

# **Texas Veterans Commission Fund for Veterans' Assistance**

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**2022 – 2023 Grants  
1<sup>st</sup> Quarter Town Hall  
"Health Check"**

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# **Welcome!**

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**Thank You for Serving  
Texas Veterans**

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## Purpose & Agenda

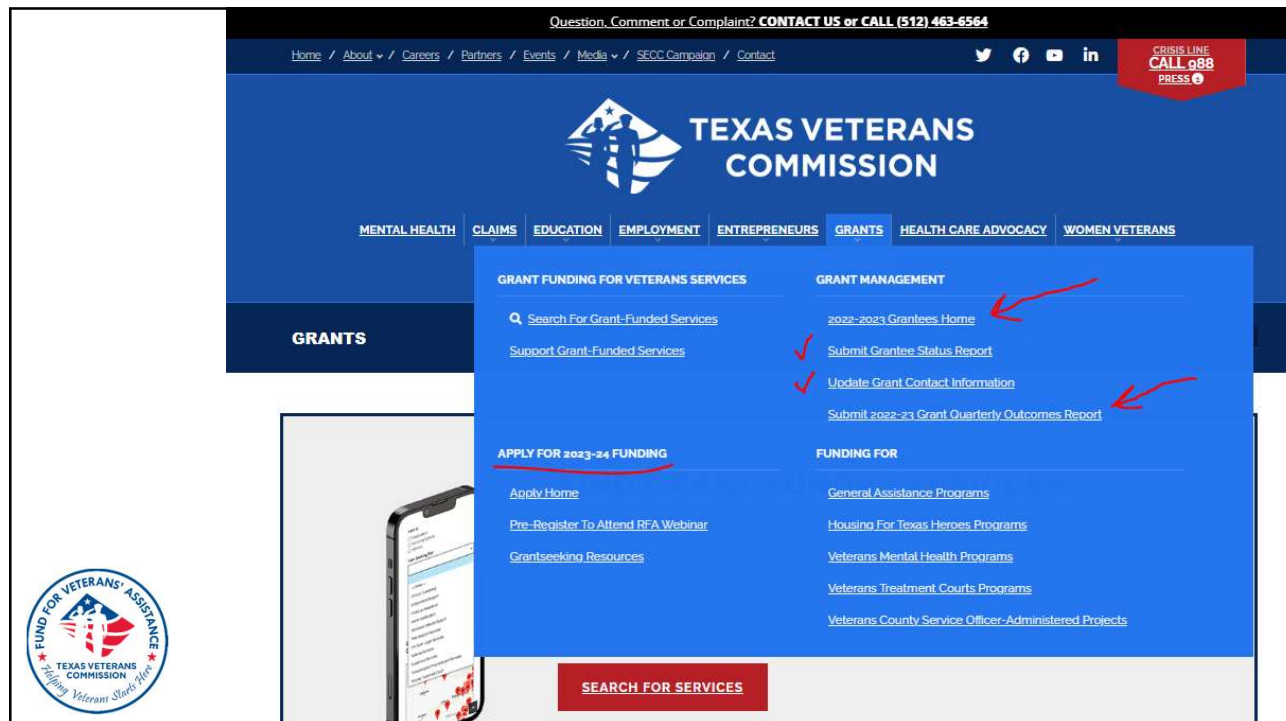
Purpose: Share ideas and ways to improve Grant Operations

Agenda:

1. 2022-2023 Grantee Home
2. Quarterly Outcome Measures
3. Housing for Texas Heroes
4. New Grant Management Software Update
5. Questions?

