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Good morning, Chair Miller-Meeks, Ranking Member Brownley, and distinguished members of the subcommittee.

My name is Brendan Dowling, and I am currently Miramar Health's Veteran Outreach Manager.

I am formerly a Navy SEAL that served in multiple military campaigns for the Global War on Terror from 2001-2014. My service spanned across numerous deployments in multiple combat zones.

Since last summer, I have had the pleasure of visiting over 141 VA facilities that provide medical, clinical, counseling, or VBA services to Veterans across the Western US.

This includes 94 VHA facilities; 18 Medical Centers, 74 Community Based Outpatient Clinic's, and 35 Veteran Centers.

I look forward to answering any questions you may have.