together to improve the lives of veterans, service members, and military families in Los Angeles County. Our mission is achieved by strategically coordinating and improving veteran access to services, reducing barriers to care, and influencing policy to improve the lives of veterans and their families.

Since 2012, the USC Military and Veterans Programs (MVP) has managed the collaborative and hosted monthly LAVC meetings held on the second Wednesday of every month.

Learn more about the LAVC

Updates and other information

Register for the next meeting

Goodwill Seasonal Hiring Event

- Thursday, November 14
- 9:00am to 12:00pm
- For more info call 562.435.3411 x289
- 800 W. Pacific Coast HWY
Long Beach, CA

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Sign up and RSVP your next big opportunity!
<http://bit.ly/Goodwill19>

Goodwill Seasonal Hiring Event

• Earn extra money for the holidays
• Employers seeking to hire full time and part time superstars. Is that you?
• Pay varies upon position and experience
• Accommodations available upon request (72 HOURS IN ADVANCE)

• Bring copies of your resume
• Bring your right to work documents
• Get hired on the spot!

PARKING LOT IS RESERVED FOR STORE CUSTOMERS

November 14, 2019
9 am - 12 pm
800 W. Pacific Coast HWY.
Long Beach, CA 90806

For More Information Contact:
(562) 435-3411 x289
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Garden & Grill

- Friday, November 15
- 10:00am to 2:00pm
- Please RSVP @
<https://sa.ucla.edu/Forms/p/1Ktye>
- @ Veterans' Garden @ VA Greater Los Angeles Healthcare System
100 Constitution Ave., Los Angeles

Garden & Grill

- Work on projects with veterans and veteran supporters!
- Free food!



Friday, October 18, 2019
Friday, November 15, 2019
Friday, December 6, 2019



10:00 - 14:00



Veterans' Garden @ VA Greater Los Angeles Healthcare System
100 Constitution Ave, Los Angeles, CA 90073

Please RSVP at <https://sa.ucla.edu/Forms/p/1Ktye>
Questions... Call (310) 206-6915



U.S. Department
of Veterans Affairs
VA Greater Los Angeles Healthcare System

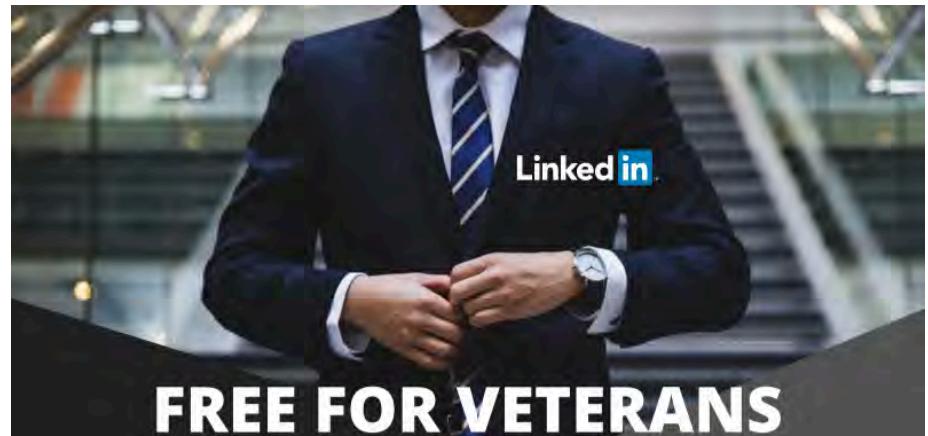


Veterans Resource
Center



JVS SoCal Free Professional Photos for Veterans

- Friday, November 15 (& December 13)
- Schedule your appointment to get your professional photo taken for free
- Contact: veterans@jvs-socal.org, 213.742.9560



FREE FOR VETERANS

Get your professional photo taken. Yours to keep! Make a first impression with employers and partners. A professional photo will set you apart from everyone else. Don't let this opportunity pass you by !

