



COALITION OF ONE

One VOICE, One TEAM, for ACTION

MILITARY & VETERANS SERVICE ORGANIZATIONS of GEORGIA

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January 30, 2021

Coalition of One

- CEO Introduction
 - ❖ Coalition of ONE Mission
 - ❖ Purpose of the Town Hall
 - ❖ Introduction of Staff
- Moderator's Introduction & Start of Session
 - ❖ Rules Of Engagements
 - ❖ What Will We Do Your Information
 - Not Certified Service officers
 - Not Affiliated With the VA
- Veterans Issues Concerns and Needs
- Discussion of The Eagles Nest Demolition

Agenda Topics

Coalition's Mission

To Be The ONE Unifying VOICE For Veterans. To Advocate And Unite Veteran Service Organizations, Federal Agencies, And Organizations As It Relates To Military Veterans, Active Duty, Reserve, And National Guard Service Members In The State Of Georgia. We Will Identify Key Issues, Concerns, And Needs (ICNs) Of Veterans, Their Families, And Caregivers To Resolve At Organizational, Departmental, Federal, And State Levels.

Coalition's Town Hall Purpose

- To Connect With the Veteran Community
- To Identified Veterans' Issues, Concerns & Needs (ICNs)
- To Facilitate Veterans Challenges
- To Represent Veterans ICNs to Policy Makers, Local Leaders, and Elected Officials (State/Federal)
- To Keep the Veteran Communities Updated on Issues That Matter

Coalition's Accomplishments

- GDVS
 - ❖ Coalition Addressed Letters of Concern to GA's Governor
 - ❖ Coalition Addressed Letters to GA's House and Senate Appropriation Committees
- Coalition Identified Veterans' Issues, Concerns & Needs (ICNs)
- Coalition Formed Committees to address ICNs
 - ❖ ICNs Were Presented Directly To Then Senator Perdue and Congresswoman McBeth
 - ❖ ICNs Were Presented To Then Senator Leoffler's Office
- Distributed Backpacks to the Homeless and Homeless Veterans
- Conducted a Drive-Thru Health Fair
 - ❖ Administered Flu Shots and Distributed Health Information
 - ❖ Sponsored Largely in Part By Kaiser and the City of McDonough

