



# FY24 SOUTH CAROLINA IMPACT REPORT



Wounded Warrior Project® (WWP) began in 2003 as a small, grassroots effort providing simple care and comfort items to the hospital bedsides of the first wounded service members returning home from the conflicts in Iraq and Afghanistan. As their post-service needs evolved in their transition to civilian life, we've adapted our programs and services to support warriors and family members.

Our direct service programs, advocacy efforts, and partnerships make an impact for warriors in every state — advancing WWP's vision to foster the most successful, well-adjusted generation of wounded service members in our nation's history.

*The following statistics represent WWP™ program activity and impact in the 2024 fiscal year (10.01.2023 — 09.30.2024)*

Number of veterans in your state  
WWP advocates for:

**386,240\***



Warriors and family members  
registered with WWP:

**5,404**



Warriors receiving long-term  
care for their severe,  
life-altering injuries:

**20**



Participants in warrior-led  
support groups:

**209**



Virtual event participants:

**747**



Career coaching services  
provided:

**1,087**



Emotional support calls  
made to warriors and  
family members:

**331**



Economic impact of WWP Financial  
Wellness programs, such as Benefits  
Services and Warriors to Work®:

**\$4,093,435**

In-person events:

**85**



Warriors enrolled in the  
Independence Program  
receive an average of

**326**



hours of care per year.



"I did not give up on life, and I owe that to Wounded Warrior Project. They've helped me become a stronger mother, warrior, and person."

WOUNDED WARRIOR  
**PELE HUNKIN**  
OF COLUMBIA, SC



*\*Source: National Center for Veterans Analysis  
and Statistics: (data through FY24)*