



## 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 return to productive lives in their communities.
- CSAH is a 501(c)(3), non-profit, nonpartisan organization, founded in 2004 and is headquartered in Ossining, NY.
- CSAH has provided nearly 11,000 cases of aid to severely wounded service members who have returned home from Operation Iraqi Freedom and Operation Enduring Freedom.
- Over \$22 million dollars has been distributed to date to prevent car repossessions and utility shut-offs while trips to sporting events, entertainment parks, and shows help service members boost morale, break the boredom of the routine of recuperation and help reintegrate wounded troops into civilian life.
- All funds raised in support of the CSAH mission to support our wounded veterans come from contributions from corporate and private donors.
- To qualify for assistance from CSAH, a veteran from Operation Iraqi Freedom and Operation Enduring Freedom must have a military disability rating of 30% or greater.
- CSAH has put 5 key programs in place to directly assist severely wounded servicemen and women. These programs include:
  - **Wounded Hero Emergency Financial Relief** - provides urgent financial assistance to disabled veterans
  - **Homes for Wounded Heroes** - offers nearly cost-free, new or renovated disability adapted homes to men and women
  - **Hire A Hero** - reaches out through a network of organizations to help prepare and place motivated, qualified veterans in quality jobs
  - **Family Support Network** - offers special services to help relieve financial and emotional burdens facing heroes and their families
  - **Road to Recovery Conferences** - are all-expense paid, educational and service events for wounded servicemen and women and their families