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CAREERSOURCE SOUTH FLORIDA AND UNITED WAY PARTNER TO CREATE MISSION UNITED PROGRAM

(MIAMI, February 18, 2016) – In an effort to support our local veterans, Career Source South Florida and the United Way of Miami Dade County, have partnered together to create a Mission United Program in Miami. The goal of Mission United is to form a single community alliance comprised of nonprofit service providers, business partners, veteran agencies, and other related stakeholders that can properly support our returning veterans.

The first Mission United Program was started in Broward County and subsequently in Orlando, Norfolk, and now Miami-Dade. Florida is one of the top three states in the country with the most veterans and there are approximately 51,000 veterans in Miami-Dade County. Mission United Case Managers will join forces with CareerSource South Florida's Disabled Veterans Outreach Program Specialist to provide comprehensive targeted case management services to help veterans successfully transition to civilian life, with an initial focus on employment, job related training and legal support.

For more than 90 years the United Way of Miami-Dade has been working in the local community and CareerSource South Florida is proud to partner with such a great organization to help make a difference in the lives of those who have served our great nation.

ABOUT CareerSource South Florida

CareerSource South Florida is a public-private partnership that establishes state and federally funded workforce development and training policies for Miami-Dade and Monroe counties. CareerSource South Florida's services and resources are available to everyone at no cost through a network of centers located throughout the region.

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