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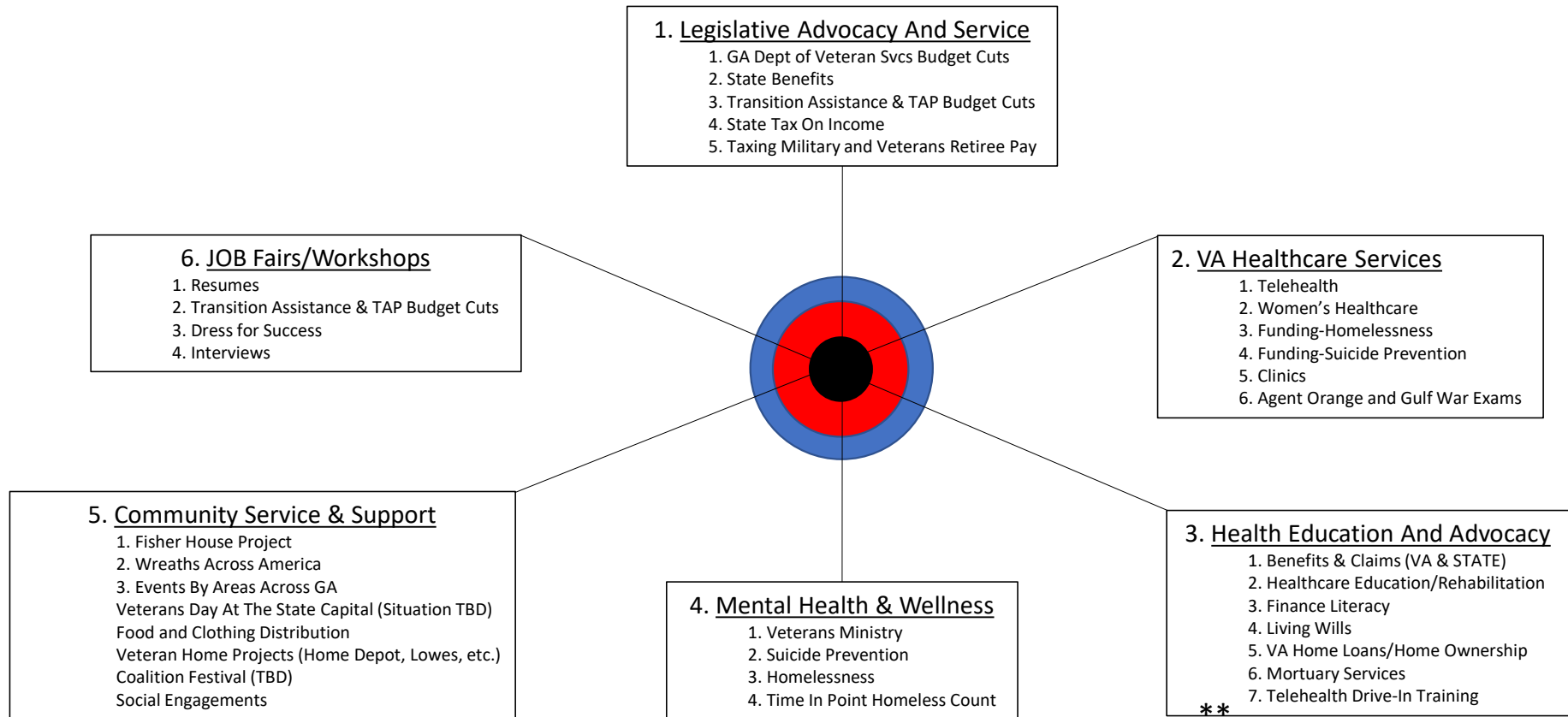
- Provided Veterans Training Opportunities
 - ❖ Financial Literacy - WFG/WSB
 - ❖ Home Ownership - MiLEND
- Fisher House Letters of Support
 - ❖ Coalition Letter of Support
 - ❖ Individual Veteran Service Organizations Letters of Support
 - ❖ ** Fisher Houses of Atlanta and Carl Vinson Approved
- Letter to the Director of the Atlanta VA Healthcare System
 - ❖ Outlined Coalition Identified Issues, Concerns & Needs
 - ❖ No Response From Director's Office To Date

