

May 8, 2012

Impact Statement for UNL Parents Association Mini-Grant of \$300.00:

Service Members and Veterans on Campus: April 19, 2012

Parents Association was recognized on Advertising and during presentation. I have attached a copy of the advertisement that we used.

Use of Funds: The funds were used to pay for the presenters lodging and meal at the Embassy Suites on April 19, 2012. The total for that was \$138.00. The rest of the funds, \$168.00 were used to pay for refreshments for the attendees, which was the other major expense. We also got funding from the Vice Chancellor for student affairs for help with refreshments.

Attendance: Approximately 80: Over half were from UNL, including CAPS, Student Affairs staff, including Women's Center, Financial Aid, Career Services, Advising, and Housing. There were also Counseling and Clinical Psychology Students, members of the Student Veterans Task force. There were also many Veterans in attendance. There were also quite a few in attendance from UNO, both their new USO office and Counseling Center Staff.

How the presentation will impact UNL students:

- a. The national average is 4% of student on campus are veterans.
- b. The presenter how student military personnel are impacted by the deployment cycle
- c. How student veterans reintegrate into campus
- d. Large group exercise
 - a. UNL will start tracking student veterans as they register for classes
 - b. CAPS will be doing a needs assessment of Veterans on campus
 - c. Work closely with the Student Veteran's Task Force
 - d. Develop outreach to Student Veterans