Schedule your appointment today:
November 15th & December 13th

Contact info :
[Veterans@jvs-socal.org](mailto:veterans@jvs-socal.org)
213-742-9560

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A Free Legal Clinic for Veterans

- Wednesday, November 20
- 5:30pm to 8:30pm
- Clearing outstanding tickets & warrants, cleaning criminal records. Be sure to bring all documentation.
- Registration is required @213.896.6537, inquiries-veterans@lacba.org or www.lacba.org/veterans
- @ Bob Hope Patriotic Hall
1816 South Figueroa St, Los Angeles

 **LACBA
Veterans
Legal Services
Project**

PRESENTS

A FREE LEGAL CLINIC FOR VETERANS

**CLEARING OUTSTANDING
TICKETS AND WARRANTS**

This free workshop is open to any veteran in need of help with:

- ↳ Tickets for minor offenses (infractions) such as jaywalking, running a stop sign, etc.
- ↳ Failure to Appear charges & warrants stemming from tickets.
- ↳ We are unable to assist with parking tickets.

**CLEANING
CRIMINAL RECORDS**

This free workshop is open to any veteran in need of help with:

- ↳ Information regarding what convictions can be expunged
- ↳ The criteria to qualify for expungement
- ↳ Forms need to be completed
- ↳ Where to file for expungement

We are unable to assist with Federal convictions, or, convictions outside of the State of California.

Wednesday, November 20, 2019

5:30pm–6:30 PM: Self-Help Workshop
6:30pm–8:30 PM: Volunteer attorneys will be available to provide one-on-one assistance and consultation. You must attend the workshop in order to receive one-on-one assistance.

REGISTRATION REQUIRED

Please call **(213) 896-6537** to reserve your seat. We look forward to assisting you.

Visit our website for more information www.lacba.org/veterans

Or contact us at **(213) 896-6537**, inquiries-veterans@lacba.org

Bob Hope Patriotic Hall
1816 South Figueroa Street
Los Angeles, CA 90015



Turn Page

Department of Rehabilitation Informational Workshop for Veterans

- Wednesday, November 20
- 9:30am
- Come learn what services are provided to eligible U.S. Veterans
- @ Bob Hope Patriotic Hall
1816 South Figueroa St, Los Angeles



Wednesday,
November
20th
at 9:30 am

**Department of Rehabilitation
Informational Workshop For Veterans**

**COME LEARN WHAT SERVICES ARE PROVIDED TO ELIGIBLE
U.S. VETERANS**

Need help with training or College Tuition? Need help finding a job that helps with disabilities? Come to the Department of rehabilitation informational. Come learn about the many services they offer our service-connected veterans. Services such as: Help with College tuition, Transportation assistance, and help with job placement.

**Are you eligible? Are you a service connected veteran?
Do you a disability? Do you want to work? Are you having trouble getting or keeping a job because of your disability? Do you need services such as job placement, training, or other job preparation to help you get or keep a job or advance in employment?
If you answered "yes" to all of these questions, you may qualify for DOR services**

Event Location:
Bob Hope Patriotic Hall
1816 S. Figueroa Street
Los Angeles, CA 90015

Contact: Thomas Salazar
tsalazar@jvs-socal.org
(213) 742-9560
Open to all U.S. veterans

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Workforce Development Aging and Community Services (WDACS) and the Los Angeles County America's Job Centers of California are equal opportunity employers/programs. Auxiliary aids and services are available upon request, to individuals with disabilities.

