



## QUICK FACTS

- Disabled and wounded troops have special needs as they return from their service to adjust to lives changed by their sacrifice. The Coalition to Salute America's Heroes (CSAH) is building a network of individuals, corporations, and organizations dedicated to providing the resources these heroes need to transition to productive lives in their communities.
- CSAH is a 501(c)(3), non-profit, non-partisan organization, founded in 2004 and headquartered in Wilton, Connecticut.
- To date, CSAH has provided millions of dollars worth of financial aid and support services in more than 21,000 cases to severely wounded service members who have returned home from Operations Iraqi Freedom and Enduring Freedom.
- All funds raised in support of the CSAH mission to support our wounded veterans come from contributions from individual citizens, corporate donors and foundations.
- To qualify for assistance from CSAH, a veteran from Operation Iraqi Freedom or Operation Enduring Freedom must have a military disability rating of 30% or greater.
- CSAH has two key programs in place to directly assist severely wounded servicemen and women. These programs include:
  - ✓ **Wounded Hero Emergency Financial Relief** – This provides urgent financial assistance to disabled veterans to help them with food, housing, utilities, car payments, and other pressing needs.
  - ✓ **Road to Recovery Conference** – This is an annual all-expenses-paid, educational and service event for severely wounded service members, their immediate families, and caregivers. It enables them to interact and network with others who have had similar experiences and share common needs. It also provides them a chance to participate in workshops to enhance interpersonal relationships, as well as a one-stop source of information on benefits, services, insurance, healthcare financial support and employment opportunities.