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Hello All,

I am Laura Jimenez and I have been in the Auxiliary about 30 years. I learn something new all the time! Just like this program which is only on its second year. I believe in this organization and enjoy sharing my knowledge with everyone. I would like us all to work together in this program. I will be setting up something on Facebook for us to share ideas and learn from each other.

I want to thank you for taking on the Mentoring for Leadership chairmanship for your Auxiliary or District. It is important to have Mentors. Mentoring helps broaden leadership skills and provides guidance for new and existing members, as a result they work hand in hand. Most everyone has a fairly similar idea of what a mentor is. It's a person who has befriended you and shown you the way in some form or another in your life. Mentors are more than just friends and they definitely are more than just instructors. They do both ... and remember it is a process!

Mentoring is based on relationships. No matter the different backgrounds and cultures members may come from, they all have something in common: VETERANS!

This is a good opportunity for you to share your knowledge of our Auxiliary traditions and programs with new members. Reach out to our inactive members and let them know what is going on. Keep communication open, have fun, and most of all be open to suggestions and new ideas.



Please reach out to me if you have any question or suggestions.

With appreciation for all you do for our Auxiliary,

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