** VA Newsletter 20-013, dated January 25, 2021



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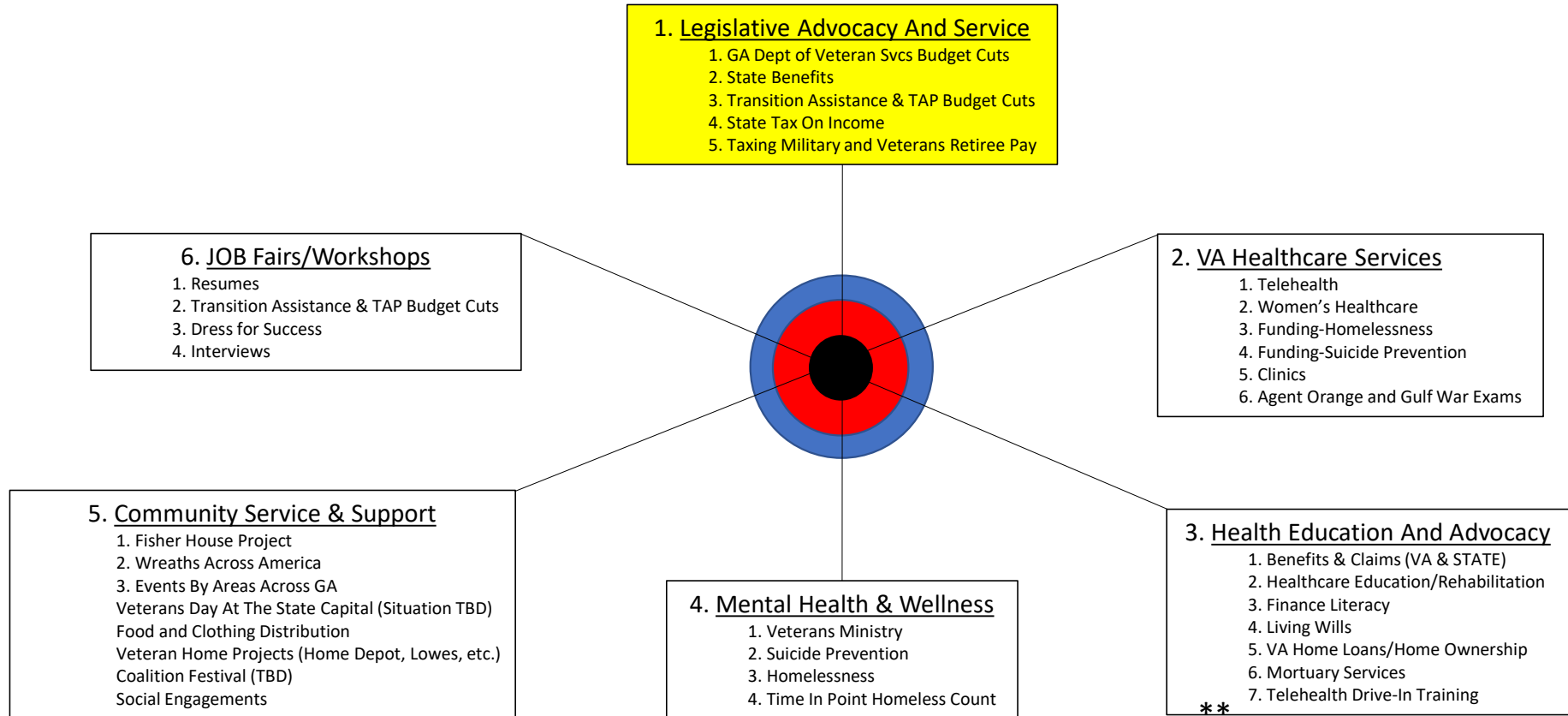