South Bay Veteran's Employment Committee Thanksgiving Luncheon

- Friday, November 22
- 1:00p to 3:00p
- RSVP by 11/20 via email:
Roxana.Gomez@edd.ca.gov
- @ 1045 W. Redondo Beach Blvd
#150. Gardena



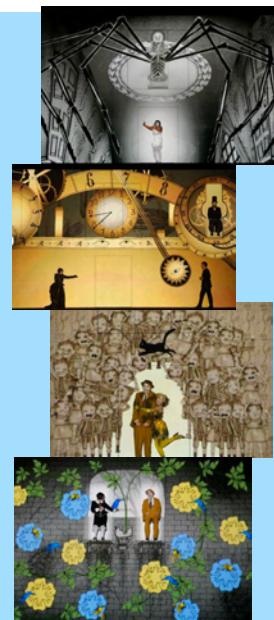
Mindful Warrior Project invites members to the Opera

- Sunday, December 1
- 12:00p to 5:30p
- Veterans, active duty, guard & reserve members are invited to the LA Opera's performance of the Magic Flute followed by a panel discussion & dinner
- RSVP @ gail@mindfulwarriorproject.org
- @ Dorothy Chandler Pavilion Music Center, DTLA



Veterans (along with Active Duty, Guard, & Reserve members) are invited to explore opera as our guests at

the
Sunday, December 1st
Los Angeles Opera performance of
MOZART'S



meet to get tickets - 12 - 12:50
pre-talk 1 - 1:50
opera - 2 - 4:40
special panel discussion & dinner - 4:45 - 5:30

Dorothy Chandler Pavilion
Music Center - Downtown Los Angeles

www.mindfulwarriorproject.org
818.616.2931

for more information & to request to attend, contact
gail@mindfulwarriorproject.org

2019 California Lawyers Association Military and Veterans Summit

- Monday, December 9
- Earn 4.0 Hours MCLE, Includes 1 hour Recognition & Elimination of Bias
- Sign up @ <https://calawyers.org/litigation/2019-military-and-veterans-summit-2/>
- @ San Francisco War Memorial Veterans Building, Rm 206 & 210 401 Van Ness Ave., San Francisco

2019 California Lawyers Association Military and Veterans Summit



MONDAY, DECEMBER 9, 2019

SAN FRANCISCO WAR MEMORIAL



Panel topics include:

- Sexual assault in the military: legal problems and remedies;
- LGBT service-members and veteran rights;
- Discharge upgrades: how to restore veteran status and benefits;
- Federal appellate and class action litigation for veterans.

Special speakers include:

- Chief Justice John Roberts of the Court of Appeals for Veterans Claims
- Justice Ming Chin, Associate Justice of the Supreme Court of California
- Senator Thomas Umberg.

Link for more information or to register for event:

<https://calawyers.org/litigation/2019-military-and-veterans-summit-2/>

State of California Honor a Hero, Hire a Vet Job & Resource Fair

- Friday, December 13
- 10:00am to 3:00pm
- A job & resource fair for Veterans, National Guard, and Reservists returning from active duty
- @ Orange County One-Stop Center
17891 Cartwright Road, Irvine



A job and resource fair for Veterans, National Guard, and Reservists returning from active duty.

**Friday,
December 13, 2019**

**10 a.m. – 3 p.m.
Orange County One-Stop Center - Irvine
17891 Cartwright Road
Irvine, CA 92614
Off Main Street, between Von Karman/Jamboree**

For more information,
please call:
**Jeremy Tom at
1-949-341-8067**

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- ★ Find out about job opportunities.
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The EDD, an equal opportunity employer/program, is a partner in this event. Auxiliary aids and services are available upon request to individuals with disabilities. Requests for services, aids, and/or alternate formats need to be made prior to the event by calling 1-949-341-8067 (voice). TTY users, please call the California Relay Service at 711.

Mindful Warrior Project's Operation Holiday

- Tuesday, December 17
- 11:00am to 2:00pm
- Veteran families are invited to celebrate the holiday season. Join for food, arts & crafts, entertainment, raffles, reading & books time with Santa
- @ Sepulveda VA
16111 Plummer St., Bldg 22
North Hills



