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Expanding Neurology Access for Rural Veterans Through RN- Led Tele Neurology Headache Education Clinic

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Reimagine Care Delivery

VA National TeleNeurology Program (NTNP)

Problem Statement:

Insufficient out-patient neurological care in VA and community

Mission Statement:

To breakdown the walls of traditional neurological care

Vision Statement:

To honor and serve Veterans by providing quality virtual neurological care



NTNP RN Roles

RN Headache Education Clinic
Suicide Screenings
Case-management



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Enlighten

NTNP

- Started with one rural site in 2021 and has expanded to have a presence in 25 states (currently active in 14 sites)
- NTNP grew from 1,306 annual visits to 10,099 in FY 2025

Headache Education Clinic:

- 20-visit annually to 557-visit annual operation in 6 years



Disrupt

Solutions for care expanded:

- Continue to expand NTNP services
- Develop novel care models
- Develop and mature the multidisciplinary care
- Nurses: we CAN and WILL continue to IMPACT healthcare with our visions, knowledge, and expertise



Thank You!

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