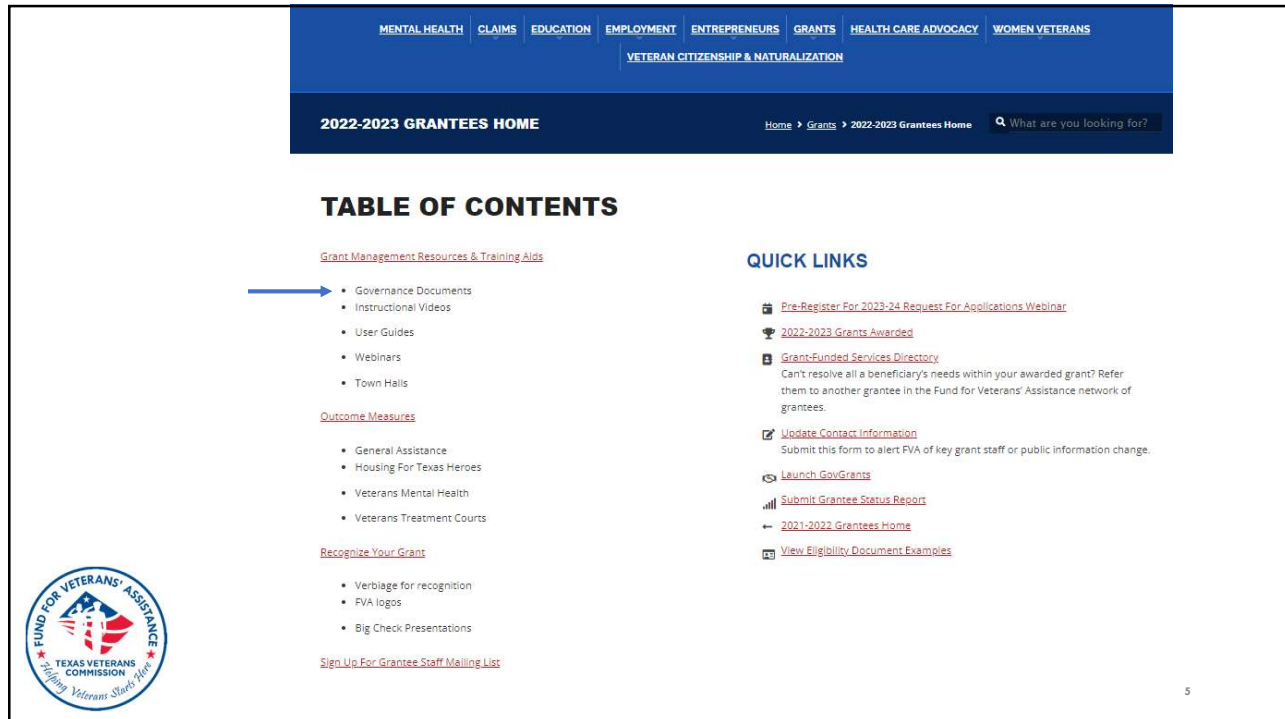
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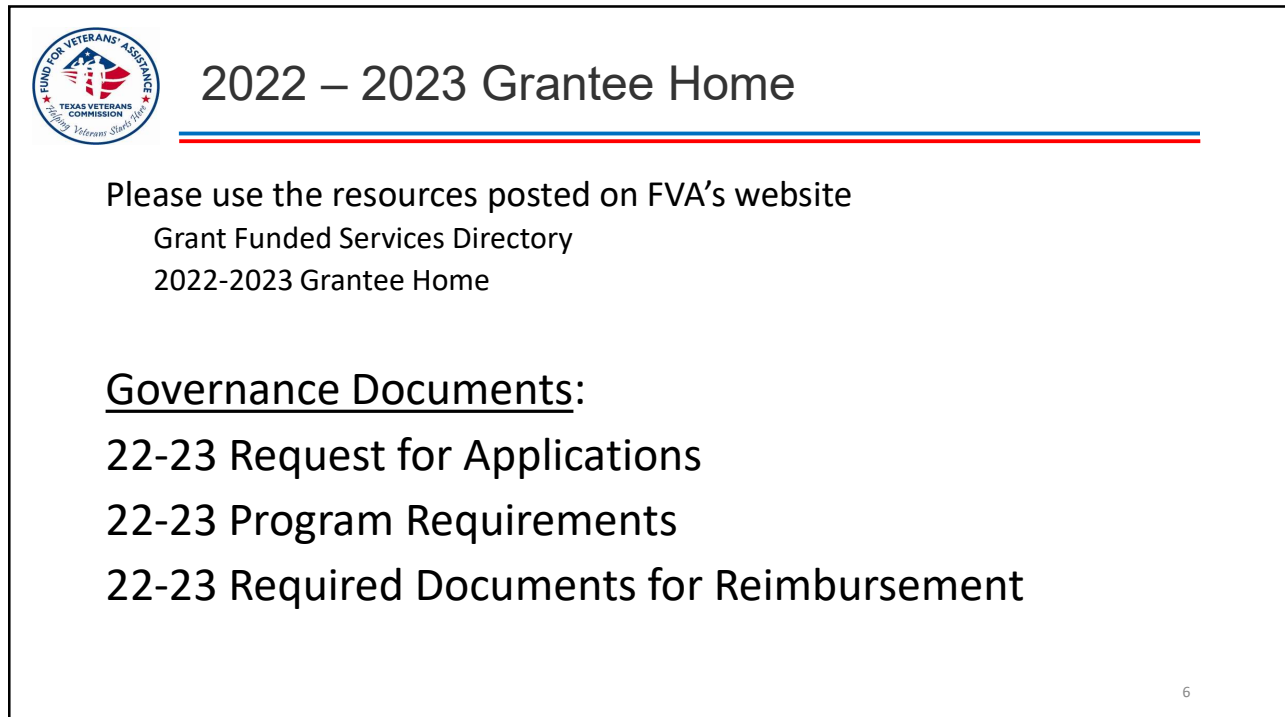
## 2022-23 Grants 1st Quarter Town Hall "Health Check" Slides



