



**Alamo Area Council of Governments
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Veterans Benefits Presentation Open to the Public

Date: October 8, 2009
Time: 9:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.
Location: AACOG
Al J. Notzon Board Room, Suite 100
8700 Tesoro Dr., San Antonio, TX 78217

Presenters: Jim Hanna, Service Officer, Veterans Administration Accredited Agent
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Rick Salgueiro, United Way 2-1-1, Texas Military Family Access Project.

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Did you know? American War Era Veterans and surviving spouses may be entitled to an underutilized special monthly tax-free benefit offered by the Veterans Administration?

What is this Benefit: The Aid & Attendance Pension is a special program available to veterans who earned this benefit by their service to our nation. The VA wants to ensure that every veteran or surviving spouse who qualifies has the chance to apply!

Who qualifies? This benefit is available to War Era Veterans and surviving spouses who are facing rising expenses who meet basic eligibility requirements. (Information courtesy of: <http://www.militaryseniorresources.com/VAbenefits.html>.)

The Texas Military Family Access Project: Available via the 24/7 United Way 2-1-1 number. This program is available to military members who have deployed to Afghanistan and/or Iraq:

- Active duty Army, Marines, Navy, Air Force, and Coast Guard.
- Texas Military Forces, including Texas Army and Air National Guard
- Reserve Army, Marines, Navy, Air Force, and Coast Guard
- Veterans and retirees
- Spouses, children, and grandparents
- Family members serving as caregivers



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