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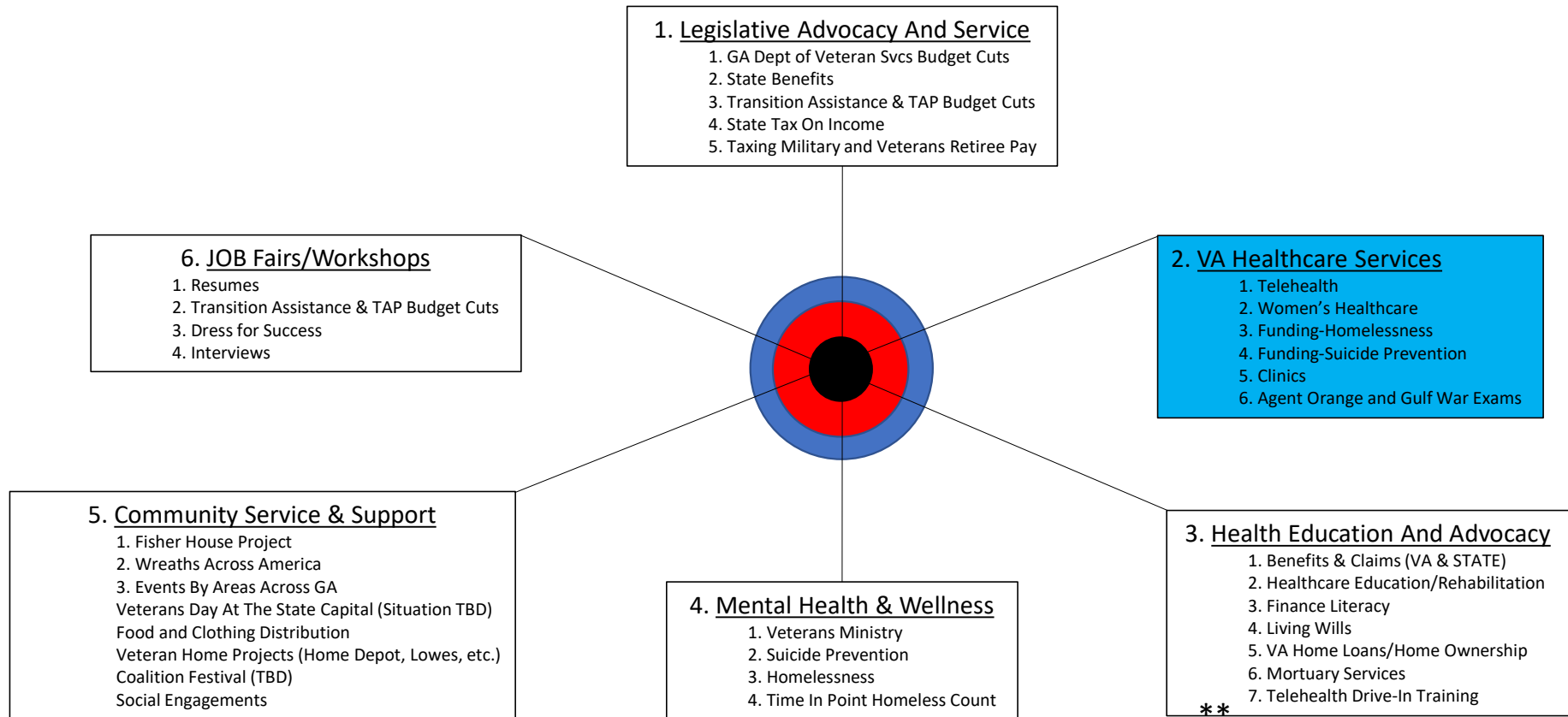
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