The screenshot shows the "2022-2023 GRANTEES HOME" page. At the top is a navigation bar with links: MENTAL HEALTH, CLAIMS, EDUCATION, EMPLOYMENT, ENTREPRENEURS, GRANTS, HEALTH CARE ADVOCACY, WOMEN VETERANS, and VETERAN CITIZENSHIP & NATURALIZATION. Below this is a search bar and the text "2022-2023 GRANTEES HOME". The main content area is titled "TABLE OF CONTENTS" and includes links to "Grant Management Resources & Training Aids", "Outcome Measures", "Recognize Your Grant", and "Sign Up For Grantee Staff Mailing List". A "QUICK LINKS" section on the right lists various resources like "Pre-Register For 2023-24 Request For Applications Webinar", "2022-2023 Grants Awarded", "Grant-Funded Services Directory", "Update Contact Information", "Launch GovGrants", "Submit Grantee Status Report", "2021-2022 Grantees Home", and "View Eligibility Document Examples". The Fund for Veterans' Assistance logo is in the bottom left corner.

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The slide features the Fund for Veterans' Assistance logo in the top left corner. The title "2022 – 2023 Grantee Home" is centered at the top. Below the title, it instructs users to use resources on the FVA's website, specifically the "Grant Funded Services Directory" and the "2022-2023 Grantee Home". A section titled "Governance Documents:" lists three items: "22-23 Request for Applications", "22-23 Program Requirements", and "22-23 Required Documents for Reimbursement".

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## Quarterly Outcome Measures

All but two of FVA's service categories have quarterly outcome measures.

Grantees providing clinical counseling and peer support services have KEY outcome measures that require PHQ-9 and GAD-7 assessments or the VA's Personal Health Inventory (see Appendix H, 2022-2023 Program Requirements)

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## Quarterly Outcomes – Financial Assistance & Supportive Services

Grant Program	Service Category	#	Outcome Measures (Key Performance Indicators) for quarterly outcome report
			"Unduplicated" means that once served by TVC-funded grant services, the reported (counted) beneficiary cannot be reported (counted) again for additional services received by the same TVC grant-funded project for the remainder of the grant year.
General Assistance	Supportive Services & Financial Assistance	1	How many total beneficiaries (veterans and their family members) were provided with temporary shelter this quarter, funded by TVC grants? Include only those beneficiaries who were in temporary shelter/housing for less than 60 days.
		2	How many <u>unduplicated</u> beneficiaries received mental health, counseling, and/or intervention-related services this quarter, funded by TVC grants?
		3	What percent of <u>unduplicated</u> beneficiaries who began TVC grant funded clinical EBP treatment during this quarter, remain committed to the prescribed treatment plan?
		4	How many eligible beneficiaries received treatment via non-clinical (integrative) therapies this quarter, funded by TVC grants?
		5	How many beneficiaries are no longer homeless, or considered at-risk for homelessness, as a result of TVC grant funded services you provided this quarter?
		6	As a result of receiving TVC grant-funded clinical counseling services, how many <u>unduplicated</u> beneficiaries reported an improvement with managing their life stress and emotional triggers, as reflected through their PHQ-9 and GAD-7 assessments?
		7	As a result of receiving TVC grant-funded peer delivered services, how many <u>unduplicated</u> beneficiaries reported an improvement with managing their life stress and emotional triggers, as reflected through their Personal Health Inventory assessments?

