

2024-2025 Cancer Program

FUNDRAISING:

Each year the goal is to receive a minimum of \$1.00 per member. VFW Posts, County Councils, Districts, and Auxiliaries are encouraged to have fundraisers in their community. Suggestions include but are not limited to: bingo, raffles, dinner, etc. Be creative in your fundraising ideas. Throughout the year the Department Cancer Committee will conduct fundraising activities at each Conference. The Committee is authorized to solicit Posts and Districts for raffle prizes at these fundraising activities. All donations received from July 1, 2023 to June 30, 2024 will be donated to the Karmanos Cancer Center at the 2024 Fall Conference. All donations received from July 1, 2024 to June 30, 2025 will be donated to the Karmanos Research Center at the 2025 Fall Conference.

POST AWARDS:

A citation will be given to each Post that donates a minimum of \$1.00 per VFW member based on the June 30, 2024 National Report membership report. For award purposes Post donations will include their Auxiliary donations to our fund from May 1, 2024 through April 30, 2025.

DISTRICT AWARDS:

A citation will be given to the top three Districts, donating the most money per VFW member based on the June 30, 2024 National membership report. For award purposes donations includes donations by Post, Councils, & District from May 1, 2024 thru April 30, 2025.

DONATIONS AND REPORTING:

All donations should be made payable to Department of Michigan VFW and earmarked Cancer Research. Individual donations should be made out the same and indicate the Post or Auxiliary number of membership.

Send Checks To:

Department of Michigan VFW
924 N. Washington
Lansing, MI 48906

Only donations to the Department Cancer Research fund will be credited on the Department Donation Checklist under Cancer.

Posts or individual members may make donations to Cancer Treatment & Research Programs in their local community. To receive donation credit for that donation you must provide to Department proof of the donation by copy of the check or receipt indicating the amount and the donor.

Posts will receive five (5) All State points for each \$25 donation to cancer (maximum \$100 donation). Please consult the All State Program for more information.

For more information on the Karmanos Cancer Institute please visit: <https://www.karmanos.org/>

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