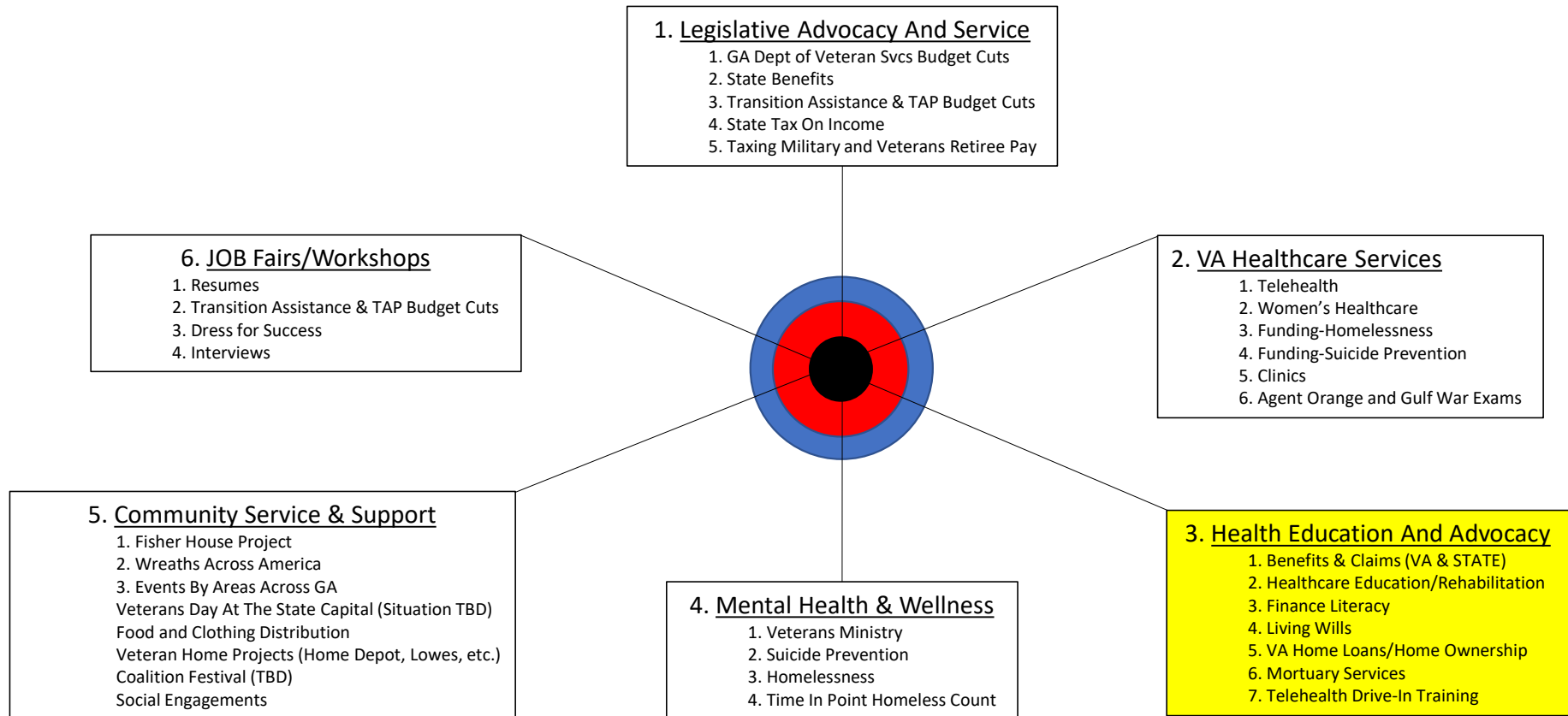
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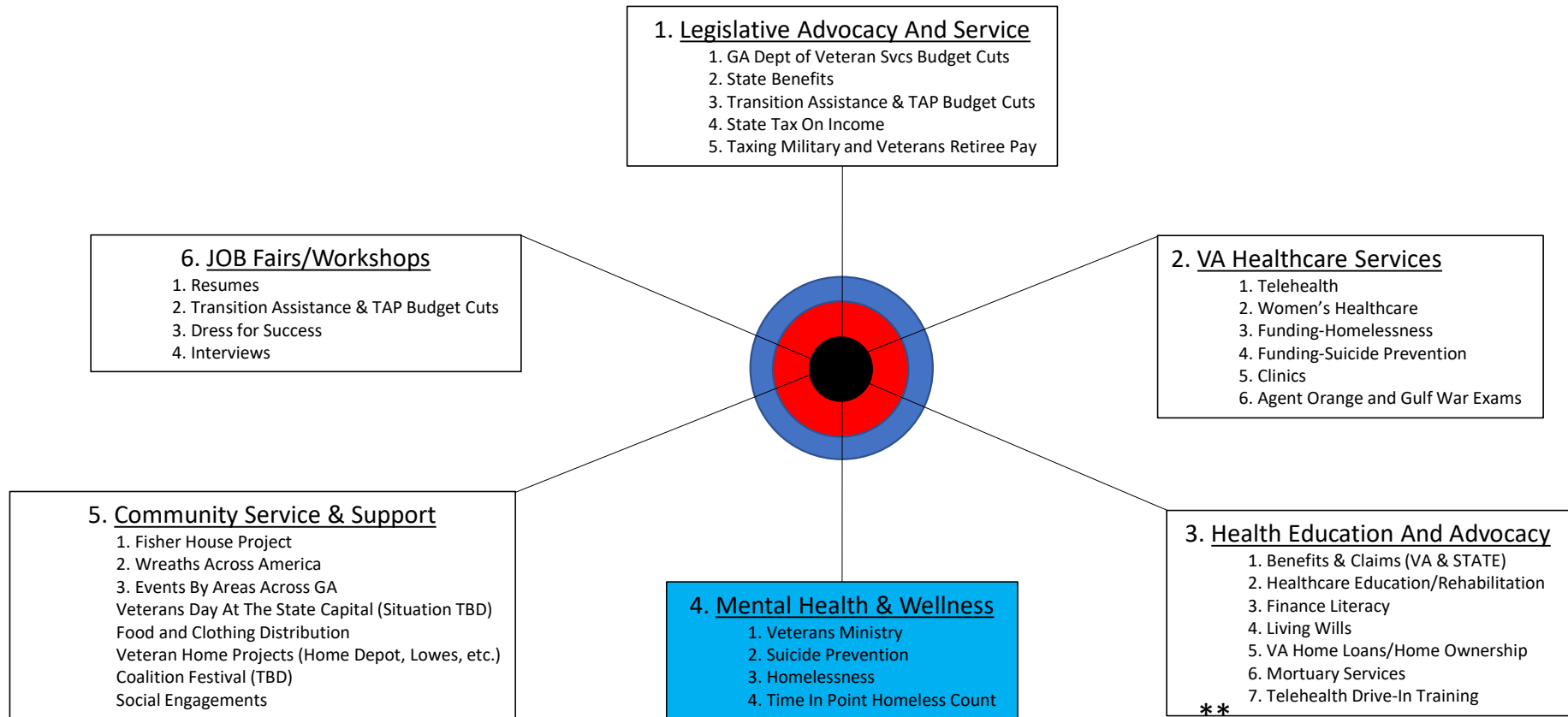