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## Quarterly Outcomes – Homeless Veteran Support

Grant Program	Service Category	<b>Outcome Measures (Key Performance Indicators) for quarterly outcome report</b> <i>"Unduplicated" means that once served by TVC-funded grant services, the reported (counted) beneficiary cannot be reported (counted) again for additional services received by the same TVC grant-funded project for the remainder of the grant year.</i>
General Assistance	Homeless Veterans Support	<b>#</b> <i>"Unduplicated" means that once served by TVC-funded grant services, the reported (counted) beneficiary cannot be reported (counted) again for additional services received by the same TVC grant-funded project for the remainder of the grant year.</i>
		1 How many total beneficiaries (veterans and their family members) were provided with temporary shelter this quarter, funded by TVC grants? Include only those beneficiaries who were in temporary shelter/housing for less than 60 days.
		2 How many <u>unduplicated</u> beneficiaries received mental health, counseling, and/or intervention-related services this quarter, funded by TVC grants?
		3 What percent of <u>unduplicated</u> beneficiaries who began TVC grant funded clinical EBP treatment during this quarter, remain committed to the prescribed treatment plan?
		4 How many eligible beneficiaries received treatment via non-clinical (integrative) therapies this quarter, funded by TVC grants?
		5 How many <u>unduplicated</u> veterans began inpatient substance abuse treatment with TVC grant funding this quarter?
		6 How many beneficiaries are no longer homeless, or considered at-risk for homelessness, as a result of TVC grant funded services you provided this quarter?
		7 As a result of receiving TVC grant-funded clinical counseling services, how many <u>unduplicated</u> beneficiaries reported an improvement with managing their life stress and emotional triggers, as reflected through their PHQ-9 and GAD-7 assessments?
8 As a result of receiving TVC grant-funded peer delivered services, how many <u>unduplicated</u> beneficiaries reported an improvement with managing their life stress and emotional triggers, as reflected through their Personal Health Inventory assessments?		

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## Quarterly Outcomes – Employment Support

Grant Program	Service Category	#	Outcome Measures (Key Performance Indicators) for quarterly outcome report <i>"Unduplicated" means that once served by TVC-funded grant services, the reported (counted) beneficiary cannot be reported (counted) again for additional services received by the same TVC grant-funded project for the remainder of the grant year.</i>
General Assistance	Employment Support	1	How many beneficiaries <u>completed your job training program, skills certification, or licensing course</u> this quarter, funded by TVC grants?
		2	How many beneficiaries gained employment this quarter, as a result of your TVC grant funded program?
		3	How many veterans received transition assistance this quarter, funded by TVC grants?

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## Quarterly Outcomes – Transportation Programs & Services

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Grant Program	Service Category	#	Outcome Measures (Key Performance Indicators) for quarterly outcome report
			<i>"Unduplicated" means that once served by TVC-funded grant services, the reported (counted) beneficiary cannot be reported (counted) again for additional services received by the same TVC grant-funded project for the remainder of the grant year.</i>
General Assistance	Transportation Services	1	How many total times did your organization provide transportation services (one-way or round trips) this quarter, funded by TVC grants?
		2	How many total clients received rides to/from essential activities (medical/dental appointments, voting, court/jury duty, etc.) during this quarter, funded by TVC grants?

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## Quarterly Outcomes – Veteran Small Business Support

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Grant Program	Service Category	#	Outcome Measures (Key Performance Indicators) for quarterly outcome report
			<i>"Unduplicated" means that once served by TVC-funded grant services, the reported (counted) beneficiary cannot be reported (counted) again for additional services received by the same TVC grant-funded project for the remainder of the grant year.</i>
General Assistance	Veteran Small Business Support	1	How many beneficiaries <u>completed your entrepreneurship and small-business training programs</u> this quarter, funded by TVC grants?
		2	How many beneficiaries received tools, equipment, software or other related business products this quarter, funded by TVC grants?
		3	How many beneficiaries were referred to small business financial lenders this quarter?

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## Quarterly Outcomes – Housing for Texas Heroes

Grant Program	Service Category	#	Outcome Measures (Key Performance Indicators) for quarterly outcome report <i>"Unduplicated" means that once served by TVC-funded grant services, the reported (counted) beneficiary cannot be reported (counted) again for additional services received by the same TVC grant-funded project for the remainder of the grant year.</i>
Housing for Texas Heroes	Home Modification	1	How many home modification, weatherization, and/or repair projects were started during this quarter, funded by TVC grants?
		2	How many home modification, weatherization, and/or repair projects were completed during this quarter, funded by TVC grants?
		3	How many home modification, weatherization, and/or repair projects were started this quarter for disabled veterans (as determined by the VA)?
		4	How many home modification, weatherization, and/or repair projects were started this quarter for veteran families that are considered low income?

