



On behalf of Veterans in California during 2011, the VFW Department of California recovered over \$80 million in new claims and over \$300 million in on-going claims from the VA.

The VFW Service Department currently consists of 10 fully accredited VFW Veteran Service Representatives (VSR) working in our VA Regional Offices in addition to 25 Field Service Officers (FSO's) working at various VA locations throughout California.

- In 2011, VSR's have filed more than 4,000 claims on behalf of Veterans.
- VSR's can help whether you are filing an original claim, reopening a claim, or filing an appeal along with the many other benefits you are entitled to.
- The IG determined Veterans receive greater benefits by using a Veterans Service Organization (VSO) Representative.
- For more information or to find a VFW Veteran Service Representative near you, log on to <http://www.vfwca.org/aboutus/contactus.html> or call VFW Department of California Headquarters at (916) 449-8850.

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