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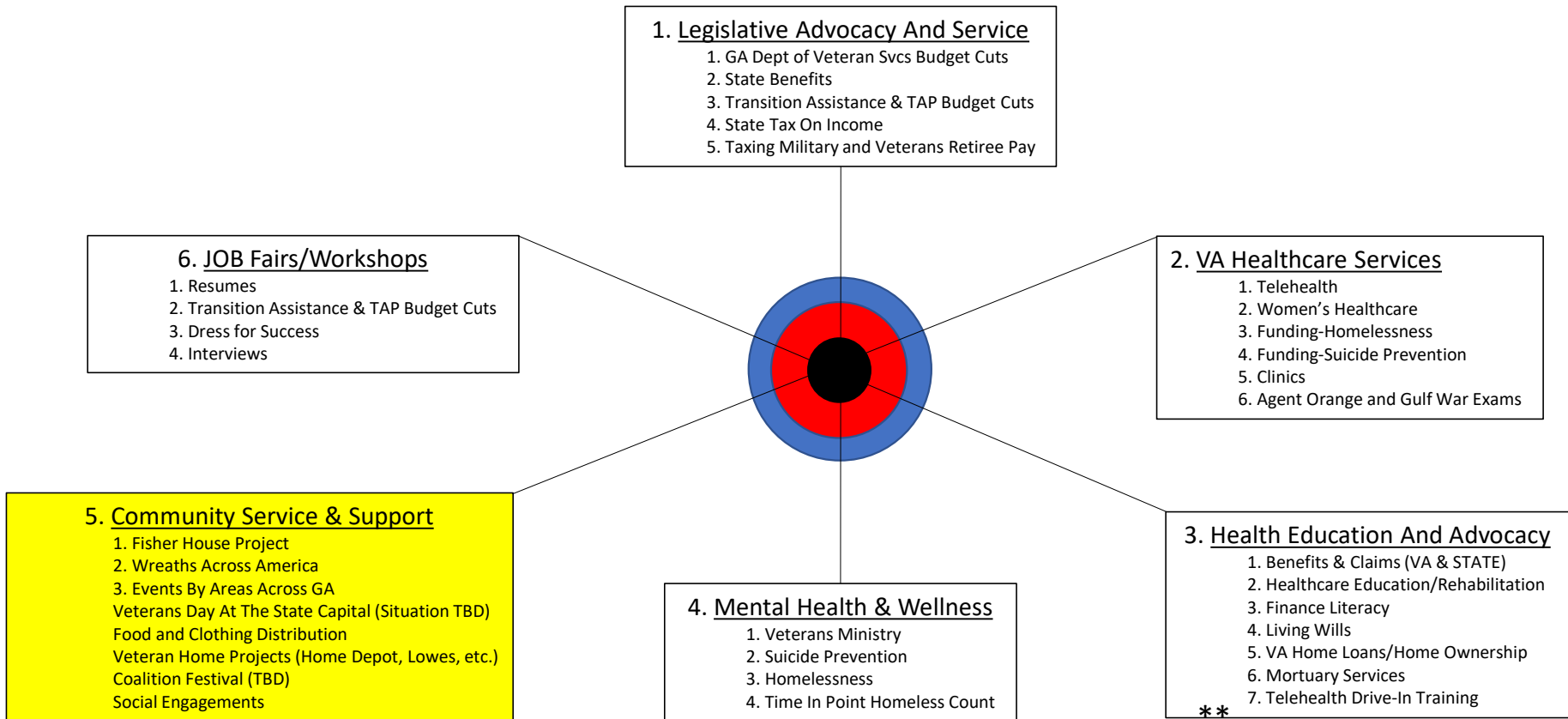
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