

TADSAF TRAINING PROGRAM

The TADSAF training program is based on a 20-to-25-week course of Positive Reinforced training, depending on the Team's progress. The ability of the human and the canine 'Battle Buddy' to work together is key to developing a successful Medical Alert Service Dog Team.

PHASE 1: (7 to 8 weeks)

The initial part of the program focuses on being able to give the obedience commands, to have the Dog follow those commands, as well as to behave appropriately in public as determined by the American Kennel Club's Canine Good Citizen test. The Veteran will also learn to read, understand and proactively respond to the Dog's body language.

PHASE 2: (8 to 10 weeks)

The second part of the program focuses on the social interaction skills necessary to be in public settings. These include hospitals, medical clinics, shopping centers, restaurants, movie theaters, workplace environments, etc. Also, the Veteran's special needs, such as special tasks and training, will be finalized.

PHASE 3: (5 to 7 weeks)

This final part prepares the Service Dog Team for the TADSAW Public Access Temperament Test (PATT), which is the final classroom session of the program.

When the Team successfully completes the PATT, they are now recognized as an accredited TADSAW Medical Alert Service Dog Team, according to the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) of 2010 guidelines and definitions and benefitting with all the Rights of Public Access afforded...

TADSAW's **PTSD** program combines all of the disciplines of occupational, physical, psychopharmaceutical and spiritual therapy into a single program, designed to enrich the Person's Quality of Life, with the training of a canine "Battle Buddy", in order to re-connect the PERSON over a period of time with their family, in their neighborhood and in their Community.

TADSAW INC continues to "Make a Difference"

Your Tax-deductible donation of \$3,500 will provide for and sponsor the training and accreditation of one (1) Medical Alert Service Dog for a **Child/Civilian in the TADSAF** program OR for a **Veteran!** OR Donate More **MAKE A BIGGER DIFFERENCE** for MORE!!

NOW – It's your Decision!

We are not american't's,
We are AmeriCANS!



TADSAW will always be **"Train a Dog - Save a Warrior"** - But has it evolved to

"Train a Dog - Save a World"??

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TADSAF



ALL LIVES MATTER!

TRAIN A DOG - SAVE A FAMILY MEMBER PROGRAM

1 in 5 Children will die due to complications waiting 3 years to receive their Service Dog!

The average cost of a Diabetic, Seizure or Autism Alert Service Dog is \$20,000-\$35,000!

How many Service Dogs for children can YOU provide for at this cost?

Bullying or Rape potentiates Suicide! All Survivors of mass shootings are high risk too!

Participant Trained Service Dog or Personal Trained Service Dog This is PTSD! And NO STIGMA!!

From July 2010 thru **08/31/2025**, TADSAW INC has accredited **1,645 Medical Alert Service Dog Teams**, including **84 TADSAF** and **20 TADSAR** and **72 TADSAC** Teams.

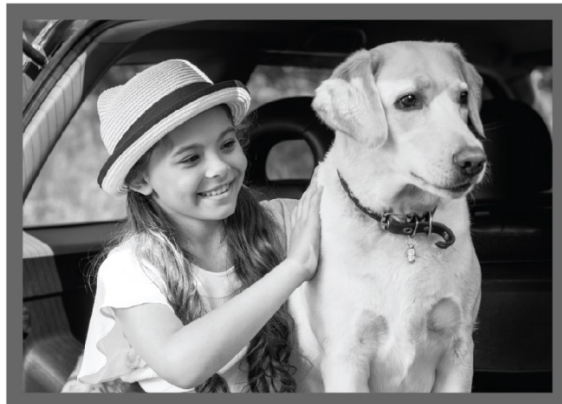
TADSAF PROGRAM

TADSAW INC has always looked to improve the program and communities served.

TADSAW's **Participant Trained Service Dog (PTSD)** program pertains to the training of all the mission statement for the different populations and re-introduced the "Train a Dog – Save a Family Member" (**TADSAF**) program to include the **Gold Star Family members** and the **Exceptional Family Member Program (EFMP)**. So here is where TADSAW INC seeks to destigmatize certain medical conditions.

TADSAW is unique in that it is a Participant Trained Service Dog (**PTSD**) program – meaning the Client, is totally involved in the training of their Medical Alert Service Dog for their medical condition, where a Service Dog would be an appropriate addition and beneficial to restore and improve to their Quality of Life and destigmatize the present classification now described as a mental health/mental illness condition.

The TADSAW programs mission are to provide for the training of a **Medical Alert Service Dog Team**, as designated by the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) of 1990/2010 guidelines, to restore and improve the client's **Quality of Life** with a canine '**Battle Buddy**', at **NO CHARGE** to the client or the family.



TADSAW INC is pleased to re-introduce the newest **Participant Trained Service Dog (PTSD)** program with the "**Train a Dog – Save a Family Member**" (**TADSAF**) program, dedicated to assisting all Military family, Gold Star Family and Exceptional Family Members, where a Service Dog would be '**Life Changing!**'

TADSAF is unique as it is a **Participant Trained Service Dog (PTSD)** program – meaning the client is totally involved in the training of their Medical Alert Service Dog and getting their "**Community**" or "**Behavioral**" **Acquired Anxiety Depression Syndrome (CAADS or BAADS)** – an Environmental-Related Health Hazard – under control and destigmatizing the medical condition labeled by the Medical World as a mental health/ mental illness issue or other such condition. **What better way to assist a person by restoring their self-trust, self-esteem, and self-confidence than the training of their personal Medical Alert Service Dog in a 20 to 25 week training program.**

TADSAF provides for the training and accreditation of a Medical Alert Service Dog, as defined by the Americans with Disabilities (**not inabilities!**) Act (ADA) guidelines for all Military Family members, diagnosed with a chronic medical condition or disability, in which a Service Dog would restore and improve that person's Quality of Life, and provide them a sense of being and belonging, at **NO CHARGE** to the person or their family.

CAADS or Community Acquired Anxiety Depression Syndrome is based on the environmental and climate challenges faced by today's population, both children and adults. Not every medical condition should be classified as mental health or mental illness and maybe it is a behavioral issue in response to the environment or climate in that person's comfort zone. And we should look for treatment philosophies and protocols that will destigmatize the way in which the condition is viewed or perceived.

BAADS or Behavioral Acquired Anxiety Depression Syndrome – a response mimicked by the symptoms associated with mental health or mental illness issues. Is Bullying or Rape or Racism or Domestic Violence a form of mental health or mental illness OR a product of the 'toxic' environment where the person lives??

Or maybe we should just refer to it as **AADS or Acquired Anxiety Depression Syndrome**

The **Train a Dog – Save a Family member (TADSAF)** program provides for the training and accreditation of a Medical Alert Service Dog, as defined by the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) guidelines for all children and persons surviving with a diagnosed medical condition, in which a Service Dog would restore and improve their Quality of Life, at **NO CHARGE** to the person or their family.

Medical conditions would include, but not limited to Anxiety, Depression, Epilepsy, Seizures, Autism, Diabetes, Cerebral Palsy, Muscular Dystrophy, et al. Survivors of Bullying, Domestic Violence, Sexual Assault, Racism, etc.

"Train a Dog - Save a WARRIOR"

OR

"Train a Dog - Save a WORLD"

YOU DECIDE!