

## **CVEB** Sample Project Plan

**Description**: Sample project plan template to assist co-Chairs with establishing a Community Veterans Engagement Board (CVEB).

Activ	ity Summary	Start	End
Weeks 1-2	I. Collaborate to identify existing community networks to improve service delivery.		
	Identify VA point person to start conversations with potential co-chairs.		
	Discuss CVEB geographic boundaries.		
	Identify Veteran issues in the community and any existing initiatives.		
	Identify potential co-chairs.		
	Milestones: Geographic boundaries, potential co-chairs, review toolkit.		
Weeks 3-4	II. VA leadership begins communications with potential CVEB co-chairs.		
	Contact potential co-chairs.		
	• Discuss <b>roles</b> of the board and VA .		
	Provide sample charter and other toolkit items.		
	Milestones: Finalize co-chair roles and model framework		
Weeks 5-6	III. Co-Chairs contact potential board members and begin operations.		
	<ul> <li>Suggest co-chairs leverage existing relationships to identify potential board members in addition to using the list of potential board member sources from the toolkit.</li> </ul>		
	• Recommend co-chairs reach out to individual candidates to explore interest.		
	Recommend co-chairs share the playbook and relevant toolkit items with board members.		
	Milestones: Confirm list of board members and schedule first board meeting.		
Weeks 6-12	IV. Co-chairs convene first board meeting.		
	<ul> <li>Hold first board meeting to discuss CVEB purpose, Veteran-community issues, Charter, logistics for future meetings, and community engagement to plan the first public forum.</li> </ul>		
	<ul> <li>Set tentative date for the first public forum to be confirmed during the board meeting.</li> </ul>		
	<b>Milestones:</b> Charter language finalized to be signed at next board meeting, tentative date selected for public forum.		