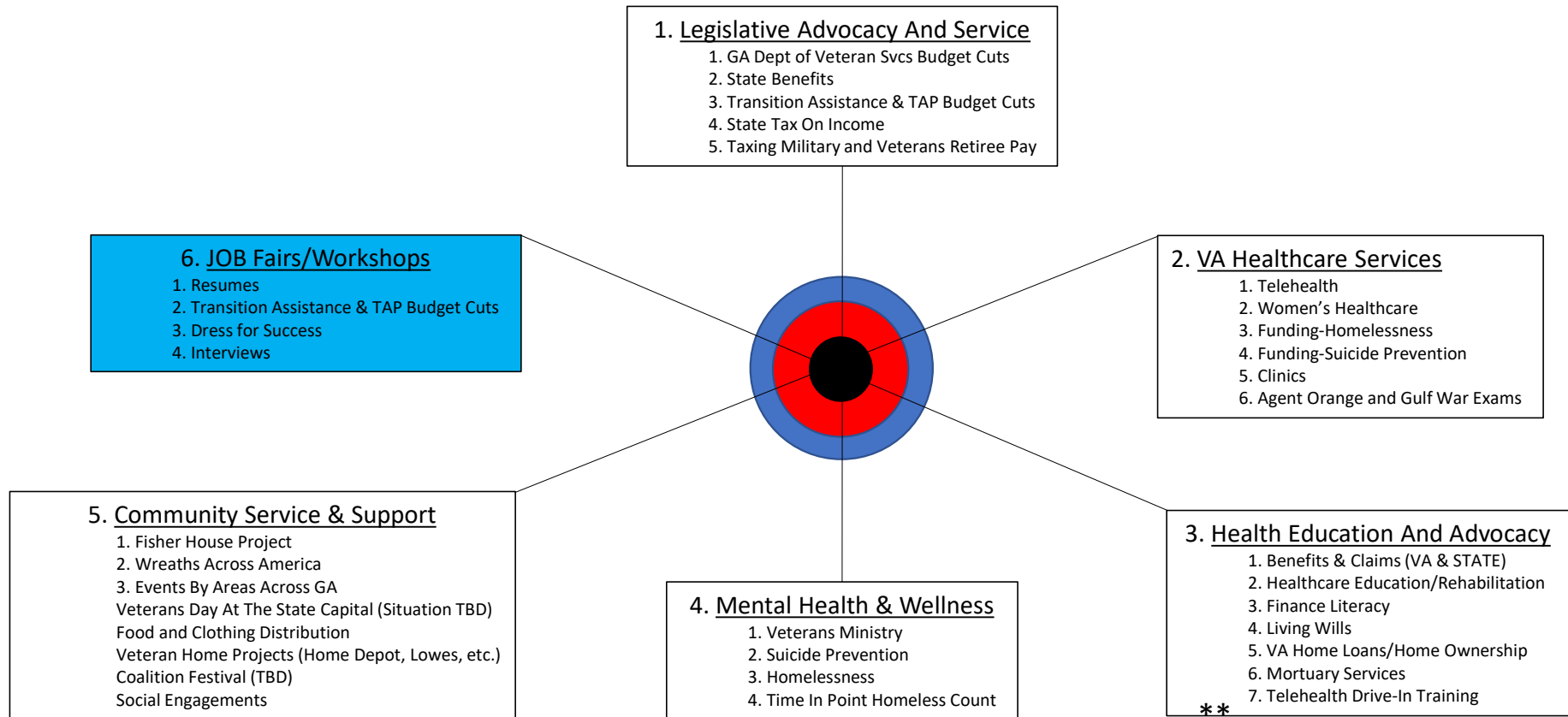
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Veterans Issues From the Audience
General and Specific Concerns