The image shows a flyer for the Mindful Warrior Project's Operation Holiday. The top half features a green textured background with a circular logo of a soldier in a helmet and camouflage, with the text "BE WELL" and "BE THERE". The title "MINDFUL WARRIOR PROJECT" is in large, bold, white letters. Below the title, a red box contains the text: "Veteran families are invited to celebrate the holiday season with the Mindful Warrior Project". The main event details are on a yellow background: "come join us for yummy food, arts & crafts, entertainment, raffles, reading & books time with *Santa*". The event is on "TUESDAY DECEMBER 17th, 2019 11:00 AM - 2:00 PM" at "Sepulveda VA 16111 Plummer St. Bldg 22 North Hills, CA 91343". Registration is "free but required" at bit.ly/OpHol2019. The bottom right corner features the "San Fernando Valley Veterans Employment Committee" logo with an eagle and American flag, and a list of event details: "Free Lunch, Photo Booth, Raffles, Veteran Resources, Entertainment, and a Surprise Visit from Santa...". It also includes a "MUST RSVP" note, event contact information, and a "For more information please contact" section with POC: Thomas Salazar, Number: 310-733-9224, Email: TomSalazar@MVS-SoCal.org. The bottom left corner features a graphic of military seals and a yellow star.

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Vet2Peer Program

- Scholarship program that provides veterans with peer personnel training and job placement assistance.
- Please contact Adam Castillo @ 213.407.0039 or V2P@usvetsinc.org or Elizabeth Tobias @ 310.338.5813 or Elizabeth.tobias@lmu.edu



Are you a military veteran who has experienced challenges transitioning from military to civilian life and is motivated to find permanent employment helping veterans with similar experiences? If you answered yes, this program is for you.

Vet2Peer is a fully-funded scholarship program that provides veterans with peer personnel training and job placement assistance. Students acquire the skills, resources and tools needed to serve as a peer specialist. Upon completion of the course, students will receive a Loyola Marymount University (LMU) Peer Specialist for Veterans certificate, career counseling, job placement services, and post-program support.

THE PROGRAM BEGINS IN 2020

Applications are currently being accepted. Please visit our website to apply: <http://extension.lmu.edu/vet2peer>

INFO ↗
Please, contact **Adam Castillo** at (213) 407-0039
or V2P@usvetsinc.org, or **Elizabeth Tobias** at
(310) 338-5813 or [elizabeth.tobias@lmu.edu](mailto:Elizabeth.tobias@lmu.edu).



Vet2Peer is a collaborative initiative between Loyola Marymount University and US.VETS. It is made possible thanks to the support of the Office of Statewide Health Planning and Development (OSHPD).



The Mission Continues: The Women Veterans Leadership Program

- Personal and professional development experience for women veterans. Empowering women through skill and knowledge building
- <https://missioncontinues.org/get-involved/women-veterans-leadership-program/>
- Applications are open thru Nov 24



THE MISSION CONTINUES

The Mission Continues is thrilled to announce our newest program: [**The Women Veterans Leadership Program \(WVLP\)**](#), a first-of-its kind personal and professional development experience for women veterans ready to unlock their potential as leaders.

WVLP will empower women through skill and knowledge building around topics such as communication, self-confidence, identity, collective impact, and resiliency, to help women be at the center of future change! We're building an Army of women that perpetuates change through in-person learning, a virtual curriculum, and individualized field work!

This is an amazing opportunity for women veterans who are seeking advanced leadership opportunities, whether in community service, employment, or at home, and who want to learn how to better advocate for themselves and other women!

Want to read up on the program or interested in applying? Head to the website: <https://missioncontinues.org/get-involved/women-veterans-leadership-program>

Applications are open now through November 24th!

