



Social Investments

Independent life

Veterans comprise a disproportionate number of the homeless. The support they need goes beyond housing. Deutsche Bank partner Jericho Project has helped many veterans move off the streets and on with life.

As a supporter of community-based initiatives, Deutsche provides assistance through its Supportive Housing Acquisition and Rehabilitation Effort (DB SHARE) program, which supplies affordable housing for homeless New Yorkers.

Ronald Haynie is a former medic in the US Army. He moved into Jericho Project's Kingsbridge Terrace residence in the Bronx in December 2012. His story shows the effectiveness of the Jericho model of stable living conditions as a base for rebuilding the confidence of veterans and nurturing the skills needed to achieve self-sufficiency.

"Life has many peaks and valleys. I was homeless and living in a temporary shelter. Now I'm in a beautiful place where I can get all the help I need," he says.

Ronald's goal is to get back into medicine. Having requalified as a medical assistant at a local community college, he's ready to work. The support team at Kingsbridge Terrace includes career counselors who give advice on resumes, how to find a position and interview skills. There's a computer room where Ronald can use the internet for research.

Clean, safe and supportive, it's an environment that's a long way from life on the streets. "I'm grateful to everyone here for the support and love they've given me," says Ronald. "I'm on a peak now. I feel victorious." ■

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Supporting those that serve

In 2010 Deutsche Bank was instrumental in creating Veterans on Wall Street (VOWS). The organization promotes the hiring and career development of military veterans in the financial industry and trains employers to translate their accomplishments and skills into the civilian world.

The hallmark program of VOWS is its annual conference and job fair, sponsored by a consortium of financial services firms. The 2012 event hosted 625 veterans and resulted in 304 anticipated hires.

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Out of place

One in four homeless are believed to be veterans (National Alliance to End Homelessness)

25%

Four walls

Cumulative affordable housing units supported by Deutsche Bank Americas Foundation since 2000

8,230



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Grounded

Ronald Haynie is one of many veterans who need help conquering the issues that have led to homelessness