Veterans Issues Discussion With Online Participants

**VETERANS QUESTIONS
&
COMMENTS**

****WE ARE HERE TO LISTEN****

Coalition's Upcoming Events

- **Virtual Veterans Town Hall Meeting**
 - ❖ January 30, 2021: 2:00 - 3:00 PM EST
- **Quarterly Benefits and Claims Workshops**
 - ❖ Maintains Current Visibility on Military & Veterans Issues
 - ❖ Quarterly Workshops
 - ❖ January / April / July / October - Dates TBD
- **Annual Golf Tournament**
 - ❖ August (late month) - TBD
 - ❖ Situation Dependent/COVID-19 Environment
- **Veterans Women's EXPO**
 - ❖ Virtual Conference via Zoom
 - ❖ September - TBD
- **Veterans Service Organizations EXPO**
 - ❖ All Veteran Service Organizations and Coalition Participants & Families
 - ❖ Networking, Recruiting, Vet Businesses & Entertainment
 - ❖ November - TBD/Situation Dependent

Coalition's Upcoming Events con't

- Collaborative Job Fairs/Workshops
 - ❖ Semi Annual Events - TBD
 - ❖ Interviews, Resumes, Dress for Success
 - ❖ Coalition Support Required in Development
- Educational Training
 - ❖ Training Presentations as Needed

COVID-19 Vaccinations

now available for Veterans aged 75 and older,
following CDC guidelines for vaccine administration

Vaccines are only available at the following locations and times.
MUST HAVE A SCHEDULED APPOINTMENT
Walk-ins will not be accepted.

For appointments:
Contact your Primary Care Team or (404)329-2222

VACCINE CENTER

Medical Center, Main Floor
1670 Clairmont Road
Decatur, GA 30033
Monday - Friday
0730 - 1530

FORT MCPHERSON

VA Clinic
1701 Hardee Ave SW
Atlanta, GA 30310
Monday January 25
Monday February 8

GWINNETT

VA Clinic
1975 Riverside Pkwy
Lawrenceville, GA 30043
Tuesday January 12
Tuesday January 26

ROME

VA Clinic
30 Chateau Drive
Rome, GA 30161
Wednesday January 13
Wednesday January 27

ATLANTA

VA Clinic
250 N Arcadia Ave
Decatur, GA 30030
Thursday January 14
Thursday January 28

WEST COBB

VA Clinic
333 Midway Road
Marietta, GA 30064
Friday January 15
Friday January 29

CARROLLTON

Trinka Davis Veterans Village
180 Martin Drive
Carrollton, GA 30117
Monday February 1
Monday February 15

STOCKBRIDGE

VA Clinic
175 Medical Boulevard
Stockbridge, GA 30281
Tuesday January 19
Tuesday February 2

NEWNAN

VA Clinic
39-A Oak Hill Court
Newnan, GA 30265
Wednesday January 20
Wednesday February 3

BLAIRSVILLE

VA Clinic
1294 Highway 515, East
Suite 100
Blairsville, GA 30512
Thursday January 21
Thursday February 4

OAKWOOD

VA Clinic
4175 Tanners Creek Drive
Flowery Branch, GA 30542
Friday January 22
Friday February 5

Clinics outside the Medical Center will have
scheduled appointments available between
0830 and 1200

Vaccine allocations
are limited.

Stay tuned for more
information.

VA



U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs
Atlanta VA Health Care System

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FIRST COME, FIRST SERVE

Bring VA ID

*Atlanta VA Medical Center
Parking Deck E*

1670 Clairmont Road
Decatur, GA 30033

Saturday January 16

0900 – 1300

VA



U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs
Atlanta VA Health Care System

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Veterans Service Officer

The Importance of Service Officers

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Veterans Service Officers Accredited/Certified VSOs

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Other Resources

Atlanta Veterans Benefits Administration Regional Office (www.va.gov/Atlanta)

American Legion
American Veterans (AMVETS)
Disable American Veterans (DAV)
Military Officers Association (MOAA)
Military Order of the Purple Heart
Veterans of Foreign Wars (VFW)

Coalition's Contact Us

- Visit Us on the Web
 - ❖ www.coalitionofone.org
 - ❖ Email: info@coalitionofone.org
 - ❖ Phone: (770) 376-5721
- Contact Your Local Veteran Service Organization Service Officer
 - ❖ Georgia Department of Veteran Services
 - ❖ American Legion
 - ❖ Military Officers Association of America
 - ❖ Veterans of Foreign Wars
 - ❖ Veterans Helping Veterans



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