USC Military & Veterans Initiatives Website:

<https://military.usc.edu>

- USC launched its new website for Military & Veterans Initiatives. Find information for prospective students, current students, ROTC campus program, connect with alumni, and get the latest news
- <https://military.usc.edu>



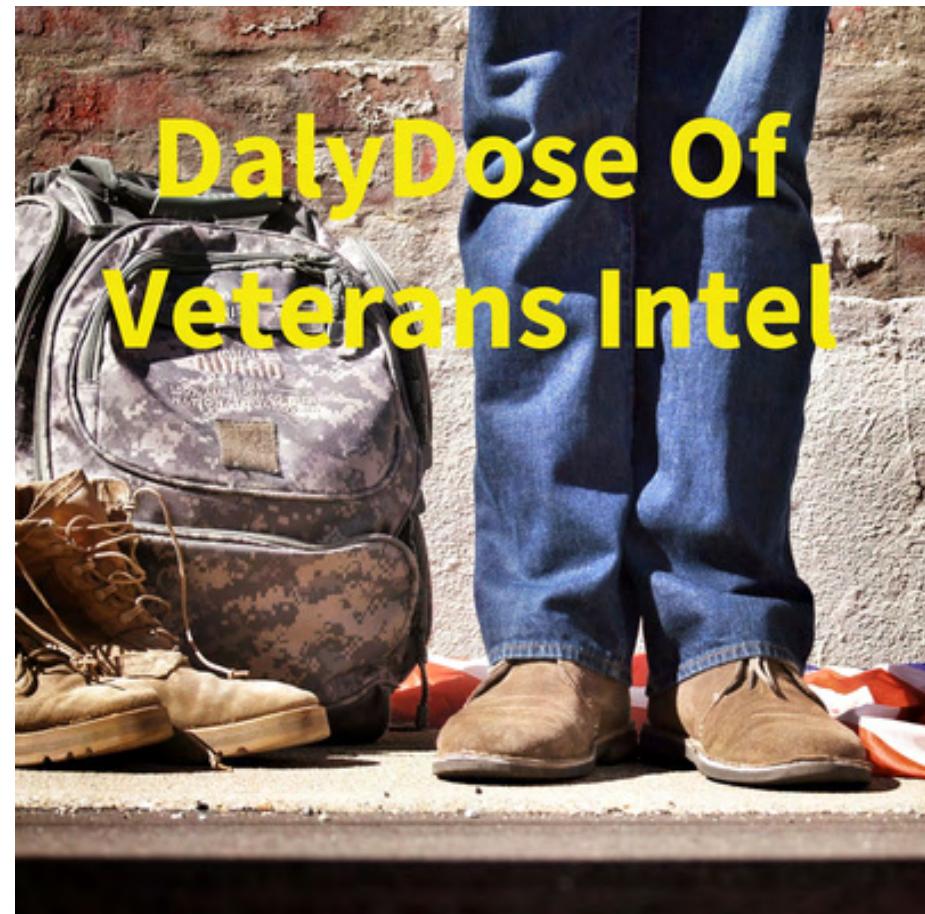
The screenshot shows the homepage of the USC Military & Veterans Initiatives website. The header features the USC logo and the text "Military & Veterans Initiatives" with links for "ABOUT", "STUDENTS", "PROGRAMS", "RESOURCES", "RESEARCH", "NEWS & EVENTS", and "GIVING". Below the header is a large, grainy black and white photograph of a group of men in military uniforms marching in formation. Overlaid on the image is the text "A tradition of support" and a descriptive paragraph: "For over 100 years, USC and the U.S. military have stood side by side. The mission of our military and veterans initiatives is to serve those who serve. We support our student-veterans, our ROTC students, and families so they can all succeed and lead in their chosen fields." A red "LEARN MORE" button is located in the bottom right corner of the image. Below the main image is a horizontal strip of four smaller photographs showing various scenes related to military and veterans initiatives. The bottom section of the page features a large image of a female soldier in camouflage uniform signing a document at a table. To the right of the image is the text "MILITARY.USC.EDU", the "Home | USC Military & Veterans Initiatives" link, and a partial sentence: "Our military and veterans initiatives serve those who served, are...". A small circular icon with an 'i' is in the bottom right corner of the image area.

DalyDose of Veterans Intel

<https://anchor.fm/dalydose>

- The place to get the scoop on veterans issues on a Jeff Daly basis
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- Feel free to send information about upcoming veteran events or relevant services.
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