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## Quarterly Outcomes – Veteran Treatment Court

Grant Program	Service Category	#	Outcome Measures (Key Performance Indicators) for quarterly outcome report <i>"Unduplicated" means that once served by TVC-funded grant services, the reported (counted) beneficiary cannot be reported (counted) again for additional services received by the same TVC grant-funded project for the remainder of the grant year.</i>
Veterans Treatment Court	Veterans Treatment Court	1	How many veterans agreed to participate (start) in your VTC program during this quarter?
		2	How many veterans withdrew from your VTC program during this quarter?
		3	How many veterans graduated from your VTC program this quarter, who began their participation while your VTC program was funded in part or in whole by TVC grants?
		4	How many <u>unduplicated</u> beneficiaries received mental health, counseling, and/or intervention-related services this quarter, funded by TVC grants?
		5	What percent of <u>unduplicated</u> beneficiaries who began TVC grant funded clinical EBP treatment during this quarter, remain committed to the prescribed treatment plan?
		6	How many eligible beneficiaries received treatment via non-clinical (integrative) therapies this quarter, funded by TVC grants?
		7	As a result of receiving TVC grant-funded clinical counseling services, how many <u>unduplicated</u> beneficiaries reported an improvement with managing their life stress and emotional triggers, as reflected through their PHQ-9 and GAD-7 assessments?
		8	As a result of receiving TVC grant-funded peer delivered services, how many <u>unduplicated</u> beneficiaries reported an improvement with managing their life stress and emotional triggers, as reflected through their Personal Health Inventory assessments?

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## Quarterly Outcomes – Clinical Counseling

Grant Program	Service Category	#	Outcome Measures (Key Performance Indicators) for quarterly outcome report
			<i>"Unduplicated" means that once served by TVC-funded grant services, the reported (counted) beneficiary cannot be reported (counted) again for additional services received by the same TVC grant-funded project for the remainder of the grant year.</i>
Veteran Mental Health	Clinical Counseling	1	How many <u>unduplicated</u> beneficiaries received mental health, counseling, and/or intervention-related services this quarter, funded by TVC grants?
		2	What percent of <u>unduplicated</u> beneficiaries who began TVC grant funded clinical EBP treatment during this quarter, remain committed to the prescribed treatment plan?
		3	How many eligible beneficiaries received treatment via non-clinical (integrative) therapies this quarter, funded by TVC grants?
		4	As a result of receiving TVC grant-funded clinical counseling services, how many <u>unduplicated</u> beneficiaries reported an improvement with managing their life stress and emotional triggers, as reflected through their PHQ-9 and GAD-7 assessments?
		5	As a result of receiving TVC grant-funded peer delivered services, how many <u>unduplicated</u> beneficiaries reported an improvement with managing their life stress and emotional triggers, as reflected through their Personal Health Inventory assessments?

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## Quarterly Outcomes – Peer Support Services

Grant Program	Service Category	#	Outcome Measures (Key Performance Indicators) for quarterly outcome report <i>"Unduplicated" means that once served by TVC-funded grant services, the reported (counted) beneficiary cannot be reported (counted) again for additional services received by the same TVC grant-funded project for the remainder of the grant year.</i>
Veteran Mental Health	Peer-Support Services	1	How many total peer-support service interactions/counseling/treatment sessions occurred this quarter in person, funded by TVC grants?
		2	As a result of receiving TVC grant-funded clinical counseling services, how many <u>unduplicated</u> beneficiaries reported an improvement with managing their life stress and emotional triggers, as reflected through their PHQ-9 and GAD-7 assessments?
		3	As a result of receiving TVC grant-funded peer delivered services, how many <u>unduplicated</u> beneficiaries reported an improvement with managing their life stress and emotional triggers, as reflected through their Personal Health Inventory assessments?

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## Housing for Texas Heroes

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- Project Form – Justifications
  - Before and After Photos
  - Need versus Nice to Have
  - Best to describe the dysfunctionality in the project description instead of simply saying, "Needs new front door. Need 4 windows replaced."
- Projects should focus on safety, security, weatherization, and functionality
- HTX Grantee "Roundtable Webinar" on Wednesday, October 5 at 10am

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## New Grant Management System - Update

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- New grant software testing on track
- How-To training videos under development
- Superior grant application experience
- Application questions simplified to pick-lists and drop-down menus

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## 2023-2024 Grant Applications

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2023-2024 RFA Webinar – Tuesday, Sep 27 @10am

FVA will announce grant application portal “go live” date when confirmed

Grant application window will be at least 60 calendar days

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## **FVA is Moving!**

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**FVA Staff Not Available to  
answer questions or respond to  
your emails/phone calls on  
Monday, September 26, 2022**

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## FVA Town Hall Schedule – Save the Dates

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December 8, 2022

- Q2 Town Hall – “Mid-Point”

March 9, 2023

- Q3 Town Hall

June 8, 2023

- Q4 Town Hall – “Close-Out”

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**Thank You for Joining &  
Participating!**

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**Questions?**

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