You Can Improve Our Veterans’ Quality of Life

Bone and muscle injuries make up half of all combat wounds sustained in Operation Iraqi Freedom and Operation Enduring Freedom.* Over the years, assistive technology has proven to be beneficial to veterans adapting to a prosthetic limb or dealing with traumatic brain injury.

The U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs reports that in the past two decades, the number of veterans using prosthetics, sensory aids, and other equipment has increased more than 70 percent, allowing more of these men and women to be more independent.

The American Legion Auxiliary Foundation can help veterans in your area transition back into civilian life. If your Auxiliary unit, district/county, or department knows of a specific, emergent need for your local veterans or active military, the ALA Foundation Veteran Projects Fund may be able to lend a helping hand.

Please join us in providing veterans with the support they so desperately need and deserve to regain confidence and mobility. Visit www.ALAFoundation.org/Grants to learn more about what you can do.

*According to the National Institute of Health