COMBAT STRESS At a glance this year



We estimate* that over 14,000 veterans benefited from our help:



veterans called

our Helpline.



veterans accessed our specialist mental health self-guided online service.



veterans directly received support from our specialist staff.



is the average time it takes from leaving the military for a veteran to seek our help for mental health problems.



is the number of different conflicts we've supported veterans from this year. This includes Northern Ireland, Afghanistan, Iraq, Bosnia and the Falklands.

*This is an estimate as it is not currently possible to identify any overlap between veterans using our free open access self-guided online service and the other ways we support veterans. In addition, not all users of our self-guided online service

choose to self-identify so we have extrapolated an estimate based on those that do.



family members have indirectly benefited from veterans who directly received our specialist mental health support.

The average age of a veteran receiving our The youngest The oldest veteran we veteran we help is 50 support is support is 24 years old 96 years old Ó 20 40 80 100 60



Our Helpline was contacted over 18,000 times during the year. Contacts include telephone calls, emails and text messages.

ARMY	84%
RAF	7%
ROYAL NAVY	6%
ROYAL MARINES	3%

84% of those who seek our help have served in the Army, 7% RAF, 6% Royal Navy, 3% Royal Marines.



of calls to our Helpline were from new callers on average.

Our Helpline receives on average approximately 1,400 calls, 180 emails and 30 texts per month.



is the amount we are reliant on donations from supporters. We need help to meet the needs of every former serviceman and woman who turns to us for our unique mental health treatment.

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All statistics relate to our latest financial year (1 April 2021 to 31 March 2022).