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Cohen Veterans Network Continues to Build National Footprint with Five New Clinic Locations

CVN Pledges to Have Next Round of Clinics in Operation by the Middle of 2017

Stamford, Conn., November 2, 2016 – On the heels of launching five pilot clinics, the Cohen Veterans Network (“CVN”) is committing to the next five clinic locations to meet the mental health needs of veterans and their families.

CVN’s Steven A. Cohen Military Family Clinics will open in areas of great need in 2017 in El Paso, Texas, Fayetteville, N.C., Washington, D.C., and a pair of clinics in Colorado, in Denver and Colorado Springs. In addition to large post-9/11 veterans’ populations, these cities were selected due to significant unmet demand for mental health services, and strong community partners.

“We are very proud to be living up to the lofty expectations that our founder Steve Cohen has set for the network,” said Dr. Anthony Hassan, President and CEO of the Cohen Veterans Network. “Now that we have five pilot clinics fully operating, the next phase for us is to analyze lessons learned, continue to perfect the CVN model, and deliver it to the next areas of need.”

Early results show that the network has treated more than 900 veterans and family members across the five locations in 2016. The final two CVN pilot clinics each publicly opened just last month, at USC in Los Angeles and the University of Pennsylvania in Philadelphia. A pair of Texas clinics opened six months ago, in Dallas and San Antonio. A clinic at NYU in New York has been operating for more than three years.

The Steven A. Cohen Military Family Clinics are treating the entire family as intended, as more than 35% of all network clients are non-veteran adults and children.

The network formally launched in April 2016 behind a $275M commitment from Cohen to open 25 clinics across the country.
ABOUT THE COHEN VETERANS NETWORK

The Cohen Veterans Network is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit foundation whose mission is to improve the quality of life for post-9/11 veterans and their families by focusing on improving mental health outcomes. The goal of the Cohen Veterans Network is to build a network of free outpatient mental health clinics for veterans and their families in high-need communities, in which trained clinicians deliver holistic evidence-based care to treat mental health conditions. Learn more about the Cohen Veterans Network.

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