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Hope you all had a wonderful holiday season!! I am sure that you reached out to our Veterans in the Nursing Homes, Assisted Living and Hospitals to make their day a little brighter. As of this writing we still have 10 Auxiliaries that have not completed the x-sheet. I know that you are all doing something for our Veterans in our facilities. Please reach out to me and let me know if you have discussed anything in your meeting or have supported our hospitalized Veterans in any way. The hospital program is the oldest program that the Auxiliary supports and it is important that we are 100% reported in this program. If you are looking for something for our Veterans to do, please go to www.pinterest.com/vfwauxiliary for some creative ideas.

Do you want to recognize someone in your auxiliary that has contributed to our Veterans that are hospitalized? We have citations and awards available. See the department website under hospital to see the information required. There are also links to the National website to print out certificates to non-members and members who help our hospitalized Veterans. Show them you see what they are doing and appreciate all their hard work.

I shout out to Collinsville Auxiliary, Carlinville Auxiliary and Hometown Murray Auxiliary for the pictures and information on supporting our Veterans in our nursing homes, assisted living and VA facilities. Thank you all for the wonderful support you give to our Veterans. I love seeing the pictures and the smiling faces of our Veterans. Keep up the good work. And remember, REPORT, REPORT, REPORT!!!