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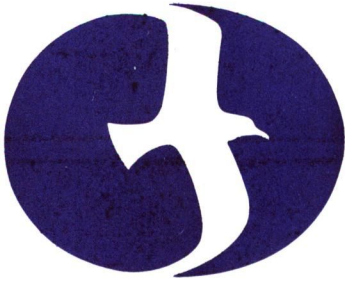
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Salve Regina College has received a grant from the Department of Health, Education and Welfare to expand the services offered by its Office of Veterans' Affairs.

According to Carl P. Nykaza, Salve Regina's V. A. Coordinator, the monies will be used to acquaint veterans with educational and vocational opportunities, financial assistance, medical and legal aids, and other benefits for which they are eligible. Many of these counseling services will be provided on the Newport campus, and necessary referrals to other community organizations will also be made.

These services will be available to all interested veterans, whether or not they are students at the college. Mr. Nykaza is using the grant funding to employ outreach workers to contact veterans and inform them of their benefits.

Next week, the college welcomes V. A. representative Stephen Biello to their Office of Veterans' Affairs. Mr. Biello will work with Mr. Nykaza in assisting veterans.

Salve Regina will also be expanding its College Preparatory program and High School Equivalency program to meet the needs of veterans and other members of the community who wish to prepare for post-secondary education.

The HEW grant recognizes Salve Regina's past efforts in the field of veterans' services and education, and it provides the College with assistance in expanding its services in this important area.

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